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CenturyLink to Participate in Analyst Conferences

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MONROE, La., Feb. 22, 2012 /PRNewswire/ -- CenturyLink, Inc. (NYSE: CTL) announces that it is scheduled to participate in the following analyst conferences:

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Morgan Stanley Technology, Media &
Telecom Conference

Thursday
March 1, 2012

Raymond James and Associates 33rd Annual Institutional
Investors Conference

Monday
March 5, 2012

RBC 2012 Datacenter and Telecom
Infrastructure Investor Day

Thursday
March 8, 2012

For information regarding the specific presentation times and webcast availability, please visit the Investor Calendar on CenturyLink's Investor Relations Web site at ir.centurylink.com. Participation in these conferences is subject to change. Therefore, please check the company's Investor Calendar prior to the conference.

CenturyLink is the third largest telecommunications company in the United States. The company provides broadband, voice, wireless and managed services to consumers and businesses across the country. It also offers advanced entertainment services under the CenturyLink™ Prism™ TV and DIRECTV brands. In addition, the company provides data, voice and managed services to enterprise, government and wholesale customers in local, national and select international markets through its high-quality advanced fiber optic network and multiple data

centers. CenturyLink is recognized as a leader in the network services market by key technology industry analyst firms, and is a global leader in cloud infrastructure and hosted IT solutions for enterprises through Savvis, a CenturyLink company. CenturyLink's customers range from Fortune 500 companies in some of the country's largest cities to families living in rural America. Headquartered in Monroe, La., CenturyLink is an S&P 500 company and is included among the Fortune 500 list of America's largest corporations. For more information, visit www.centurylink.com.

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