BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY TELEPORT COMMUNICATIONS AMERICA LLC FOR APPROVAL OF REVISIONS TO ITS ACCESS SERVICES TARIFF	)))))	**ORDER APPROVING TARIFF REVISIONS** **TC22-046**

On July 5, 2022, the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received a filing from Teleport Communications America LLC (Teleport) for approval of revisions to its Access Services Tariff. This filing brings Teleport's tariff into compliance with the 8YY Access Service reductions mandated in the Federal Communications Commission's October 9, 2020, Report and Order in WC Docket No. 18-156, FCC Release No. 20-143.

On July 7, 2022, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the filing and the intervention deadline of July 22, 2022, to interested individuals and entities on the Commission's PUC Weekly Filings electronic listserv. No parties sought intervention. Teleport requests an effective date for the revisions of August 2, 2022. On July 27, 2022, the company filed corrected tariff pages.

The following revised tariff page was filed for Commission approval:

South Dakota Access Services Tariff
Price List
First Revised Page 2 Cancels Original Page 2

The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapter 49-31.

At its regularly scheduled meeting of August 18, 2022, the Commission considered this matter. Commission staff recommended approval of the revised tariff page with an effective date of August 2, 2022. The Commission voted unanimously to approve the requested revisions to Teleport's Switched Access Services Tariff effective as of August 2, 2022. It is therefore

ORDERED, that the above-referenced revisions to Teleport's South Dakota Switched Access Services Tariff are hereby approved, effective as of August 2, 2022.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 19th day of August 2022.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that this document has been served today upon all parties of record in this docket, as listed on the docket service list, electronically or by mail.

By: Adam de Hueck

Date: 8/19/22

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BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

CHRIS NELSON, Commissioner

KRISTIE FIEGEN, Commissioner

GARY HANSON, Commissioner