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Mr. Don Negaard
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Re: Case No. PU-05-451
Midcontinent Communications/Dakota Telephone Company
Rural Exemption
Investigation

Dear Mr. Negaard

Enclosed is a copy of the Commission's Motion granting the request for Thomas J. Moorman to practice before the Commission.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

William W. Binek
Chief Counsel

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Enclosure

cc/enc: Thomas J. Moorman, Attorney
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Al Wahl, Administrative Law Judge (OAH No. 20050316)