## BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF NATIVE AMERICAN TELECOM, LLC FOR A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE WITHIN THE STUDY AREA OF MIDSTATE COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Docket No. TC11-087

# NATIVE AMERICAN TELECOM, LLC'S NOTICE OF CHANGE IN CORPORATE STRUCTURE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT pursuant to the laws of the Crow Creek Sioux Tribe, Native American Telecom, LLC ("NAT") has recently merged into a tribally-chartered Limited Liability Corporation – Crow Creek Telecom, LLC – which is majority-owned and controlled by the Crow Creek Sioux Tribe, and is an arm of the Crow Creek Sioux Tribe. As a result of this merger, all of the rights and assets of NAT, including any rights formerly held by NAT in these proceedings, are now held by Crow Creek Telecom, LLC.

As an arm of the Crow Creek Sioux Tribe, Crow Creek Telecom LLC is bestowed with all of the rights, privileges and immunities of the Crow Creek Sioux Tribe, including tribal sovereign immunity from civil and regulatory proceedings, including this proceeding.

## Dated this 23rd day of August, 2013.

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of *NATIVE AMERICAN TELECOM, LLC'S NOTICE OF CHANGE IN CORPORATE STRUCTURE*was delivered *via electronic mail* on this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2013, to the following parties:

Service List (SDPUC TC 11-087)

/s/ Scott R. Swier
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