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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen
Executive Director
South Dakota Public Utilities Commission
State Capitol Building
500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501-5070

Re:

Petition to Intervene of Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc.

Docket No. TC06-047 Our File No. 280.25

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

Please find enclosed for filing one original and eleven copies of the Petition to Intervene of Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc. in Docket No. TC-06-047. Please return one file-stamped copy in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope. Also please find enclosed a Certificate of Service.

If you have any questions regarding this filing or require any clarification or further information, please feel free to contact me at your earliest convenience at (605) 335-4950. Thank you for your assistance and consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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SOUTH DAKOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTEROF THE APPLICATION OF) DOCKET TC06-047
AVENTURE COMMUNICATION)
TECHNOLOGY, L.L.C. FOR A CERTIFICATE) PETITION TO INTERVENE OF
OF AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE LOCAL) ALLIANCE COMMUNICATIONS
EXCHANGE SERVICES IN SOUTH DAKOTA) COOPERATIVE, INC.
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COMES NOW, Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc. ("Alliance"), by and through its undersigned counsel, and pursuant to SDCL 1-26-17.1 and ARSD §§ 20:10:01:15.02, 20:10:01:15.03, and 20:10:01:15.05, and petitions the Commission for intervention in the above captioned proceeding. In support hereof, Alliance states as follows:

- Aventure Communication Technology, L.L.C. ("Aventure") has filed with the
 Commission its "Registration for Aventure Communications Technology, L.L.C."

 pursuant to ARSD § 20:10:24:02, specifically seeking authorization to provide facilities-based local exchange services in several South Dakota local exchanges, including the
 local exchange of Alcester, South Dakota.
- 2. Aventure's application filed in this matter indicates that the company intends to provide competitive local exchange service in the Alcester local exchange area currently served by Alliance, the incumbent local exchange carrier. Accordingly, the Registration of Aventure Communications Technology, L.L.C. has the potential to affect the business interests and service area of Alliance.
- 3. Alliance seeks intervention in this proceeding based on the foregoing.

Dated this 31st day of May 2006.

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EXCHANGE SERVICES IN SOUTH DAKOTA)	

I, Ryan Taylor, hereby certify that on this 31st day May, 2006, I have filed and served the original and ten (10) true and correct copies of the Petition to Intervene of Alliance Communications Cooperative, Inc. by First-Class United States Mail to:

Patricia Van Gerpen Executive Director South Dakota Public Utilities Commission 500 E. Capitol Avenue Pierre, SD 57501-5070;

And that a copy was sent to the following by First-Class United States Mail:

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of May, 2006.

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Notary Public*South Dakota

My Commission Expires: 0/-18-08

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