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**PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 E. Boulevard, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

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

Dear Commissioners:

Enclosed for filing in accordance with the Commission's Order of August 28, 2002, in the above-referenced proceeding, in an Affidavit certifying that all universal support will only be used by the undersigned carrier 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.

Should you have any questions or concerns about this certification, please contact me by telephone at 1-406-783-2200.

Sincerely,

Remi Sun  
Nemont Telephone Cooperative, Inc. - ND  
Chief Financial Officer

Enclosure

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**Certification of use of federal universal services support**

Nemont Telephone Cooperative, Inc.



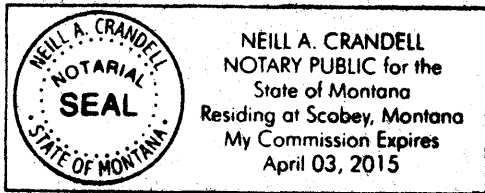
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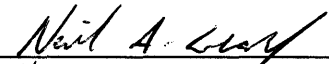
**NEMONT TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE,  
INC.**

By   
Remi Sun  
Its: Chief Financial Officer

State of Montana            )  
  ) ss.  
County of   DAWIELS    )

On this 4<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2012, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared REMI SUN, known to me to be the Chief Financial Officer of NEMONT TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC., the corporation that is described in and that executed the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.



  
NEILL A. CRANDELL, Notary Public  
For the State of Montana  
My commission expires: 4-3-2015