

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

**Midcontinent Communications/North Dakota
Telephone Company
Rural Exemption
Investigation**

Case No. PU-05-451

AFFIDAVIT OF SERVICE BY CERTIFIED AND ORDINARY MAIL

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
COUNTY OF BURLEIGH

Sharon Helbling deposes and says that:

she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **16th day of October, 2006**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **six** envelopes with certified postage, return receipt requested, fully prepaid, securely sealed and each containing a photocopy of:

Order Approving Final Discount Rate

The envelopes were addressed as follows:

Patrick W Durick
Pearce & Durick
314 E Thayer Ave
Bismarck ND 58502-0400
Cert. No. 7005 3110 0003 6265 6458

Dave Dircks Manager
North Dakota Telephone Company
P O Box 180
Devils Lake ND 58301-0180
Cert. No. 7005 3110 0003 6265 6465

Thomas J Moorman
Kraskin Moorman & Cosson LLC
2154 Wisconsin Ave NW
Washington D C 20007
Cert. No. 7005 3110 0003 6265 6472

J G Harrington
Dow Lohnes & Albertson PLLC
1200 New Hampshire Ave NW Ste 800
Washington D C 20036
Cert. No. 7005 3110 0003 6265 6489

Don Negaard
Pringle & Herigstad
P O Box 1000
Minot ND 58702-1000
Cert. No. 7005 3110 0003 6265 6496

Scott M Knudsvig
Pringle & Herigstad
P O Box 1000
Minot ND 58702-1000
Cert. No. 7005 3110 0003 6265 6502

Sharon Helbling further deposes and says that on the **16th day of October, 2006**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, **one** envelope by regular

mail, with postage fully prepaid, securely sealed, each containing a photocopy of the same.

Mary Lohnes
Midcontinent Communications
410 S Phillips Ave
Sioux Falls SD 57104-6824

Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **16th day of October, 2006.**

Notary Public

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she is over the age of 18 years and not a party to this action and, on the **16th day of October, 2006**, she deposited in the United States Mail, Bismarck, North Dakota, envelopes by first class mail, fully prepaid, securely sealed, and e-mailed, each containing a photocopy of:

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The envelopes were addressed as follows:

See Attached List

Each address shown is the respective addressee's last reasonably ascertainable post office address.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this **16th day of October, 2006**.

Notary Public

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