

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

**IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY LOCAL)
EXCHANGE CARRIERS ASSOCIATION, INC.)
FOR APPROVAL OF REVISIONS TO ITS)
ACCESS SERVICES TARIFF NO. 1)**

**ORDER APPROVING
TARIFF REVISIONS**

TC12-115

On July 12, 2012, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received a filing from the Local Exchange Carriers Association (LECA) requesting approval of its Access Service Tariff No. 1. The purpose of this filing is to modify tariff language for the Identification and Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic to be in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's Connect America Fund et al., WC Docket No. 10-90 et al., Second Order on Reconsideration, FCC 12-47 (rel. April. 25, 2012). In the order, the FCC permitted local exchange carriers to tariff default charges equal to intrastate originating access for originating intrastate toll VoIP traffic until June 30, 2014. LECA requests an effective date for this revision of July 13, 2012.

LECA requested approval of the following tariff pages:

7th Revised Checklist Page 1
First Revised Page 2-24.1
First Revised Page 2-24.2
First Revised Page 2-24.3
Original Page 2-24.3.1

Cancels 6th Revised Checklist Page 1
Cancels Original Page 2-24.1
Cancels Original Page 2-24.2
Cancels Original Page 2-24.3

On July 19, 2012, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the filing and the intervention deadline of August 3, 2012, to interested individuals and entities. No parties sought intervention.

At its regularly scheduled meeting of September 25, 2012, the Commission considered this matter. The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapter 49-31. The Commission voted unanimously to approve the requested revisions to LECA's Tariff No. 1. It is therefore

ORDERED, that the Commission approves the above referenced revisions to LECA's Tariff No. 1 effective as of July 13, 2012.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 2nd day of October, 2012.

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.	
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BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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CHRIS NELSON, Chairman

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KRISTIE RIEGEN, Commissioner

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GARY HANSON, Commissioner