## APPLICATION OF LCRHUB INC TO PROVIDE COMPETITIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE IN SOUTH DAKOTA

LCRHUB Inc
 First Ave Southwest Suite A
 Watertown SD 57201
 Patrick Hardy – Manager
 Phone – 214-908-8088
 info@lcrhub.com

- 2. LCRHUB is a domestic South Dakota Corporation.
- 3. LCRHUB Inc will provide service within the State of South Dakota as LCRHUB
- 4. LCRHUB Inc's offices are located as listed below:

Corporate Office 25 First Ave SW Suite A Watertown SD 57201

Registered Agent Northwest Registered Agent 25 First Ave SW Suite A Watertown SD 57201

- 5. A copy of the Articles of Organization are attached as Exhibit A
- 6. Please see attached resume from manager Patrick Hardy as Exhibit B
- 7. LCRHUB Inc will provide facilities based local telecommunications services including wholesale telecommunications services to other carriers and retail telecommunications services serving both residential and business customers within the CenturyLink footprint in South Dakota using a combination of its own facilities and those of the incumbent provider.
- 8. LCRHUB Inc seeks to provide service throughout the entire State of South Dakota.
- 9. Please see attached resume of Patrick Hardy, manager of LCRHUB Inc for technical competence to provide local telecommunications service. Exhibit B

- 10. LCRHUB Inc is a facilities-based carrier and will purchase the 911, directory assistance, and telecom relay service through its agreement with the ILEC in the service area. LCRHUB Inc is an Interexchange Carrier and will offer customers service through its network or will let the customers choose their long distance provider.
- 11. LCRHUB Inc is a privately held company and requests that the Commission allow for confidential treatment of the financial statements. The statements will be filed as a separate confidential exhibit into the docket.
- 12. LCRHUB Inc intends to interconnect with the non rural ILEC in South Dakota, CenturyLink. LCRHUB Inc has interconnection agreements in other states with CenturyLink and will enter into an agreement for South Dakota upon approval as a CLEC in the state. Since an interconnection agreement already exist negotiations will be quick and service will be offered within 60 days of being approved.
- 13. LCRHUB Inc offers both residential and business services, but the core service is small to medium business and wholesale. LCRHUB typically advertises in industry specific magazines and online.
- 14. LCRHUB does not intend to offer service in rural markets.
- 15. LCRHUB Inc is not registered in any other state.
- 16. The primary contact for LCRHUB Inc concerning this application is as follows.

LCRHUB Inc
25 First Ave Southwest Suite A
Watertown SD 57201
214-908-8088
Patrick Hardy – Manager
info@lcrhub.com

- 17. LCRHUB Inc bills customers monthly as is not a prepaid local exchange carrier. All customers are billed post paid on a monthly billing cycle. Bills are mailed or emailed to customers.
- 18. LCRHUB Inc does not use agents nor does the company have sales reps. Advertising is done to specific industries and in specific publications targeted to LCRHUB's customer base.

- 19. LCRHUB or its affiliates have not had any complaints regarding unauthorized switching of telecommunications services.
- 20. LCRHUB will notify customers of any changes in terms or rates via an insert in the customer bill and through email notification at least 30 days prior to any changes.

LCRHUB Inc respectfully requests that the Commission enter an order designating LCRHUB as a Competitive Local Exchange Carrier (CLEC) in order to provide facilities based local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services in the service areas in all territories that are open for facilities based competition throughout the State of South Dakota.

/s/ Patrick Hardy\_\_