BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STATE OF MISSOURI

NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS FOR INTRASTATE CERTIFICATES OF SERVICE AUTHORITY AND OPPORTUNITY TO INTERVENE

YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT each applicant listed in the schedules accompanying this notice has applied to the Commission for a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate telecommunications services. The certificate requested may be for provision of: 1) interexchange, 2) nonswitched local exchange, or 3) basic local exchange telecommunications services, or a combination thereof under Sections 392.410, RSMo Supp. 2005, to 392.455. Each applicant has also requested competitive classification.

The Commission must find that the grant of service authority is in the public interest. Section 392.440. Applications for authority to provide basic local services must comply with Section 392.455. The Commission may classify a company as competitive if it finds that all the telecommunications services the company offers are competitive services. Section 392.361.3. The Commission ordinarily waives the application of the statutes and Commission rules listed below for competitive companies.

WAIVERS FOR COMPETITIVE BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS:

<u>Statutes</u>	Commission Rules
392.210.2	4 CSR 240-3.550(5)(C)
392.240.1	4 CSR 240-10.020
392.270	4 CSR 240-30.040
392.280	
392.290	
392.300.2	
392.310	
392.320	
392.330	
392.340	

¹ Statutory references are to the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 2000, unless otherwise noted.

WAIVERS FOR INTEREXCHANGE & NONSWITCHED LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS:

<u>Statutes</u>	Commission Rules
392.210.2	4 CSR 240-10.020
392.240.1	4 CSR 240-30.040
392.270	
392.280	
392.290	
392.300.2	
392.310	
392.320	
392.330	
392.340	

If an applicant requests waiver of a provision that is not listed, the request will be specifically noted in the Schedule of Applicants. If you wish to contest whether it is in the public interest to grant an applicant a certificate of service authority or competitive status, you may file a written application to intervene. **PLEASE NOTE:** the intervention period for an interexchange or nonswitched local exchange application and for a competitive basic local exchange application is **15 DAYS (unless otherwise noted)**. Address your application to intervene to the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission, Post Office Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, and serve copies on the applicant, the applicant's attorney, and all intervenors. You may obtain a copy of an application for service authority filed with the Commission by sending a written request to the Secretary at the above address.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Colleen M. Dale, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 5th day of September, 2006.

SCHEDULE OF APPLICANTS FOR BASIC LOCAL AND NONSWITCHED LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE AUTHORITY

Missouri Public Service Commission September 5, 2006

INTERVENTION DEADLINE: September 20, 2006

Case No. TA-2007-0093

RLJ: Stearley Applicant:

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Tariff Effective: Waiver

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Applicant has previously been granted authority to provide basic local exchange telecommunications services and been granted competitive classification in the exchanges of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC, Spectra Communications Group, LLC and Sprint Missouri, Inc. Applicant requests competitive classification for the new service territory. The Applicant also requests the standard waivers as well as a waiver of the requirement in 4 CSR 240-3.510(1)(D) that it submit financial data with its application. Also, the Applicant requests a temporary waiver of 4 CSR 240-3.510(1)(C) until its new tariff sheets are filed.

SCHEDULE OF APPLICANTS FOR INTEREXCHANGE AND NONSWITCHED LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE AUTHORITY

Missouri Public Service Commission September 5, 2006

INTERVENTION DEADLINE: September 20, 2006

No application filed