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

Re: In the Matter of CenturyLink QC's Request for Certification regarding
its Use of Federal Universal Service Support
Docket No. TC16-039

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Attached for filing in the above-referenced matter, please find CenturyLink QC's Response to Staff's First Data Request, Nos. 1-1 to 1-8, and its Request for Confidential Treatment of Information for Confidential Supplemental Attachment A and Confidential Supplemental Attachment B.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jason D. Topp", written in a cursive style.

Jason D. Topp

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Attachment

cc: Service List (via e-mail)