COMMUNICATION AND ELECTRIC LINES EASEMENT COMMUNICATION AND ELECTRIC LINES EASEMENT

RECORDED MAY 4, 1992 BK 350 PG 112 NO 108361 RONALD L. DATLEY, COUNTY CLERK

THIS EASEMENT made this 23rd day of March 19 92 between MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES

CO. a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., a corporation, and US WEST COMMUNICATIONS, INC. a corporation, hereinafter referred to as "Companies," and the following-named persons, hereinafter referred to as "Owner," namely:

Vinnie Leach Bassett, a widow

424 So, Brooks, Apt. 1, Sheridan, WY 82801 WITNESSETH: That for valuable consideration received. Owner does hereby grant unto Companies, jointly and severally, its WITNESSETH: That for valuable consideration received, Owner does hereby grant unto Companies, jointly and severally, its and their respective successors and assigns, an easement to construct, operate, maintain, increase the capacity of, repair, replace and remove such communication and electric systems as the Companies may from time to time require, consisting of pole structures supporting one or more circuits, guys, anchors, wires, underground cubies, conduits, manholes, drains and splicing boxes, surface supporting one or more circuits, guys, anchors, wires, underground cubies, conduits, manholes, drains and splicing boxes, surface terminals, repeaters, repeater housings, markers, transformers, pedestals and other facilities used in the construction, operation, maintenance, increasing the capacity of, repair, replacement and removal of said communication and electric systems, operation, and trim trees and shrubbery located within 15 feet of said systems or where they may interfere with or threaten and to cut and trim trees and shrubbery located within 15 feet of said systems may be constructed either overhead or underground or to endanger the operation and muintenance of suid systems. Said systems may be constructed either overhead or underground or, if constructed overhead, may be converted from overhead to underground at some future time. Said communication and electric systems may be located upon, over, under and across a strip of land 30 feet (OVER) Owner, its successors and assigns, hereby grants to Companies, jointly and severally, its and their successors and assigns, the right of ingress or egress at all reasonable times over and across the lands of Owner, to and from said strip of land for the purpose of exercising the rights herein granted; to place and maintain guys, anchors and surface markers beyond said strip where necessary; and to install gates in any fences crossing said strip.

Owner, its successors and assigns, agrees not to build, create or construct or permit to be built, created or constructed, any obstruction, building, engineering works or other structures upon, over and under the strip of land herein described or that would interfers with the heavily account of the strip of land herein described or that would interfers with the heavily account of the strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip of land herein described or that would be strip or the strip of land herein described or that would be strip or the strip of land herein described or that would be strip or the strip of land herein described or that would be strip or the strip of land herein described or that would be strip or the strip of land herein described or the Companies agree that any and all damages that may result to the crops, fences, buildings, and improvements on said premises caused by the construction and maintenance of said communication and/or electric systems will be paid for by the responsible Company. The damages, if not mutually agreed upon, may be determined by three disinterested persons, one to be selected by the interfers with the herein stated uses, or Companies' rights hereunder. responsible Company and one by Owner, these two shall select a third person. The award determined by these three persons shall If the herein-described lands are in the State of North Dakota, this easement is limited to a term of 99 years.

If the herein-described lands are in the State of Wyoming, Owner does hereby release and waive all rights under and by virtue of the homestead exemption laws of that state. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Owner has executed this easement as of the day and year first above written (SEAL) STATE OF WYOMING Sheridan County of. , 19 ___92 , before me personally appeared 23rd day of On this Vinnie Leach Bassett, a widow ITHIS SPACE FOR RECORDING DATA ONLY) known to me to be the same person__ described in and who executed the above and foregoing instrument and acknowledged executed the same, (known to me to be to me that ___She__ and respectively, of the corporation that is described in and that executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same) County Notary Public Wyoming Sheridan State of My Commission Expires February 27, 1993 Residing at (SEAL) My Commission Expires: 1071-115-15588-111 L.R.R. No. 34450 TRACT

A strip of land thirty (30) feet wide lying north of the north right of way line of Wyoming State Highway No. 331 situated in the NW1/4SE1/4 of Section 9, Township 55 North, Range 85 West, 6th P.M., Sheridan County, Wyoming, the south line of said strip being the north right of way line of said Wyoming State Highway No. 331, said south line being forty (40) feet from and parallel to the centerline of said State Highway No. 331 and described as follows:

Commencing at the east quarter corner of said Section 9; thence \$87^22'53"W, 1631.21 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING of the herein described strip of land, said point lying on the east line of a tract of land described in Book 102 of Deeds, Page 10; thence along said north right of way line through a spiral curve to the left with a centerline radius of 1145.92 feet, a centerline spiral length of 375.00 feet, a chord bearing of \$65^21'17"W, and a chord length of 79.24 feet to a point (Station 146+10.62); thence \$67^013'00"W, 440.63 feet along said north right of way line to the POINT OF TERMINUS of said strip of land, said point lying on the east line of a tract of land described in Book 324 of Deeds, Page 559 and being \$82°33'10"W, 2126.82 feet from said east quarter corner of Section 9.

Basis of Bearings is Wyoming State Plane.

See Certificate of Survey for property lines and section corner ties in reference to the above legal description as filed in drawer <u>A</u> of Certificate of Surveys No. <u>56</u>.

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THIS EASEMENT, made this 23rd day of March, 19 92 between MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES 21454-2 921 CO. a Division of MDU Resources Group, Inc., a corporation, and US WEST COMMUNICATIONS, INC., a corporation, hereinafter referred to as "Companies," and the following named persons, hereinafter referred to as "Owner," namely:

Sara Jane Ary & Leo Dean Ary, wife & husband

32 Leach Road, Sheridan, WY 82801 WITNESSETH: That for valuable consideration received, Owner does hereby grant unto Companies, jointly and severally, its and their respective successors and assigns, an easement to construct, operate, maintain, increase the capacity of, repair, replace (OVER) Owner, its successors and assigns, hereby grants to Companies, jointly and severally, its and their successors and assigns, the Owner, its successors and assigns, hereby grants to Companies, jointly and severally, its and their successors and assigns, the right of ingress or egress at all reasonable times over and across the lands of Owner, to and from said strip of land for the purpose of exercising the rights herein granted; to place and maintain guys, anchors and surface markers beyond said strip where necessary; and to install gates in any fences crossing said strip.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Owner has executed this easement as of the day and year first above written. (SEAL) WYOMING STATE OF . Sheridan County of. 19 92, before me personally appeared On this 23rd day of March Sara Jane Ary & Leo Dean Ary, wife & busband ITHIS SPACE FOR RECORDING DATA ONLY! known to me to be the same person_S described in and who executed the above and foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that _t he Y executed the same, (known to me to be and respectively, of the corporation that is described in and that executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same) County. Notary Public, Wyoming State of .. Residing at SEAL My Commission Expires: . 1071-115-15588-111 NO. L.R.R. No. 34372

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Commencing at the east quarter corner of said Section 9; thence S82°33'10"W, 2126.82 feet to the POINT OF BEGINNING of the herein described strip of land, said point lying on the east line of a tract of land described in Book 324 of Deeds, Page 559; thence S67°13'00"W, 574.02 feet along said north right of way line to the POINT OF TERMINUS of said strip of land, said point lying on the west line of said NW1/4SE1/4 and being S79°18'39"W, 2684.70 feet from said east quarter corner of Section 9.

Basis of Bearings is Wyoming State Plane.

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