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Patricia Van Gerpen Executive Director SD Public Utilities Commission 500 E. Capitol Ave. Pierre, SD 57501

RE: TC17-063 - In the Matter of the Petition for a Declaratory Ruling by Department of Public Safety/911 Coordination Board regarding Determining Responsibility for Rural Carrier Interconnection to the Next Generation 9-1-1 System

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen,

The Public Utilities Commission Staff has been in contact with the parties regarding scheduling in the above captioned matter. The Parties have requested that this matter not be scheduled for a Commission decision until the April 20, 2018 Commission meeting to allow the Parties time to engage in further discussions and work to reach a resolution on the matter. Staff agrees with the proposed schedule and all other parties have indicated their agreement to including this matter on the agenda for the April 20, 2018 Commission meeting.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Respectfully,

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