BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

IN THE MATTER OF REVISIONS AND/OR ADDITIONS TO THE COMMISSION'S SWITCHED ACCESS RULES CODIFIED IN ARSD 20:10:27 THROUGH ARSD 20:10:29

Docket No. RM05-002

QWEST CORPORATION'S COMMENTS

Qwest Corporation ("Qwest") submits these comments in support of the Commission's proposed rules related to access charges. The rules represent an appropriate resolution to this proceeding. The rules reflect proposals made by Qwest in filings and comments as a part of the proceeding. All parties had ample opportunity to comment on these proposals through the original comment process. Accordingly, Qwest respectfully urges that the rules are appropriate from both a policy and procedural perspective and should be adopted.

Dated this 13th day of April, 2011.

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