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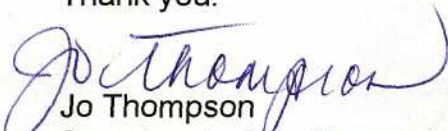
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MIDCONTINENT COMMUNICATIONS V. NORTH DAKOTA TELEPHONE COMPANY
CASE NO. PU-05-451
OAH NO. 20050316

Enclosed for filing in the above proceeding are an original and seven copies of a Request for Rescheduling of Hearing and Prehearing Schedule together with a Brief in Support of Request for Rescheduling of Hearing and Prehearing Schedule. Please note that we are filing this request on behalf of the respondent, North Dakota Telephone Company.

Thank you.


Jo Thompson
Secretary to Don Negaard

Enclosures

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