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Via Electronic Filing

Executive Secretary
SD Public Utilities Commission
Capitol Building, 1st floor
500 E. Capitol Ave.
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

RE: Request of NovaTel Ltd., Inc. to Cancel Certificate of Authority
Docket No. TC08-087

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

By this letter, NovaTel Ltd., Inc., ("NovaTel") respectfully requests cancellation of their Certificate of Authority granted in Docket No. TC08-087 in 2008.

NovaTel's customer base was previously acquired by X5 OpCo LLC and the companies collectively notified the Commission of this asset transfer on November 20, 2015. As a result, NovaTel now has no customers in South Dakota or elsewhere and plans to close the business at this time. Upon speaking with Commission staff, we were informed that a final letter requesting the cancellation of NovaTel's Certificate of Authority would be required. By this letter, NovaTel respectfully requests cancellation of their interexchange Certificate of Authority.

If you have questions or if you require additional information, I can be reached by telephone at 405-755-8177 ext. 103 or by email at mdean@telecompliance.net.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Matt W. Dean

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