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Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen, Executive Director South Dakota Public Utilities Commission State Capitol Building 500 East Capitol Avenue Pierre, SD 57501-5070

Re: ETC Certification – Splitrock Properties, Inc.

Our File No. 280.01

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Enclosed for filing is the Annual ETC Certification of Splitrock Properties, Inc., together with Exhibits A, B, and C. Please note that Exhibits A and B are marked as "Confidential." Please treat them accordingly.

Also enclosed for filing is the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission Lifeline/Link up Advertising/Outreach Annual Report June 1, 2011.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at your convenience at (605) 335-4950. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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For the Firm

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