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Colleen  
North Dakota Newspaper Association

Please have the attached Notice Telecommunications Relay Service Surcharge published one time as a legal publication in the following newspapers.

The Bismarck Tribune  
Devils Lake Journal  
Dickinson Press  
Fargo Forum  
Grand Forks Herald  
Jamestown Sun  
Minot Daily News  
Valley City Times – Record  
The Daily News – Wahpeton  
Williston Daily Herald

Do not publish in the classifieds. Please run it as a “News Item Only” article as well.

The notice must be published once in each paper.

Send the bill to the Public Service Commission along with a tear sheet for billing purposes.

Please confirm via e-mail that you received this request.

If you have any questions or cannot open the version of the notice, please call me at 328-4076 or email.

Thank you!

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Email to NDNA to Publish Notice of  
Telecommunications Relay Service Surcharge

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE  
TELECOMMUNICATONS RELAY SERVICE SURCHARGE

May 21, 2008

On April 21, 1993, Governor Edward T. Schafer approved House Bill No. 1028 that established a program to provide specialized telecommunications services and equipment to the communications impaired. The relay services program is funded by an access line surcharge paid by the customers of local exchange companies and radio communications service providers.

The relay services program is administered by the Information Technology Department of the State of North Dakota. Before June 1 of each year, the Public Service Commission calculates the amount of the surcharge based on cost data and other information provided by the Information Technology Department.

The Commission has calculated the 2008-2009 surcharge to be included in bills to customers is **\$.03 per access line per month.**