STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

The Dakota Central Telephone Company of Aberdeen, South Dakota, does hereby certify, state and represent to the Honorable Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota, THAT it does not own any real property in the State of Minnesota, and that the mortgage now offered for filing executed by the Dakota Central Telephone Company to Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, dated June 1st, 1915, and executed and acknowledged on the 14th day of June, A. D., 1915, does not cover, contain, describe or mortgage any real property situate in the State of Minnesota.

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ATTEST :-

SECRETARY .

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA SS. COUNTY OF BROWN

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On this 37th day of July, in the year 1915, before me a Notary Public within and for said State and County, personally appeared J. L. W. Zietlow and W. G. Bickelhaupt, known to me to be respectively the president and secretary of the Dakota Central Telephone Company, the corporation that is described in and that executed the within instrument as party of the first part, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my official seal, the day and year on the certificate first above written.

> ARY PUBLIC, BROWN COUNTY, SOUTH DAKOTA.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, DEP'L OF STATE riled in the office of Secretary of Stute phis. eur 91 1. A. A. 5. be 御御の所になる。 ないかんでんち いたのない ないない ないかん 、ないかん、 1 ÷... Secretary of State. A LONG CONTRACT and the second 8. \*\*\*\*\*\*\* -----

NULL & ROYHL ATTORNEYS AT LAW

> HURON, SOUTH DAKOTA, July 7, 1915.

Secretary Of State,

St. Paul, Minnesota.

Honorable Sir:-

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On july 5th, we wired you inquiry concerning amount of your fees for the filing of Mortgage Dakota Central Telephone Company to Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company. On the 7th inst. we received a reply stating you were unable go-give the amount of fees until the amount of the mortgage on property in Minnesota and length of Mortgage is known. We are therefore enclosing the document herewith and will remit you the fees promptly upon receipt of your letter informing us of the amount. We have been instructed by the Attorney General of your State that this is a chattel mortgage and does not come within the provisions of your real estate filing and recording act.

We will appreciate your promptness in this matter.

Yours truly,

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