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Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen Executive Director South Dakota Public Utilities Commission State Capitol Building 500 East Capitol Avenue Pierre, SD 57501-5070

Re: Docket No. TC09-050 - Midstate Telecom, Inc.

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced Docket is a letter to Mr. Jon Thurber of the Commission Staff containing additional information required by Mr. Thurber to complete his review of the original filings. Please note that the letter to Mr. Thurber and the accompanying exhibits are marked as "Confidential." Please treat these documents accordingly. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at your convenience at (605) 335-4950. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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