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Rachelle A. Ladwig Senior Administrator – Tariffs TDS 525 Junction Road Madison, WI 53717

# Re: DT 16-616: Chichester, Kearsarge, & Meriden Telephone Companies: Intrastate Access Tariff Revisions

Dear Ms. Ladwig:

On May 26, 2016, Chichester, Kearsarge, & Meriden Telephone Companies (Kearsarge) submitted a filing to revise its common intrastate access tariff for effect on July 1, 2016, pursuant to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Report and Order FCC 11-161 (Transformation Order). This filing eliminates language that was needed to determine the classification of certain traffic under provisions of the Transformation Order that no longer apply.

Staff reviewed the proposed tariff change for compliance with FCC orders and rules, and following its investigation, recommended that these proposed changes be allowed to go into effect.

The Commission has accepted Staff's recommendation that the proposed tariff change be allowed to take effect. For administrative efficiency, an order will not be issued by the Commission either suspending, rejecting, or approving the proposed tariff changes. Pursuant to RSA 378:3 and RSA 378:6, IV, the proposed tariff change, filed on May 26, 2016, and pursuant to Staff's recommendation, are effective, as proposed, on July 1, 2016. Tariff pages reflecting the Kearsarge filing should be filed referencing Docket No. DT 16-616 and reflecting the effective date of July 1, 2016.

Sincerely, A. Varlad

Debra A. Howland Executive Director

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