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Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Hartford, CT 06183

CONTINUATION CERTIFICATE FIDELITY OR SURETY BONDS/POLICIES

License No.	

In consideration of <u>\$250.00</u> dollars renewal premium, t	he term of Bond/Policy No. <u>400JP9</u>	0005 in tl
amount of <u>\$25,000.00</u> , issued on behalf of <u>NORTHERN</u>	VALLEY COMMUNICATIONS	
whose address is P. O. BOX 457 ABERDEEN, SD 574020457	·	
in favor of <u>State of South Dakota</u>	•	
whose address is Public Utilities Commission 500 East Capitol P	ierre, SD 575015070	
in connection with Misc. Indemnity	is hereby extended to	May 22, 2008
subject to all covenants and conditions of said bond/policy.		

This certificate is designed to extend only the term of the bond/policy. It does not increase the amount which may be payable thereunder. The aggregate liability of the Company under the said bond/policy together with this certificate shall be exactly the same as, and no greater than it would have been, if the said bond/policy had originally been written to expire on the date to which it is now being extended.

Signed, sealed and dated March 09, 2007

Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America By:

Aum Han Resident Agent / Attorney-in-Fact

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POWER OF ATTORNEY

Farmington Casualty Company Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc. Seaboard Surety Company St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company

St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company **Travelers Casualty and Surety Company Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America** United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company

Attorney-In Fact No. 215630 Certificate No. 000339034

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That Seaboard Surety Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New York, that St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company and St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company are corporations duly organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota, that Farmington Casualty Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, and Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America are corporations duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut, that United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Maryland, that Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Iowa, and that Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc. is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Wisconsin (herein collectively called the "Companies"), and that the Companies do hereby make, constitute and appoint

Jim Harr, and Thomas Seyer

of the City of _____Aberdeen

day of

__, State of _____ South Dakota

_, their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, each in their separate capacity if more than one is named above, to sign, execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, recognizances, conditional undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

1 st IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed and their corporate seals to be hereto affixed, this _______May 2006

Farmington Casualty Company St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company **Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company** St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc. **Travelers Casualty and Surety Company** Seaboard Surety Company **Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America** St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company **ICORPORATE** 1951 State of Connecticut City of Hartford ss. ompson. Senior President Vice 2006 May On this the day of , before me personally appeared George W. Thompson, who acknowledged

himself to be the Senior Vice President of Farmington Casualty Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc., Seaboard Surety Company, St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company, St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and official seal. My Commission expires the 30th day of June, 2006.



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Marie C. Tetreault, Notary Public

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This Power of Attorney is granted under and by the authority of the following resolutions adopted by the Boards of Directors of Farmington Casualty Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc., Seaboard Surety Company, St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company, St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, which resolutions are now in full force and effect, reading as follows:

RESOLVED, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary may appoint Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents to act for and on behalf of the Company and may give such appointee such authority as his or her certificate of authority may prescribe to sign with the Company's name and seal with the Company's seal bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, and other writings obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking, and any of said officers or the Board of Directors at any time may remove any such appointee and revoke the power given him or her; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President may delegate all or any part of the foregoing authority to one or more officers or employees of this Company, provided that each such delegation is in writing and a copy thereof is filed in the office of the Secretary; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that any bond, recognizance, contract of indemnity, or writing obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking shall be valid and binding upon the Company when (a) signed by the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary and duly attested and sealed with the Company's seal by a Secretary or Assistant Secretary; or (b) duly executed (under seal, if required) by one or more Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents pursuant to the power prescribed in his or her certificate or their certificates of authority or by one or more Company officers pursuant to a written delegation of authority; and it is

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the signature of each of the following officers: President, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Assistant Vice President, any Secretary, and Assistant Secretary, and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney or to any certificate relating thereto appointing Resident Vice Presidents, Resident Assistant Secretaries or Attorneys-in-Fact for purposes only of executing and attesting bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such power of attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signature or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company and any such power so executed and certified by such facsimile signature and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding on the Company in the future with respect to any bond or understanding to which it is attached.

I, Kori M. Johanson, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, of Farmington Casualty Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Company, Fidelity and Guaranty Insurance Underwriters, Inc., Seaboard Surety Company, St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company, St. Paul Guardian Insurance Company, St. Paul Mercury Insurance Company, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, and United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, which is in full force and effect and has not been revoked.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies this _28 day of ______

Kori M. Johanson, Assistant Secretary



To verify the authenticity of this Power of Attorney, call 1-800-421-3880 or contact us at www.stpaultravelersbond.com. Please refer to the Attorney-In-Fact number, the above-named individuals and the details of the bond to which the power is attached.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA COUNTY OF BROWN

On this 28th day of March, 2007, before me, a Notary Public, with	nin and for
said County and State, personally appeared	to me
personally known, and known to me to be the Attorney in-Fact of and for the Travelers Casualty	and Surety
Company of America, a corporation, created, organized and existing under and by virtue of the l	aws of the
State of Connecticut, upon oath did say that the corporate seal affixed to the attached instrument	is the seal
of the said Company; that the seal was affixed and the said instrument was executed by the authority	
Board of Directors; and he/she did also acknowledge that he/she executed the said instrument as	the free act
and deed of said Company.	
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