STATE OF MINNESOTA

BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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In the Matter of a Petition of Lake County Minnesota for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Docket No. M-15-65

REPLY COMMENTS OF LAKE COMMUNICATIONS

Lake Communications respectfully submits these reply comments in support of the petition of Lake County Minnesota d/b/a Lake Connections ("Lake County") for designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier. Lake Communications has entered into a business relationship with Lake County to provide voice telephony service over Lake County's fiber network.

Lake Communications is authorized by this Commission to provide service as a Competitive Local Exchange Carrier ("CLEC") in certain local exchanges served by Qwest and Citizens. *In the Matter of Lake Communications' Application to Provide Resold Local Exchange Service and Interexchange Service*, ORDER GRANTING AUTHORITY, P-6869/NA-11-581 (September 27, 2011). As a CLEC, the rates, terms and conditions of Lake Communications' service are reflected in tariffs filed with this Commission and Lake Communications is subject to the Commission's regulatory jurisdiction.

Lake Communications' voice services are advertised on the Lake County/Lake Connections website: http://www.lakeconnections.com and identified as such.

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