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September 30, 2013

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen
Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
Capitol Building – 1st floor
500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-5070

Re: Section 54.313 and 54.422 Annual Reports for 2013

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Attached is the public redacted version of the annual reports by Citizens Telecommunications Company of Minnesota, LLC (CTC MN), filed with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) on September 27, 2013, in compliance with 47 CFR § 54.313 and 47 CFR § 54.422. Section 54.313 applies to an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC) receiving high-cost federal USF support. Section 54.422 applies to ETCs receiving low-income support. Both sections require the ETC to file the annual report with the FCC, the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC), and its relevant state commission. This year the FCC extended the filing due date from July 1 to October 15.¹

There is only one page that has been redacted to remove confidential information. That is the page titled "(200) Service Outage Reporting (Voice) Data Collection Form." The confidential version of that page is being provided as a separate document.

A portion of CTC MN's Jasper, Minnesota exchange extends into South Dakota and serves 62 access lines in South Dakota.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 952-435-1356.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stephen H. Hegdal".

Stephen H. Hegdal
Manager – Compliance and Reporting

Attachments

cc: Scott Bohler, Frontier

¹ See Public Notice DA 13-1707, released August 6, 2013. "Wireline Competition Bureau Announces Filing Deadline of October 15, 2013 for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers to File High-Cost and Low-Income Annual Reports, and Announces Filing Deadline of December 16, 2013 for States and ETCs to File Annual Use Certifications."