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Mr. Jon Mielke, Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 East Boulevard
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RE: USF Certification – Case Nos. PU-439-01-460 & PU-439-02-441

Enclosed for filing in accordance with the Commission's Order of August 28, 2002, in the above-referenced proceedings, is an Affidavit certifying that all universal service support will only be used for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. In making this filing, the undersigned company is at this time neither contesting nor conceding the jurisdiction of the North Dakota Public Service Commission to act in this proceeding.

Please contact me at 1-800-771-0974, if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Keith A. Larson, CPA
CEO/General Manager
Dakota Central Telecom I, Inc.

Enclosures

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Certification of Use of Federal universal Services Support

Dakota Central Telecom I, Inc.

Keith Larson, CEO – GM

emergency services; (f) access to operator services; (g) access to interexchange service; (h) access to directory assistance; and (i) toll limitation for qualifying low-income consumers.

Dated this 11th day of August, 2009.

DAKOTA CENTRAL TELECOM I, INC.

By *Keith A. Larson*
Keith A. Larson
Its: General Manager

State of North Dakota)
) ss.
County of Foster)

On this 11th day of August 2009, before me, a Notary Public in and for this said County and State, personally appeared KEITH LARSON, known to me to be the General Manager of DAKOTA CENTRAL TELECOM I, INC, the corporation that is described in and that executed the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.

Lori Solberg
Notary Public for the State of North Dakota
My commission expires: 11/12/2014

