

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPLAINT FILED)
BY CHRIS WEBER, PICO'S GARAGE, INC.,)
SIOUX FALLS, SOUTH DAKOTA, AGAINST)
REDUCED RATE LONG DISTANCE, LLC)
REGARDING UNAUTHORIZED LONG)
DISTANCE CHARGES)**

**ORDER GRANTING
INTERVENTION**

CT08-001

On February 15, 2008, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received a complaint filed by Chris Weber of Pico's Garage, Inc., Sioux Falls, South Dakota, against Reduced Rate Long Distance, LLC (Reduced Rate) regarding unauthorized long distance charges.

On February 15, 2008, the complaint was faxed to Reduced Rate. Pursuant to ARSD 20:10:01:09, Reduced Rate was notified that it must satisfy the complaint or file an answer in writing with the Commission by March 6, 2008. On February 29, 2008, the Commission received a Petition to Intervene from Midcontinent Communications (Midcontinent). On March 5, 2008, the Commission received an Answer to Complaint from Reduced Rate.

The Commission has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapters 1-26 and 49-31 and ARSD 20:10:01:15.05.

At a regularly scheduled meeting of March 11, 2008, the Commission found that the Petition to Intervene demonstrated good cause to grant intervention. It is therefore

ORDERED, that the Petition to Intervene of Midcontinent is hereby granted.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 8th day of April, 2008.

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.
By: <u><i>Delaine Kolbo</i></u>
Date: <u>4/9/08</u>
(OFFICIAL SEAL)

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Gary Hanson
GARY HANSON, Chairman

Steve Kolbeck
STEVE KOLBECK, Commissioner

Dustin Johnson
DUSTIN JOHNSON, Commissioner