

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)
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COUNTY OF BUFFALO)

FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLAINT
FILED BY SPRINT COMMUNICATIONS
COMPANY, LP AGAINST NATIVE
AMERICAN TELECOM, LLC
REGARDING TELECOMMUNICATIONS
SERVICES

CIV. 11-

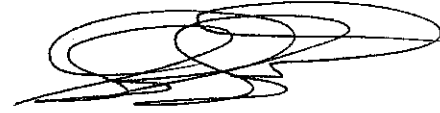
**NATIVE AMERICAN TELECOM, LLC's
NOTICE OF APPEAL**

TO: PATTY VAN GERPEN, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION; and DARLA POLLMAN ROGERS (counsel for Intervenor); and RICHARD D. COIT (counsel for Intervenor); and R. WILLIAM M. VAN CAMP (counsel for Intervenor); and WILLIAM P. HEASTON (counsel for Intervenor); and DIANE BROWNING (counsel for Sprint Communications Company, LP); and STANLEY E. WHITING (counsel for Sprint Communications Company, LP); and PHILLIP SCHENKENBERG (counsel for Sprint Communications Company, LP); and SCOTT G. KNUDSON (counsel for Sprint Communications Company, LP); and TOM D. TOBIN (counsel for Sprint Communications Company, LP); and JUDITH ROBERTS (counsel for Crow Creek Sioux Tribe)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Appellant Native American Telecom, LLC ("NAT"), pursuant to SDCL Chapter 1-26, does hereby appeal the "Order Denying Motion to Stay" of the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (TC10-026), rendered in this action on May 4, 2011, and provided to NAT on May 4, 2011.

Dated this 17th day of May, 2011.

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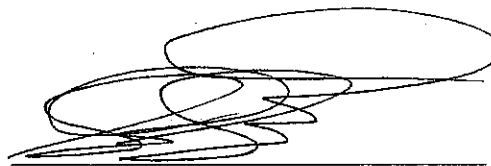
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