

3. Good cause. The FCC's *USF/ICC Order* and subsequent clarifications and modifications have given rise to many substantive and dramatic changes for Missouri's small rural telephone companies, including numerous rate changes and tariff filings. The Company acted as soon as possible to file this pleading. Moreover, the PSC Staff has issued recommendations in favor of granting relief for substantially identical tariffs. See e.g. *Fidelity Telephone Company*, File No. IT-2012-0435, Tariff No. YI-2012-0829.

Request for Expedited Relief pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.080(14)

4. Date for Requested Relief. The Company requests action as soon as possible and no later than July 13, 2012 in order to allow an order granting expedited approval to become effective.

5. Harm avoided. Company would be charging an incorrect rate for intrastate originating VoIP traffic. Amending the tariffs with less than 30 days' notice will have no negative effect on the Company's customers because it will simply make the tariffs consistent with federal law and the federally-proscribed rate.

6. Pleading filed as soon as possible. Although the FCC's *Second Order* was issued on April 25, 2012, it was not published in the Federal Register until May 29, 2012. This pleading was filed as soon as possible after Company's counsel and consultants reviewed the *Second Order*.

WHEREFORE, the Company respectfully requests that the Commission grant expedited treatment, approve the tariffs to go into effect on July 13, 2012, and issue such other relief as is necessary and reasonable in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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