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VIA E-DOCKET

Ms. Patty VanGerpen
Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501-5070
(605) 773-3201

Re: 1 800 Collect, Inc.

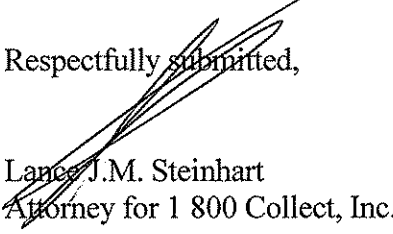
Dear Ms. VanGerpen:

Enclosed please find 1 800 Collect, Inc.'s Application for a Certificate of Authority to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications Services in South Dakota.

The application fee of \$250.00 and confidential Exhibit C are being sent directly to the commission under separate cover.

If you have any questions or if I may provide you with any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,


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Enclosures
cc: Maritza Morales