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(ICLS)  
Interstate Common Line Support and  
Long Term Support 2003

May 12, 2003

Marlene H. Dortch  
Office of the Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 – 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45  
**Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support – ICLS**

This is to certify that Farmers Telephone Company will use its *Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support – ICLS* only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area(s) listed below.

Company Name	State	Study Area Guide
Farmers Telephone Company	Iowa	35-1176

Signed,

Charles D. White, Manager

May 12, 2003

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