

**EXHIBIT A**  
**SECRETARY OF STATE CERTIFICATE**

# State of South Dakota



## OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

### Certificate of Fact

ORGANIZATIONAL ID #: GP000101

I, **Shantel Krebs**, Secretary of State of the State of South Dakota, do hereby certify that **Midcontinent Communications** was filed with our office on **October 27, 2016** and is still on the active list and has not filed for dissolution with our office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, at Pierre, the Capital, this January 3, 2017.



*Shantel Krebs*

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Secretary of State