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Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen
Executive Director
SD Public Utilities Commission
500 East Capitol Avenue
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Re: Hills Telephone Company, Inc. - SD (Hills-SD) Intrastate Switched
Access Revised Tariff Pages

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen:

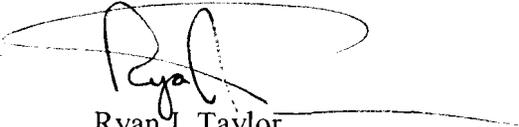
Enclosed please find revised pages to the Hills-SD Intrastate Switched Access Tariff No. 1, which are submitted for Commission approval. These pages replace all prior pages on file with the Commission. Hills-SD has proposed an effective date of February 1, 2007.

As you are aware, Hills-SD was granted an exemption from developing intrastate switched access rates based on company specific costs. The revised tariff rates of Hills-SD are based on a statewide average in accordance with ARSD 20:10:27:12. Hills-SD respectfully requests that the Commission approve its revised Intrastate Switched Access Tariff pages.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (605) 335-4950.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,



Ryan J. Taylor
For the Firm

Enclosures
cc: Don Snyders, Manager

SOUTH DAKOTA SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICES

A. CONCURRENCE IN RATES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIER ASSOCIATION, INC. TARIFF NO. 1

1. Hills Telephone Company, Inc. concurs in the rates, terms and conditions, except as noted below, of Local Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff No. 1 governing Intrastate Access Service as filed by the Local Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. in the State of South Dakota. Hills Telephone Company, Inc. concurs in the current Local Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff No. 1 as of January 1, 2007, as shown by the attached TARIFF CHECKLIST pages. The only exceptions to this concurrence are the attached pages 17-1 and 17-4, which replace the current Local Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff No. 1 pages 17-1 and 17-4.
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17. Rates and Charges

17.1 Common Line Access Service

17.1.1 Carrier Common Line Access Service

Rate

Regulations concerning Carrier Common Line Access are set forth in Section 3 Preceding.

Per Access Minute

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SOUTH DAKOTA SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICES

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17.2 Switched Access Service

17.2.1 Nonrecurring Charges

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(C) <u>Interim NXX Translation, Per Order</u>	\$181.00

Per LATA or Market Area

17.2.2 Traffic Sensitive

Local Switching (End Office)

Per Access Minute \$0.0261 (R)

Local Transport

Per Access Minute \$0.0327 (R)

Network Blocking Per Blocked Call

Applies to FGD only \$0.0271

8XX Data Base Query Service

Per Query

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