

<p><u> </u> LOCAL</p> <p><u> </u> EXCHANGE</p> <p><u> </u> CARRIERS</p> <p><u> </u> ASSOCIATION</p>	<p><i>South Dakota</i></p>
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June 29, 2004

VIA EMAIL: Pam.Bonrud@state.sd.us & FedEx
 Ms. Pam Bonrud
 Executive Director
 Public Utilities Commission
 State of South Dakota
 500 East Capitol
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**SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC
 UTILITIES COMMISSION**

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Dear Ms. Bonrud:

On behalf of its member companies, attached for filing with the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) are revised pages of the Local Exchange Carriers Association (LECA) Tariff No. 1 (Attachment 1). The purpose of these revisions is to implement changes in rates as necessitated by revisions in member companies' revenue requirements.

Under state statute (SDCL 49-13-12.2) the revised rates included in the attached tariff pages are proposed to be effective August 1, 2004 and are calculated in the attached spreadsheet (Attachment 2). The table below shows each of the current and the proposed rates by rate element and by jurisdiction.

<u>Access Rates:</u>	Current Access Rates Effective June 4, 2004		Access Rates Proposed to become Effective on August 1, 2004	
	<u>Originating</u>	<u>Terminating</u>	<u>Originating</u>	<u>Terminating</u>
Carrier Common Line	\$0.0469	\$0.0606	\$0.0644	\$0.0788
Local Switching	\$0.0199	\$0.0257	\$0.0223	\$0.0274
Local Transport	<u>\$0.0372</u>	<u>\$0.0372</u>	<u>\$0.0385</u>	<u>\$0.0385</u>
Total	<u>\$0.1040</u>	<u>\$0.1235</u>	<u>\$0.1252</u>	<u>\$0.1447</u>

The total increase in the combined annual revenue requirement is \$198,537, which equals an average increase per access minute of \$.0212 for each of the interexchange carriers.

All Interexchange Carriers "of Record" with the Commission will be notified of these revisions through a memo addressed and mailed by U.S. Mail to them on June 30th. A copy of the memo and the addressees will be forwarded to your attention.

We have included a duplicate copy of this letter and would appreciate your acknowledgment of receipt of this filing by return of the copy appropriately receipted to the address below.

Sincerely,
Local Exchange Carriers Association

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Enclosures
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ATTACHMENT 1

PUC FILING

**LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS ASSOCIATION
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES CLASSIFICATION FORM**

- 1) Requested Classification: Non-Competitive
 Emerging Competitive
 Fully Competitive
- 2) This service will be offered: Intrastate, IntraLATA
 Intrastate, InterLATA
 Interstate
- 3) Description and Purpose of Filing: This filing is to implement the changes in rates
 as necessitated by revisions in member
 companies' revenue requirements.
- 4) Impact: There is no consumer impact.
- 5) Effective Date: Proposed August 1, 2004.

TARIFF CHECKLIST
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8-4		15-7		18-2.1	2nd
		15-8		18-3	3rd
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		15-10		18-5	6th
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ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges

17.1 Common Line Access Service

17.1.1 Carrier Common Line Access Service

Rate

Regulations concerning Carrier Common Line Access
are set forth in Section 3. preceding.

Access

- | | | | |
|---|-------------------------------|------------|-----|
| - | Originating Per Access Minute | \$0.0644 * | (I) |
| - | Terminating Per Access Minute | \$0.0788 * | (I) |

17.1.2 Reserved for Future Use

* Subject to change upon PUC approval of the corresponding cost studies.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service

17.2.1 Nonrecurring Charges

	<u>Rate</u>
(A) <u>Local Transport Element - Installation Per Line or Trunk</u>	\$295.00
(B) <u>Reserved for Future Use</u>	
(C) <u>Interim NXX Translation Per Order</u>	\$181.00
Per LATA or Market Area	

17.2.2 Traffic Sensitive

Local Switching (End Office)

Per Access Minute	Originating	\$0.0223 *	(I)
Per Access Minute	Terminating	\$0.0274 *	(I)

Local Transport

Per Access Minute	\$0.0385 *	(I)
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Network Blocking Per Blocked Call

Applies to FGD only	\$0.0271
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8XX Data Base Query Service

