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Via E-Filing

June 23, 2014

Ms. Patty Van Gerpen, Executive Secretary
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
State Capitol Building, 1st Floor
500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, South Dakota 57501

**RE: Midcontinent Communications Tariff "Switched Access Services Within
The State Of South Dakota"**

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Enclosed for submission to the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission are the following revised tariff pages for incorporation into Midcontinent Communications' ("Midcontinent") Tariff "Switched Access Services Within The State Of South Dakota:"

3rd Revised Page 3

2nd Revised Page 44.1

In this filing, Midcontinent complies with the July 1, 2014 step down requirement set forth by the Federal Communications Commission's ("FCC") rule 47 C.F.R. § 51.911(c), Access reciprocal compensation rates for competitive LECs, promulgated under the FCC USF/ICC Transformation Order in WC Docket Nos. 10-90, etc., FCC No. 11-161 (released on November 18, 2011). To comply with this FCC rule, Midcontinent now reduces its terminating intrastate end office switched access rates to the levels of the corresponding dominant incumbent local exchange carrier's (CenturyLink Qwest's) rates. The overall impact of this tariff filing is a reduction in Midcontinent's composite terminating intrastate switched access rate in South Dakota.

The filing date of this tariff is June 23, 2014, with an effective date of July 1, 2014.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures:

Revised Tariff Pages

Rate Comparison Table