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Via E-Filing

Patricia Van Gerpen, Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
Capital Building, 1st Floor
500 East Capital Avenue
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-5070

**Re: Docket No. TC14-082 - Talk America Services, LLC Application for
Certificate of Authority to Provide Resold Local Exchange and Interexchange
Telecommunications Services in the State of South Dakota**

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Pursuant to correspondence from staff dated November 6, 2014 and in support of its Application for a Certificate of Authority ("Certificate") to Provide Resold Local Exchange and Interexchange Telecommunications Services, Talk America Services, LLC ("TAS" or "Applicant") provides the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission ("Commission") with the following supplemental information:

3-1) Will the company be requiring any prepayments or deposits of its retail customers? If yes, is the company willing to provide \$25,000 surety bond?

RESPONSE: No. The company does not intend to require prepayments or deposits from its customers in South Dakota.

A copy of this filing has been submitted electronically. Please date-stamp the enclosed extra copy and return it in the envelope provided. Should you have any questions concerning this filing, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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