

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY)	ORDER APPROVING
MIDCONTINENT COMMUNICATIONS FOR)	SWITCHED ACCESS RATES
APPROVAL OF ITS INTRASTATE SWITCHED)	AND GRANTING
ACCESS TARIFF AND FOR AN EXTENSION)	EXTENSION FROM
OF AN EXEMPTION FROM DEVELOPING)	DEVELOPING COMPANY
COMPANY SPECIFIC COST-BASED)	SPECIFIC COST-BASED
SWITCHED ACCESS RATES)	SWITCHED ACCESS RATES
)	TC05-185

On December 20, 2005, the Commission considered Midcontinent's request for approval of revised switched access rates, for an extension of its exemption from establishing switched access rates based on company specific costs, and for a waiver of ARSD 20:10:27:12. The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL 49-31-18, 49-31-19 and ARSD 20:10:27. The Commission voted to grant the request for approval of revised switched access rates, for an extension of its exemption from the requirement to develop intrastate switched access rates based on company specific costs and for a waiver of ARSD 20:10:27:12. It is therefore

ORDERED, that Midcontinent's request for a waiver of ARSD 20:10:27:12 is hereby approved; and it is further

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 28th day of December, 2005.

Dustin M. Johnson
DUSTIN M. JOHNSON, Commissioner