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August 6, 2013

Mr. Morris Woodruff Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission PO Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102

RE: McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc.'s Notice to Detariff its Retail Telecommunications Services pursuant to R.S.Mo. § 392.461(1) and (2)

Dear Mr. Woodruff:

McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc. ("Company") hereby provides notice to the Public Service Commission ("Commission") of its election to be exempt from any requirement to file or maintain with the Commission any tariff or schedule of rates for telecommunications services offered or provided to residential or business retail end user customers pursuant to R.S.Mo. § 392.461(1) and (2).

The Company will withdraw the tariff listed below effective August 16, 2013 and after that date the Company will post its Terms of Service on its corporate website. The Terms of Service can be found at www.windstream.com/terms.aspx.

Company Name

Tariff to be Withdrawn

McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services Inc.

Tariff P.S.C. MO No. 5

Please return a stamp copy in the self addressed envelope. If you have any questions regarding this notice, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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