

CENTURYLINK, INC
Form 8-K
October 02, 2012

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the
Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): October 1, 2012

CenturyLink, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Louisiana
(State or other jurisdiction

of incorporation)

1-7784
(Commission

File Number)

72-0651161
(IRS Employer

Identification No.)

Qwest Communications International Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction

001-15577
(Commission

84-1339282
(IRS Employer

of incorporation)

File Number)

Identification No.)

100 CenturyLink Drive Monroe, Louisiana
(Address of principal executive offices)

71203
(Zip Code)

(318) 388-9000

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligations of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

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Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Item 8.01 Other Events

On October 1, 2012, CenturyLink, Inc. issued a press release announcing that its wholly-owned subsidiary, Qwest Communications International Inc., terminated its previously-announced cash tender offer for its outstanding 7.125% Notes due 2018. CenturyLink, Inc. also announced the termination of its concurrent public offering of senior debt securities.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

The exhibit to this current report on Form 8-K is listed in the Exhibit Index, which appears at the end of this report and is incorporated by reference herein.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, CenturyLink, Inc. and Qwest Communications International Inc. have duly caused this current report to be signed on their behalf by the undersigned officer hereunto duly authorized.

CenturyLink, Inc.

By: /s/ Stacey W. Goff
Stacey W. Goff
Executive Vice President,
General Counsel and Secretary

Qwest Communications International Inc.

By: /s/ Stacey W. Goff
Stacey W. Goff
Executive Vice President,
General Counsel and Assistant Secretary

Dated: October 2, 2012

Exhibit Index

Exhibit No.	Description
99.1	Press release dated October 1, 2012 announcing termination of debt tender offer and debt offering.