Per Query	
Basic	\$0.0079
Vertical Feature	\$0.0082

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ATTACHMENT 2

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**LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS ASSOCIATION
INTRASTATE ACCESS RATE CALCULATION
BASED ON DATA PROVIDED BY LECA MEMBER COMPANIES
ACCESS RATES TO BECOME EFFECTIVE ON AUGUST 1, 2004
(Includes New Data For Companies Filing 2003 Cost Studies)**

ACCESS ELEMENT	BERESFORD MUNICIPAL TEL. CO.	BRIDGEWATER- CANISTOTA IND. TEL. CO.	BROOKINGS MUNICIPAL TELEPHONE	CHEYENNE RIVER SIOUX TRIBE TEL.	GOLDEN WEST TELECOM	INTERSTATE TELECOM. COOP. INC.	JAMES VALLEY	KENNEBEC TELEPHONE COMPANY	McCOOK COOP TEL. CO.
REVENUE REQUIREMENT									
Carrier Common Line	\$52,894	\$111,026	\$657,001	\$718,734	\$2,933,134	\$1,416,704	\$627,045	\$266,878	\$217,828
Local Switching	\$101,569	\$95,125	\$530,828	\$146,951	\$885,093	\$728,248	\$244,707	\$165,280	\$255,611
Transport	\$52,647	\$124,911	\$306,541	\$267,653	\$808,343	\$851,140	\$329,523	\$148,478	\$523,691
Total Revenue Req.	\$207,110	\$331,062	\$1,494,370	\$1,133,338	\$4,626,570	\$2,996,092	\$1,201,275	\$580,636	\$997,130
ORIGINATING ACCESS MINUTES									
Carrier Common Line	1,308,956	1,154,793	6,381,644	2,316,776	11,767,704	15,656,780	5,799,982	1,009,465	3,221,042
Local Switching	1,308,956	1,154,793	6,381,644	2,567,748	11,767,704	15,656,780	5,799,982	1,009,465	3,221,042
Transport	1,308,956	1,154,793	6,381,644	2,567,748	11,767,704	15,656,780	5,799,982	1,009,465	3,221,042
TERMINATING ACCESS MINUTES									
Carrier Common Line	1,605,511	1,866,121	12,202,358	3,562,392	13,585,539	13,994,605	4,421,959	1,284,580	2,927,514
Local Switching	1,605,511	1,866,121	12,202,358	3,312,348	13,585,539	13,994,605	4,421,959	1,284,580	2,927,514
Transport	1,605,511	1,866,121	12,202,358	3,312,348	13,585,539	13,994,605	4,421,959	1,284,580	2,927,514
TOTAL ACCESS MINUTES									
Carrier Common Line	2,914,467	3,020,914	18,584,002	5,879,168	25,353,243	29,651,385	10,221,941	2,294,045	6,148,556
Local Switching	2,914,467	3,020,914	18,584,002	5,880,096	25,353,243	29,651,385	10,221,941	2,294,045	6,148,556
Transport	2,914,467	3,020,914	18,584,002	5,880,096	25,353,243	29,651,385	10,221,941	2,294,045	6,148,556

