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Via eFiling

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen
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RE: Docket No. TC18-057
Application of Crown Castle Fiber LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Resold and Facilities-Based Local Exchange and Interexchange Telecommunications Services in the State of South Dakota

JOINT STIPULATION

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Attached for filing is the Joint Stipulation between Crown Castle Fiber LLC ("Crown Castle Fiber" or "Applicant") and the South Dakota Telecommunications Association ("SDTA") dated December 4, 2018 (the "Stipulation"). This Stipulation is submitted by Applicant and SDTA for Commission approval and resolves issues related to Crown Castle Fiber's Application raised by SDTA.

As described in the Notice of *Pro Forma* Consolidation filed on November 30, 2018, Crown Castle Fiber's ultimate parent will consolidate approximately 20 operating subsidiaries into Crown Castle Fiber by December 31, 2018, including its affiliate that holds a certificate from the Commission, Crown Castle NG Central LLC. Therefore, Crown Castle Fiber requests that the Commission consider both the Stipulation and Crown Castle Fiber's Certificate application at its next meeting on December 11, 2018, so that the appropriate corporate documents can be finalized and submitted before the December 31 consolidation.

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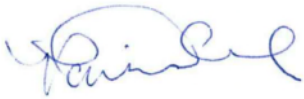
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Should you have any questions concerning this filing, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at (202) 739-3000.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "T. Finn", written in a cursive style.

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that on December 4, 2018, the enclosed Joint Stipulation was served electronically to each of the following individuals:

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