

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY LOCAL)
EXCHANGE CARRIER ASSOCIATION, INC. FOR)
APPROVAL OF REVISIONS TO ITS ACCESS)
SERVICES TARIFF NO. 1)**

**ORDER GRANTING
INTERVENTION**

TC12-040

On May 18, 2012, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received a filing from Local Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (LECA) for approval of revisions to its Access Services Tariff No. 1. The purpose of this filing is to implement the Federal Communication Commission's Intercarrier Compensation Reform Order (November 18, 2011). On May 24, 2012, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the request and the intervention deadline of June 8, 2012, to interested individuals and entities. On May 30, 2012, AT&T Communications of the Midwest, Inc. (AT&T) filed its Petition to Intervene.

The Commission has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapters 1-26 and 49-31 and ARSD 20:10:01:15.05.

At a regularly scheduled meeting of June 5, 2012, LECA stated it did not object to granting AT&T's Petition to Intervene. The Commission found that AT&T's Petition to Intervene demonstrated good cause to grant intervention and voted unanimously to grant intervention to AT&T. It is therefore

ORDERED, that AT&T's Petition to Intervene is hereby granted.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 14th day of June, 2012.

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, electronically.

By: Joy Chung

Date: 6.14.12

(OFFICIAL SEAL)

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Chris Nelson
CHRIS NELSON, Chairman

Kristie Fiegen
KRISTIE FIEGEN, Commissioner

Gary Hanson
GARY HANSON, Commissioner