

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

**IN THE MATTER OF THE REQUEST OF WWC
LICENSE LLC DBA VERIZON WIRELESS FOR
CERTIFICATION REGARDING ITS USE OF
FEDERAL UNIVERSAL SERVICE SUPPORT**

**ORDER GRANTING
INTERVENTION**

TC11-063

On May 31, 2011, the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) received an application from WWC License LLC dba Verizon Wireless (WCC) requesting the Commission to issue a certification to the Federal Communications Commission and Universal Services Administrative Company indicating it is in compliance with 47 U.S.C., Section 254(e) and should receive all federal universal service support determined for distribution to WWC in 2012. On June 2, 2011, the Commission electronically transmitted notice of the filing and the intervention deadline of June 17, 2011. On June 17, 2011, the Commission received a Petition to Intervene from the South Dakota Telecommunications Association (SDTA).

The Commission has jurisdiction in this matter pursuant to SDCL Chapters 1-26 and 49-31, 47 U.S.C § 254, and ARSD 20:10:01:15.05.

At its regularly scheduled meeting of July 12, 2011, the Commission found that the Petition to Intervene of SDTA 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 21st day of July, 2011.

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:	<u><i>James A. Keldahl</i></u>
Date:	<u>7-21-11</u>
(OFFICIAL SEAL)	

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Gary Hanson
GARY HANSON, Chairman

Chris Nelson
CHRIS NELSON, Vice Chairman