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Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen Executive Director South Dakota Public Utilities Commission 500 East Capitol Avenue Pierre, SD 57501-5070

Re: In the Matter of the Request of James Valley Cooperative Telephone Company for Certification Regarding Its Use of Federal Universal Service Support

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Attached, for electronic filing for James Valley Cooperative Telephone Company's Annual ETC Certification, are the following:

- 1. Annual ETC Certification;
- 2. Exhibit A | Progress Report *Confidential*;
- 3. Exhibit B | Two-Year Plan *Confidential*;
- 4. Exhibit C | Certifications;
- 5. Exhibit D | Affidavit; and
- 6. Lifeline/Linkup and Advertising.

If you have any questions, please contact me. Thank you.

Sincerely,

James M. Cremer JAMES M. CREMER

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Enclosures

cc: James Groft via email w/enc.