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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

SOUTH DAKOTA COMMISSION OF THE LOCAL TELEPHONE REGULATIONS

Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received local telephone exchanges from Kite Parent LLC, ("WOWI"), on behalf of itself and its subsidiary of the Black Hills, LLC; Knology South Dakota, Inc.; and Black Hills Fiber Systems, ("Clarity") and Clarity Telecom, LLC ("Clarity"). The changes and includes the following communities: Black Hawk, Box Elder, Canton, Deadwood, Elk Point, Flandreau, Lennox, Madison, Monroe, North Sioux, Spearfish, St. Onge, Sturgis, Summerset, Whitewood, Worthing, and Yankton. Public interest for the following reasons: 1) additional functions were completed out of expansion of the networks located in order to upgrade the network infrastructure; 2) telephone services offered in the telephone will continue to provide enhanced 911; 5) of South Dakota resulting solely from this; 6) Clarity is committed to providing services; and 7) and there will be no discontinuation of services presently offered.

Written comments to the Commission number of the public may petition for intervention the procedure set forth in ARSD available at 10:01:15.02 or which may be obtained intervention must be received by the notice. If sufficient public interest is shown may schedule a public hearing on decision on the application in accordance

of the application and other non-confidential information South Dakota Public Utilities Commission, 500 East 2nd Street, Pierre, SD 57501-1782 or (605) 773-3201; fax 1-866-773-3201. Also available on the Commission's website at www.sdpublicutilities.com or www.sdpublicutilities.com/ARSD14-073.aspx.

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Robert Evans being first duly sworn, upon his/her oath says: That he/she is now and was at all time hereinafter mentioned, an employee of the Rapid City Journal, a corporation of Rapid City, South Dakota, the owner and publisher of the BUTTE COUNTY POST, a legal and daily newspaper printed and published in Belle Fourche, in said County of Butte, and has full and personal knowledge of all the facts herein stated as follows: that said newspaper is and at all of the times herein mentioned has been a legal and daily newspaper with a bonafide paid circulation of at least Two Hundred copies weekly, and has been printed and published in the English language, at and within an office maintained by the owner and publisher thereof, at Belle Fourche, in said Butte County, and has been admitted to the United States mail under the second class mailing privilege for at least one year prior to the publication herein mentioned; that the advertisement, a printed copy of which, taken from said Butte County Post, the paper in which the same was published, is attached to this sheet and made a part of this affidavit, was published in said paper once each day for one successive day, the first publication there of being on the thirtieth day of July that the fees charged for the publication there of are one hundred eighty six dollars and seventy five cents.

Robert J. Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this thirtieth day of July, 2014.

Kerri Berard
Notary public

KERRI BERARD
NOTARY PUBLIC
MY COMM. EXP. AUGUST 21, 2019

My commission expires

