BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY MCLEODUSA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF REVISIONS TO ITS ACCESS TARIFF

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF
REVISIONS IN PART AND
DENYING TARIFF
REVISIONS IN PART
TC05-020

On February 11, 2005, the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received a filing from McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc. (McLeodUSA) for approval of revisions to its Access Tariff No. 1. McLeodUSA filed for textual changes to the Application, the Definition and the Regulations Sections of its Access Tariff No. 1.

On February 17, 2005, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the filing and the intervention deadline of March 4, 2005, to interested individuals and entities. No parties sought intervention.

The following tariff sheets were filed with regard to the Access Tariff No. 1:

Check Sheet, Second Revised Page 1, Cancelling First Page 1

Preface, First Revised Page 4, Cancelling Original Page 4

Section 1, First Revised Page 2, Cancelling Original Page 2

Section 2, First Revised Page 1, Cancelling Original Page 1

Section 2, Original Page 17

At its regularly scheduled meeting of May 10, 2005, the Commission considered this matter.

The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapter 49-31. The Commission unanimously voted to approve the above revisions to the Access Tariff No. 1, except the second sentence of Section 2.6.2(G) of Section 2, Original Page 17, which is denied. It is therefore

ORDERED, that the Commission approves the above referenced revisions to the Access Tariff No. 1, except the second sentence of Section 2.6.2(G) of Section 2, Original Page 17, which is denied.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this _______ day of May, 2005.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that this document has been served today upon all parties of record in this docket, as listed on the docket service list, by facsimile or by first class mail, in properly addressed envelopes, with charges prepaid thereon.

By: Nellaine Ko

Date:

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BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

GARY HANSON, Chairman

ROBERT K. SAHR, Commissioner

ROBERT N. SARR, Commissioner

DUSTIN M. JOHNSON Commissioner DE