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

Amendment to Reciprocal Transport and Termination Agreement between Western Re: **Telephone Company and Verizon Wireless**

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Enclosed for filing for approval by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 251/252 is the ICC Bill and Keep Amendment to the Reciprocal Transport and Termination Agreement between Western Telephone Company and Verizon Wireless.

Contact information for Verizon Wireless is as follows:

Lance D. Murphy Member Technical Staff-Network Interconnection Verizon Wireless 24242 Northwestern Hwy Southfield, MI 48075

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns. Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

RITER, ROGERS, WATTIER & NORTHRUP, LLC

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