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June 29, 2001

Transmittal No. 4
(filing fee enclosed)

Magalie Roman Salas, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

Attention: Common Carrier Bureau

Re: 2001 Annual Access Tariff Filing

Dear Ms. Salas:

The accompanying tariff issued by Midstate Telephone Company (Midstate), and bearing F.C.C. No. 1, effective July 3, 2001, is sent to you in compliance with the Communications Act of 1934, as amended and pursuant to the Commission's Rules.

This transmittal is being made, pursuant to Special Permission #01-055, to remove new materials filed inadvertently in Midstate's biannual tariff filing.

As required by Section 61.32 of the Rules, the original of this transmittal letter, plus the Commission's filing fee of six hundred and fifty-five dollars (\$655.00) is being filed this date with the Mellon Bank in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. In addition, official and courtesy copies of this filing have been submitted in accordance with the Commission's Order, DA 00-1269, released June 9, 2000, covering annual access charge tariff filings.

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Personal or facsimile service of petitions under Section 1.773(a)(4) of the Commission's Rules should be directed to Midstate's counsel whose facsimile number is (202) 828-5568 and whose service address and name are given below.

Respectfully submitted,
Midstate Telephone Company

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