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

Re: In the Matter of Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC's Request for Certification regarding its Use of Federal Universal Service Support Docket No. TC23-_____

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Enclosed for filing are the following regarding the above-referenced matter:

1. Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC's 2023 Annual ETC Certification Filing;
2. Affidavit of Kenneth W. Buchan; and
3. Request for Confidential Treatment of Information.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Jason D. Topp'.

Jason D. Topp

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Enclosures

cc: Service List (via e-mail)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 29th day of June, 2023, the foregoing Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC's 2023 Annual ETC Certification Filing, Affidavit of Kenneth W. Buchan and Request for Confidential Treatment of Information was E-Filed upon the following party:

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and copies sent electronically or via U.S. mail, addressed to the following:



Dianne Barthel