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Chief, Information Technology
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100 F Street, NE MS 3040
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To whom it may concern:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies its approval for listing and registration of the Series CC Junior Participating Preferred Stock Purchase Rights of CENTURYLINK, INC. under the Exchange Act of 1934.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ben Savage". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline.