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VIA E-MAIL

Ms. Patricia Van Gerpen
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RE: 2012 ETC Certification – Midcontinent Communications

Dear Ms. Van Gerpen

Attached for filing with the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission is the Annual ETC Certification Filing and Submittal Pursuant to ARSD § 20:10:32:52. Please note that **Exhibits A, B and C are confidential** and Exhibits D and E are not confidential. A copy of the Affidavit of Nancy Vogel is also included with this filing.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best regards.

Sincerely,



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For the Firm

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Enclosures