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ACCESS ELEMENT	MIDSTATE COMM. INC.	RC COMM. & ROBERTS COUNTY	SANTEL COMM COOP.	SIOUX VALLEY TEL. CO.	SPLITROCK PROPERTIES INC.	ALLIANCE COMM. INC.	STOCKHOLM- STRANDBURG TEL. CO.	VENTURE COMM COOP.	TRI - COUNTY TELCOM	UNION TELEPHONE COMPANY
REVENUE REQUIREMENT										
Carrier Common Line	\$783,502	\$430,608	\$952,408	\$542,160	\$176,463	\$659,953	\$128,627	\$1,966,653	\$29,546	\$229,319
Local Switching	\$292,461	\$119,622	\$199,066	\$274,208	\$68,414	\$225,043	\$70,207	\$576,330	\$51,740	\$46,557
Transport	\$516,721	\$362,659	\$556,201	\$243,306	\$135,546	\$243,485	\$157,076	\$1,498,252	\$118,241	\$187,858
Total Revenue Req.	\$1,592,684	\$912,889	\$1,707,675	\$1,059,674	\$380,423	\$1,128,481	\$355,910	\$4,041,235	\$199,527	\$463,734
ORIGINATING ACCESS MINUTES										
Carrier Common Line	5,238,508	1,896,849	5,985,350	5,029,568	1,992,318	5,105,100	710,700	17,556,382	774,230	780,703
Local Switching	5,238,508	1,896,849	5,985,350	5,029,568	1,992,318	5,105,100	710,700	17,556,382	774,230	780,703
Transport	5,238,508	1,896,849	5,985,350	5,029,568	1,992,318	5,105,100	710,700	17,556,382	774,230	780,703
TERMINATING ACCESS MINUTES										
Carrier Common Line	4,783,403	2,061,766	6,101,907	3,813,520	867,192	2,920,172	613,542	13,495,594	238,812	1,524,233
Local Switching	4,783,403	2,061,766	6,101,907	3,813,520	867,192	2,920,172	613,542	13,495,594	238,812	1,524,233
Transport	4,783,403	2,061,766	6,101,907	3,813,520	867,192	2,920,172	613,542	13,495,594	238,812	1,524,233
TOTAL ACCESS MINUTES										
Carrier Common Line	10,021,911	3,958,615	12,087,257	8,843,088	2,859,510	8,025,272	1,324,242	31,051,976	1,013,042	2,304,936
Local Switching	10,021,911	3,958,615	12,087,257	8,843,088	2,859,510	8,025,272	1,324,242	31,051,976	1,013,042	2,304,936
Transport	10,021,911	3,958,615	12,087,257	8,843,088	2,859,510	8,025,272	1,324,242	31,051,976	1,013,042	2,304,936

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ACCESS ELEMENT	VALLEY TELECOM COOP.	VIVIAN TELEPHONE COMPANY	W. RIVER COOP. TEL. (Bison, SD)	W. RIVER TELECOM (Hazen, ND)	WESTERN TELEPHONE COMPANY	TOTAL FOR LECA COST COMPANIES
REVENUE REQUIREMENT						
Carrier Common Line	\$834,168	\$3,031,336	\$572,663	\$222,625	\$148,376	\$17,709,651
Local Switching	\$79,242	\$759,547	\$0	\$74,855	\$135,392	\$6,126,096
Transport	\$495,641	\$1,085,661	\$332,141	\$150,556	\$64,228	\$9,560,499
Total Revenue Req.	\$1,409,051	\$4,876,544	\$904,804	\$448,036	\$347,996	\$33,396,246
ORIGINATING ACCESS MINUTES						
Carrier Common Line	4,259,836	21,774,757	4,553,360	2,219,865	1,242,607	127,737,275
Local Switching	4,259,836	21,774,757	4,553,360	2,219,865	1,242,607	127,988,247
Transport	4,259,836	21,774,757	4,553,360	2,219,865	1,242,607	127,988,247
TERMINATING ACCESS MINUTES						
Carrier Common Line	3,334,494	16,981,183	2,677,369	3,920,197	1,404,676	120,188,639
Local Switching	3,334,494	16,981,183	2,677,369	3,920,197	1,404,676	119,938,595
Transport	3,334,494	16,981,183	2,677,369	3,920,197	1,404,676	119,938,595
TOTAL ACCESS MINUTES						
Carrier Common Line	7,594,330	38,755,940	7,230,729	6,140,062	2,647,283	247,925,914
Local Switching	7,594,330	38,755,940	7,230,729	6,140,062	2,647,283	247,926,842
Transport	7,594,330	38,755,940	7,230,729	6,140,062	2,647,283	247,926,842

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**DATA PERTAINING TO ALL COST COMPANIES IN
STATE WITH LESS THAN 100,000 ACCESS LINES:**

<u>REVENUE REQUIREMENT</u>	<u>LECA MEMBER COMPANIES</u>	<u>PRAIRIEWAVE (fka DAKOTA)</u>	<u>FT. RANDALL TEL. & MT. RUSHMORE TEL.</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>MINUTES</u>	<u>STATEWIDE AVERAGE ACCESS RATE</u>
CARRIER COMMON LINE	\$17,709,651	\$827,854	\$692,052	\$19,229,557	277,531,980	\$0.0693
LOCAL SWITCHING	\$6,126,096	\$1,274,262	\$271,668	\$7,672,026	277,532,908	\$0.0276
TRANSPORT	\$9,560,499	\$198,968	\$110,862	\$9,870,329	277,532,908	\$0.0356
TOTALS	\$33,396,246	\$2,301,084	\$1,074,582	\$36,771,912		\$0.1325

