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October 14, 2013

Ms. Patty Van Gerpen, Executive Director South Dakota Public Utilities Commission 500 East Capitol Ave. State Capitol Building Pierre, SD 57501

RE: Docket TC13-077 (In the Matter of the Request of Midstate Communications, Inc. for Certification Regarding Its Use of Federal Universal Service Support)

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Enclosed for filing in the above referenced Docket is a copy of Midstate Communications, Inc. "Form 481 Report" which has been filed with USAC and will be filed with the FCC post-government shut down, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.313. This copy is supplied to the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission in accord with the provisions of 47 C.F.R. § 54.313(i), specifically, and should be considered and treated as a replacement to Exhibit C to Midstate Communications, Inc. "Annual ETC Certification" request filed earlier in this Docket.

Please note that some of the information included in the completed Form 481 Report is confidential and proprietary. The confidential information has been redacted from the Form 481 Report and is being filed simultaneously but separately as a confidential filing, not available to the public.

Sincerely,

Marlene Bennett

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