

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

**IN THE MATTER OF THE FILING BY LEVEL 3
COMMUNICATIONS, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF
REVISIONS TO UPDATE ITS ACCESS
SERVICES TARIFF NO. 3**

**ORDER APPROVING
TARIFF REVISIONS**

TC12-127

On August 16, 2012, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received a filing from Level 3 Communications, LLC (Level 3) for approval of revisions to its switched access services tariff, SOUTH DAKOTA PUC TARIFF NO. 3. These revisions are being filed to update various terms within the tariff and to allow for the provision of local and tandem connect services.

On August 23, 2012, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the filing and the intervention deadline of September 7, 2012, to interested individuals and entities. No parties sought intervention. The revised tariff sheets are as follows:

SOUTH DAKOTA PUC TARIFF NO. 3

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At its regularly scheduled meeting of August 13, 2013, 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 Level 3's switched access services tariff, SOUTH DAKOTA PUC TARIFF NO. 3. It is therefore

ORDERED, that the Commission approves the above-referenced revisions to Level 3's switched access services tariff, SOUTH DAKOTA PUC TARIFF NO. 3.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 15th day of August, 2013.

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: Joy Lashley

Date: 8-16-13

(OFFICIAL SEAL)

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Gary Hanson
GARY HANSON, Chairman

Chris Nelson
CHRIS NELSON, Commissioner

Kristie Fiogen
KRISTIE FIEGEN, Commissioner