ACCESS MINUTES

CARRIER COMMON LINE	247,925,914	18,064,005	11,542,061	277,531,980
LOCAL SWITCHING	247,926,842	18,064,005	11,542,061	277,532,908
TRANSPORT	247,926,842	18,064,005	11,542,061	277,532,908

<u>EXEMPT LECA MEMBER COS.</u>	<u>INTRASTATE ACCESS MINUTES</u>			<u>REVENUE REQUIREMENTS BY ELEMENT</u>			
	<u>CARRIER COMMON LINE</u>	<u>LOCAL SWITCHING</u>	<u>TRANSPORT</u>	<u>CARRIER COMMON LINE</u>	<u>LOCAL SWITCHING</u>	<u>TRANSPORT</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
ARMOUR	1,876,424	1,876,424	1,876,424	\$130,036	\$51,789	\$66,801	\$248,626
FAITH MUNICIPAL	1,139,836	1,139,836	1,139,836	\$78,991	\$31,459	\$40,578	\$151,028
JEFFERSON	683,019	683,019	683,019	\$47,333	\$18,851	\$24,315	\$90,499
TOTAL	3,699,279	3,699,279	3,699,279	\$256,360	\$102,099	\$131,694	\$490,153

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REVENUE REQUIREMENT										
Carrier Common Line	\$130,036	\$52,894	\$111,026	\$657,001	\$718,734	\$78,991	\$2,933,134	\$1,416,704	\$627,045	\$47,333
Local Switching	\$51,789	\$101,569	\$95,125	\$530,828	\$146,951	\$31,459	\$885,093	\$728,248	\$244,707	\$18,851
Transport	\$66,801	\$52,647	\$124,911	\$306,541	\$267,653	\$40,578	\$808,343	\$851,140	\$329,523	\$24,315
Total Revenue Req.	\$248,626	\$207,110	\$331,062	\$1,494,370	\$1,133,338	\$151,028	\$4,626,570	\$2,996,092	\$1,201,275	\$90,499
ORIGINATING ACCESS MINUTES										
Carrier Common Line	797,681	1,308,956	1,154,793	6,381,644	2,316,776	420,649	11,767,704	15,656,780	5,799,982	302,162
Local Switching	797,681	1,308,956	1,154,793	6,381,644	2,567,748	420,649	11,767,704	15,656,780	5,799,982	370,287
Transport	797,681	1,308,956	1,154,793	6,381,644	2,567,748	420,649	11,767,704	15,656,780	5,799,982	370,287
TERMINATING ACCESS MINUTES										
Carrier Common Line	1,078,743	1,605,511	1,866,121	12,202,358	3,562,392	719,187	13,585,539	13,994,605	4,421,959	380,857
Local Switching	1,078,743	1,605,511	1,866,121	12,202,358	3,312,348	719,187	13,585,539	13,994,605	4,421,959	312,732
Transport	1,078,743	1,605,511	1,866,121	12,202,358	3,312,348	719,187	13,585,539	13,994,605	4,421,959	312,732
TOTAL ACCESS MINUTES										
Carrier Common Line	1,876,424	2,914,467	3,020,914	18,584,002	5,879,168	1,139,836	25,353,243	29,651,385	10,221,941	683,019
Local Switching	1,876,424	2,914,467	3,020,914	18,584,002	5,880,096	1,139,836	25,353,243	29,651,385	10,221,941	683,019
Transport	1,876,424	2,914,467	3,020,914	18,584,002	5,880,096	1,139,836	25,353,243	29,651,385	10,221,941	683,019

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REVENUE REQUIREMENT										
Carrier Common Line	\$266,878	\$217,828	\$783,502	\$430,608	\$952,408	\$542,160	\$176,463	\$659,953	\$128,627	\$1,966,653
Local Switching	\$165,280	\$255,611	\$292,461	\$119,622	\$199,066	\$274,208	\$68,414	\$225,043	\$70,207	\$576,330
Transport	\$148,478	\$523,691	\$516,721	\$362,659	\$556,201	\$243,306	\$135,546	\$243,485	\$157,076	\$1,498,252
Total Revenue Req.	\$580,636	\$997,130	\$1,592,684	\$912,889	\$1,707,675	\$1,059,674	\$380,423	\$1,128,481	\$355,910	\$4,041,235
ORIGINATING ACCESS MINUTES										
Carrier Common Line	1,009,465	3,221,042	5,238,508	1,896,849	5,985,350	5,029,568	1,992,318	5,105,100	710,700	17,556,382
Local Switching	1,009,465	3,221,042	5,238,508	1,896,849	5,985,350	5,029,568	1,992,318	5,105,100	710,700	17,556,382
Transport	1,009,465	3,221,042	5,238,508	1,896,849	5,985,350	5,029,568	1,992,318	5,105,100	710,700	17,556,382
TERMINATING ACCESS MINUTES										
Carrier Common Line	1,284,580	2,927,514	4,783,403	2,061,766	6,101,907	3,813,520	867,192	2,920,172	613,542	13,495,594
Local Switching	1,284,580	2,927,514	4,783,403	2,061,766	6,101,907	3,813,520	867,192	2,920,172	613,542	13,495,594
Transport	1,284,580	2,927,514	4,783,403	2,061,766	6,101,907	3,813,520	867,192	2,920,172	613,542	13,495,594
TOTAL ACCESS MINUTES										
Carrier Common Line	2,294,045	6,148,556	10,021,911	3,958,615	12,087,257	8,843,088	2,859,510	8,025,272	1,324,242	31,051,976
Local Switching	2,294,045	6,148,556	10,021,911	3,958,615	12,087,257	8,843,088	2,859,510	8,025,272	1,324,242	31,051,976
Transport	2,294,045	6,148,556	10,021,911	3,958,615	12,087,257	8,843,088	2,859,510	8,025,272	1,324,242	31,051,976

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ACCESS ELEMENT	TRI - COUNTY TELCOM	UNION TELEPHONE COMPANY	VALLEY TELECOM COOP.	VIVIAN TELEPHONE COMPANY	W. RIVER COOP. TEL. (Bison,SD)	W. RIVER TELECOM (Hazen, ND)	WESTERN TELEPHONE COMPANY	TOTAL FOR LECA COST COMPANIES
REVENUE REQUIREMENT								
Carrier Common Line	\$29,546	\$229,319	\$834,168	\$3,031,336	\$572,663	\$222,625	\$148,376	\$17,966,011
Local Switching	\$51,740	\$46,557	\$79,242	\$759,547	\$0	\$74,855	\$135,392	\$6,228,195
Transport	\$118,241	\$187,858	\$495,641	\$1,085,661	\$332,141	\$150,556	\$64,228	\$9,692,193
Total Revenue Req.	\$199,527	\$463,734	\$1,409,051	\$4,876,544	\$904,804	\$448,036	\$347,996	\$33,886,399
ORIGINATING ACCESS MINUTES								
Carrier Common Line	774,230	780,703	4,259,836	21,774,757	4,553,360	2,219,865	1,242,607	129,257,767
Local Switching	774,230	780,703	4,259,836	21,774,757	4,553,360	2,219,865	1,242,607	129,576,864
Transport	774,230	780,703	4,259,836	21,774,757	4,553,360	2,219,865	1,242,607	129,576,864
TERMINATING ACCESS MINUTES								
Carrier Common Line	238,812	1,524,233	3,334,494	16,981,183	2,677,369	3,920,197	1,404,676	122,367,426
Local Switching	238,812	1,524,233	3,334,494	16,981,183	2,677,369	3,920,197	1,404,676	122,049,257
Transport	238,812	1,524,233	3,334,494	16,981,183	2,677,369	3,920,197	1,404,676	122,049,257
TOTAL ACCESS MINUTES								
Carrier Common Line	1,013,042	2,304,936	7,594,330	38,755,940	7,230,729	6,140,062	2,647,283	251,625,193
Local Switching	1,013,042	2,304,936	7,594,330	38,755,940	7,230,729	6,140,062	2,647,283	251,626,121
Transport	1,013,042	2,304,936	7,594,330	38,755,940	7,230,729	6,140,062	2,647,283	251,626,121

As filed on June 2004

**LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS ASSOCIATION
INTRASTATE ACCESS RATE CALCULATION
BASED ON DATA PROVIDED BY LECA MEMBER COMPANIES
ACCESS RATES TO BECOME EFFECTIVE ON AUGUST 1, 2004
(Includes New Data For Companies Filing 2003 Cost Studies)**

