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May 14, 2018

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen  
SD Public Utilities Commission  
500 E. Capitol Ave.  
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Re: TC18-002 - In the Matter of the Complaint of Interstate Telecommunications Cooperative, Inc. and West River Cooperative Telephone Company Against MCI Communications Services, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Business Services Regarding Failing to Pay Intrastate Access Charges at the Rates Approved By the Commission

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

The parties have reached a tentative resolution of this matter and anticipate filing a Stipulation of Dismissal in the very near future. Accordingly, the parties have agreed to postpone indefinitely the deadline of May 15, 2018 for defendant MCI Communications Services, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Business Services ("Verizon") to answer the Complaint in this proceeding.

If you would like to discuss this matter please feel free to contact me.

Very truly yours,

RITER, ROGERS, WATTIER &  
NORTHROP, LLP

By:

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Margo D Northrup'. The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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