

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

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
CROWN CASTLE NG CENTRAL LLC FOR A)
CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE)
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES IN)
SOUTH DAKOTA)**

**ORDER GRANTING
INTERVENTION**

TC14-081

On September 25, 2014, the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received a filing from Crown Castle NG Central LLC (Crown Castle) requesting a Certificate of Authority to Provide Non-Switched Local Transport Services.

On October 2, 2014, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the filing and the intervention deadline of October 17, 2014, to interested individuals and entities. On October 17, 2014, South Dakota Telecommunications Association (SDTA) filed a Petition to Intervene.

At its October 28, 2014, meeting, the Commission considered this matter. The Commission has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapters 1-26 and 49-31 and ARSD 20:10:01:15.05. Crown Castle stated it did not object to SDTA's intervention. Commission staff recommended that the Commission grant SDTA's Petition to Intervene. The Commission found that the Petition demonstrated good cause to grant intervention and voted unanimously to grant intervention to SDTA. It is therefore

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

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 31st day of October, 2014.

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BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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GARY HANSON, Chairman

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CHRIS NELSON, Commissioner

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KRISTIE FIEGEN, Commissioner