ACCESS ELEMENT	TOTAL FOR ALL LECA MEMBERS	RATE PER ORIG. AND TERM. MIN.	PERCENT TO TOTAL	ORIGINATING ACCESS RATE	ORIGINATING ACCESS REVENUE	NET TERMINATING REV. REQ.	TERMINATING ACCESS RATE
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REVENUE REQUIREMENT

Carrier Common Line	\$17,966,011		74.2575%	\$0.0644	\$8,324,200	\$9,641,811	\$0.0788
Local Switching	\$6,228,195		<u>25.7425%</u>	\$0.0223	\$2,889,564	\$3,338,631	\$0.0274
Transport	<u>\$9,692,193</u>	\$0.0385					
Totals	\$33,886,399		100.0000%	\$0.0867			

ORIGINATING ACCESS MINUTES

Carrier Common Line	129,257,767
Local Switching	129,576,864
Transport	129,576,864

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TERMINATING ACCESS MINUTES

Carrier Common Line	122,367,426
Local Switching	122,049,257
Transport	122,049,257

CARRIER COMMON LINE	\$0.0644	\$0.0788
LOCAL SWITCHING	\$0.0223	\$0.0274
TRANSPORT	<u>\$0.0385</u>	<u>\$0.0385</u>
TOTAL	<u>\$0.1252</u>	<u>\$0.1447</u>

**LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS ASSOCIATION
MONTHLY SETTLEMENT STATEMENT COMPARISON**

ACCESS ELEMENT	ARMOUR INDEP. TELEPHONE	BERESFORD MUNICIPAL TEL. CO.	BRIDGEWATER- CANISTOTA IND. TEL. CO.	BROOKINGS MUNICIPAL TELEPHONE	CHEYENNE RIVER SIOUX TRIBE TEL.	FAITH MUNICIPAL TELEPHONE	GOLDEN WEST TELECOM	INTERSTATE TELECOM. COOP. INC.	JAMES VALLEY	JEFFERSON TELEPHONE COMPANY
ORIGINATING ACCESS REVENUE										
Carrier Common Line	\$51,371	\$84,297	\$74,369	\$410,978	\$149,200	\$27,090	\$757,840	\$1,008,297	\$373,519	\$19,459
Local Switching	\$17,788	\$29,190	\$25,752	\$142,311	\$57,261	\$9,380	\$262,420	\$349,146	\$129,340	\$8,257
Transport	\$30,711	\$50,395	\$44,460	\$245,693	\$98,858	\$16,195	\$453,057	\$602,786	\$223,299	\$14,256
Total Orig. Revenue	\$99,870	\$163,882	\$144,581	\$798,982	\$305,319	\$52,665	\$1,473,317	\$1,960,229	\$726,158	\$41,972
TERMINATING ACCESS REVENUE										
Carrier Common Line	\$85,005	\$126,514	\$147,050	\$961,546	\$280,716	\$56,672	\$1,070,540	\$1,102,775	\$348,450	\$30,012
Local Switching	\$29,558	\$43,991	\$51,132	\$334,345	\$90,758	\$19,706	\$372,244	\$383,452	\$121,162	\$8,569
Transport	\$41,532	\$61,812	\$71,846	\$469,791	\$127,525	\$27,689	\$523,043	\$538,792	\$170,245	\$12,040
Total Term. Revenue	\$156,095	\$232,317	\$270,028	\$1,765,682	\$498,999	\$104,067	\$1,965,827	\$2,025,019	\$639,857	\$50,621
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUE										
Carrier Common Line	\$136,376	\$210,811	\$221,419	\$1,372,524	\$429,916	\$83,762	\$1,828,380	\$2,111,072	\$721,969	\$49,471
Local Switching	\$47,346	\$73,181	\$76,884	\$476,656	\$148,019	\$29,086	\$634,664	\$732,598	\$250,502	\$16,826
Transport	\$72,243	\$112,207	\$116,306	\$715,484	\$226,383	\$43,884	\$976,100	\$1,141,578	\$393,544	\$26,296
Total Annual Access Revenue	\$255,965	\$396,199	\$414,609	\$2,564,664	\$804,318	\$156,732	\$3,439,144	\$3,985,248	\$1,366,015	\$92,593
	<i>21,330</i>	<i>33,017</i>	<i>34,551</i>	<i>213,722</i>	<i>67,027</i>	<i>13,061</i>	<i>286,595</i>	<i>332,104</i>	<i>113,835</i>	<i>7,716</i>
Annual Revenue Requirement	\$248,626	\$207,110	\$331,062	\$1,494,370	\$1,133,338	\$151,028	\$4,626,570	\$2,996,092	\$1,201,275	\$90,499
	<i>20,719</i>	<i>17,259</i>	<i>27,589</i>	<i>124,531</i>	<i>94,445</i>	<i>12,586</i>	<i>385,548</i>	<i>249,674</i>	<i>100,106</i>	<i>7,542</i>
Excess/(Deficiency)	\$7,339	\$189,089	\$83,547	\$1,070,294	(\$329,020)	\$5,704	(\$1,187,426)	\$989,156	\$164,740	\$2,094
Proposed Mo. Stmt.	\$612	\$15,757	\$6,962	\$89,191	(\$27,418)	\$475	(\$98,952)	\$82,430	\$13,728	\$175
Present Mo. Stmt.	(\$66)	\$10,609	\$10,288	\$112,611	(\$34,633)	\$91	(\$61,530)	\$30,046	\$9,330	\$84
Increase/(Decrease)	(\$678)	\$5,148	(\$3,326)	(\$23,420)	(\$7,215)	\$384	\$37,422	\$52,384	\$4,398	\$91

**LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS ASSOCIATION
MONTHLY SETTLEMENT STATEMENT COMPARISON**

ACCESS ELEMENT	KENNEBEC TELEPHONE COMPANY	McCOOK COOP TEL. CO.	MIDSTATE COMM. INC.	RC COMM. & ROBERTS COUNTY	SANTEL COMM COOP.	SIOUX VALLEY TEL. CO.	SPLITROCK PROPERTIES INC.	ALLIANCE COMM. INC.	STOCKHOLM- STRANDBURG TEL. CO.	VENTURE COMM COOP.
ORIGINATING ACCESS REVENUE										
Carrier Common Line	\$65,010	\$207,435	\$337,360	\$122,157	\$385,457	\$323,904	\$128,305	\$328,768	\$45,769	\$1,130,631
Local Switching	\$22,511	\$71,829	\$116,819	\$42,300	\$133,473	\$112,159	\$44,429	\$113,844	\$15,849	\$391,507
Transport	\$38,864	\$124,010	\$201,683	\$73,029	\$230,436	\$193,638	\$76,704	\$196,546	\$27,362	\$675,921
Total Orig. Revenue	\$126,385	\$403,274	\$655,862	\$237,486	\$749,366	\$629,701	\$249,438	\$639,158	\$88,980	\$2,198,059
TERMINATING ACCESS REVENUE										
Carrier Common Line	\$101,225	\$230,688	\$376,932	\$162,467	\$480,830	\$300,505	\$68,335	\$230,110	\$48,347	\$1,063,453
Local Switching	\$35,197	\$80,214	\$131,065	\$56,492	\$167,192	\$104,490	\$23,761	\$80,013	\$16,811	\$369,779
Transport	\$49,456	\$112,709	\$184,161	\$79,378	\$234,923	\$146,821	\$33,387	\$112,427	\$23,621	\$519,580
Total Term. Revenue	\$185,878	\$423,611	\$692,158	\$298,337	\$882,945	\$551,816	\$125,483	\$422,550	\$88,779	\$1,952,812
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUE										
Carrier Common Line	\$166,235	\$438,123	\$714,292	\$284,624	\$866,287	\$624,409	\$196,640	\$558,878	\$94,116	\$2,194,084
Local Switching	\$57,708	\$152,043	\$247,884	\$98,792	\$300,665	\$216,649	\$68,190	\$193,857	\$32,660	\$761,286
Transport	\$88,320	\$236,719	\$385,844	\$152,407	\$465,359	\$340,459	\$110,091	\$308,973	\$50,983	\$1,195,501
Total Annual Access Revenue	\$312,263	\$826,885	\$1,348,020	\$535,823	\$1,632,311	\$1,181,517	\$374,921	\$1,061,708	\$177,759	\$4,150,871
	26,022	68,907	112,335	44,652	136,026	98,460	31,243	88,476	14,813	345,906
Annual Revenue Requirement	\$580,636	\$997,130	\$1,592,684	\$912,889	\$1,707,675	\$1,059,674	\$380,423	\$1,128,481	\$355,910	\$4,041,235
	48,386	83,094	132,724	76,074	142,306	88,306	31,702	94,040	29,659	336,770
Excess/(Deficiency)	(\$268,373)	(\$170,245)	(\$244,664)	(\$377,066)	(\$75,364)	\$121,843	(\$5,502)	(\$66,773)	(\$178,151)	\$109,636
Proposed Mo. Stmt.	(\$22,364)	(\$14,187)	(\$20,389)	(\$31,422)	(\$6,280)	\$10,154	(\$459)	(\$5,564)	(\$14,846)	\$9,136
Present Mo. Stmt.	(\$18,242)	(\$25,049)	(\$38,094)	(\$38,416)	(\$25,353)	\$51,693	\$3,586	\$22,957	(\$8,248)	(\$22,535)
Increase/(Decrease)	\$4,122	(\$10,862)	(\$17,705)	(\$6,994)	(\$19,073)	(\$41,539)	(\$4,045)	(\$28,521)	\$6,598	(\$31,671)

