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

Re:

In the Matter of the Petition of Midstate Telecom for Approval of Cost Based

Switched Access Rates and For a Phase-In (Docket No. TC12-133)

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Please find attached for filing, in the above-referenced docket, a Response to Motion to Dismiss and Request for a Waiver of ARSD 20:10:27:14 and revised tariff pages for Midstate Telecom.

If you have any questions, please contact me

Very truly,

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DPR-aee Enclosures

Cc: Client