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Via E-Filing

Patricia Van Gerpen, Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
Capitol Building, First Floor
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**Re: Docket No. TC24-040
Application of ImOn Communications, LLC for a Certificate of Authority to
Provide Resold and Facilities-Based Local Exchange and Interexchange
Telecommunications Services throughout the State of South Dakota**

Responses to Staff Data Requests

Dear Director Van Gerpen:



On behalf of ImOn Communications, LLC ("Applicant"), please find enclosed Applicant's Responses to the Staff Data Requests issued on October 29, 2024.

Please note that a portion of Applicant's response to Item 1.3 of the Staff Data Requests has been redacted from the public version of the Responses. An unredacted version of the Responses is being provided to the Commission in a separate file. Applicant hereby requests confidential treatment of the redacted portion of Applicant's response to Item 1.3 of the Staff Data Requests, which consists of financial information regarding Applicant's operating income (the "Confidential Information"). The Confidential Information constitutes trade secrets or commercial information within the meaning of South Dakota Administrative Rules § 20:10:01:39(4) and South Dakota Codified Laws § 15-6-26(c)(7). Applicant requests that the Confidential Information being provided to the Commission continue to be treated as confidential before, during, and after the proceedings in the above-captioned matter.

The Confidential Information contains information that is commercially sensitive and is not available to the general public. Unrestricted availability of the details of the Confidential

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Information would provide competitors with information regarding the Applicant, which competitors could use to evaluate Applicant's business strategies to the Applicant's detriment. Such availability would disclose certain non-public details of the Applicant's financial condition and business and could ultimately result in a competitive disadvantage to Applicant. Confidential treatment of the Confidential Information is therefore requested to avoid potential commercial injury.

Communications regarding this request for confidential treatment should be directed to Applicant's counsel below.

We would appreciate acknowledgment of receipt and acceptance of this filing. Should you have any questions concerning this submission, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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