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MONTHLY SETTLEMENT STATEMENT COMPARISON**

ACCESS ELEMENT	TRI - COUNTY TELCOM	UNION TELEPHONE COMPANY	VALLEY TELECOM COOP.	VIVIAN TELEPHONE COMPANY	W. RIVER COOP. TEL. (Bison, SD)	W. RIVER TELECOM (Hazen, ND)	WESTERN TELEPHONE COMPANY	TOTAL FOR LECA COST COMPANIES
ORIGINATING ACCESS REVENUE								
Carrier Common Line	\$49,860	\$50,277	\$274,333	\$1,402,294	\$293,236	\$142,959	\$80,024	\$8,324,199
Local Switching	\$17,265	\$17,410	\$94,994	\$485,577	\$101,540	\$49,503	\$27,710	\$2,889,564
Transport	\$29,808	\$30,057	\$164,004	\$838,328	\$175,304	\$85,465	\$47,840	\$4,988,709
Total Orig. Revenue	\$96,933	\$97,744	\$533,331	\$2,726,199	\$570,080	\$277,927	\$155,574	\$16,202,472
TERMINATING ACCESS REVENUE								
Carrier Common Line	\$18,818	\$120,110	\$262,758	\$1,338,117	\$210,977	\$308,912	\$110,688	\$9,642,552
Local Switching	\$6,543	\$41,764	\$91,365	\$465,284	\$73,360	\$107,413	\$38,488	\$3,344,148
Transport	\$9,194	\$58,683	\$128,378	\$653,776	\$103,079	\$150,928	\$54,080	\$4,698,896
Total Term. Revenue	\$34,555	\$220,557	\$482,501	\$2,457,177	\$387,416	\$567,253	\$203,256	\$17,685,596
TOTAL ACCESS REVENUE								
Carrier Common Line	\$68,678	\$170,387	\$537,091	\$2,740,411	\$504,213	\$451,871	\$190,712	\$17,966,751
Local Switching	\$23,808	\$59,174	\$186,359	\$950,861	\$174,900	\$156,916	\$66,198	\$6,233,712
Transport	\$39,002	\$88,740	\$292,382	\$1,492,104	\$278,383	\$236,393	\$101,920	\$9,687,605
Total Annual Access Revenue	\$131,488 10,957	\$318,301 26,525	\$1,015,832 84,653	\$5,183,376 431,948	\$957,496 79,791	\$845,180 70,432	\$358,830 29,903	\$33,888,068 2,824,006
Annual Revenue Requirement	\$199,527 16,627	\$463,734 38,645	\$1,409,051 117,421	\$4,876,544 406,379	\$904,804 75,400	\$448,036 37,336	\$347,996 29,000	\$33,886,399 2,823,868
Excess/(Deficiency)	(\$68,039)	(\$145,433)	(\$393,219)	\$306,832	\$52,692	\$397,144	\$10,834	\$1,669
Proposed Mo. Sttmt.	(\$5,670)	(\$12,119)	(\$32,768)	\$25,569	\$4,391	\$33,095	\$903	\$140
Present Mo. Sttmt.	(\$7,460)	(\$5,296)	(\$36,682)	\$76,705	(\$8,383)	\$7,087	(\$3,774)	\$1,326
Increase/(Decrease)	(\$1,790)	\$6,823	(\$3,914)	(\$51,136)	(\$12,774)	\$26,008	(\$4,677)	