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Patricia Van Gerpen South Dakota Public Utilities Commission 500 East Capitol Avenue Pierre, SD 57501

> Re: In The Matter of the Petition of Cellco Partnership and its Subsidiaries and Affiliates To Amend and Consolidate Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Designations in the State of South Dakota and to Partially Relinquish ETC Designation (TC10-090)

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen,

South Dakota Telecommunications Association (SDTA) and Golden West Telecommunications Cooperative, Inc. (Golden West) do not intend to file Pre-filed Testimony in this matter or call any witnesses at the hearing. However, it is our intent to participate fully in all other aspects of the docket including the hearing.

Very truly,

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