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Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen
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RE: NextGen Communications, Inc.

File: 2018 Info TC129

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

On August 16, 2018 NextGen Communications, Inc. (herein "NextGen") sent a proposed Adoption Agreement for interconnection to Valley Telecommunications Coop Assoc. (here in "Valley"). On August 23, 2018 the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission accepted a copy as an Informational Filing. On August 29, 2018 Valley filed objections regarding NextGen's August 16, 2018 proposed Adoption Agreement.

Since that time, NextGen engaged in communication with Valley and the parties have agreed upon an alternative procedure to handle the issue of interconnection. Without waiving any response and without prejudice, at this time NextGen withdraws the August 16, 2018 request to Valley.

Sincerely,

MAY, ADAM, GERDES & THOMPSON LLP

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