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Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge Missouri Public Service Commission Governor Office Bldg. Suite 200 200 Madison Street P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing are an original and three (3) copies of revised pages for Sprint Missouri, Inc. d/b/a/ Sprint General Exchange Tariff. These revisions are filed in accordance with Missouri Public Service Commission Rules and Regulations and submitted with an October 25, 2002 issue date and a proposed effective date of December 11, 2002. These tariff revisions are available on Sprint's website at www.sprint.com/tariffs.

The purpose of this filing is to modify rates in accordance with Sprint's Price Cap regulation, pursuant to Section 392.245, RSMo 2000. Within this filing, Sprint is adjusting it's basic rates by the change in the CPI-TS as required by 392.245.4(a) updating its maximum allowable prices for non-basic services and adjusting certain rates as allowed by 392.245.11; and adjusting certain switched access rates and rebalancing to local rates, as allowed by 392.245.9.

All affected customers will receive thirty days advance notification of these changes, as previously communicated to the commission's staff. A summary of the rate adjustments and supporting calculations have been provided to Mr. William Voight under separate cover.

Commission consideration and timely approval of these pages are respectfully requested. If you have questions or need additional information regarding this filing, you may call John Idoux at (913) 315-8564 or Lisa Padilla, toll free at (866) 727-4350 or (913) 315-9370.

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- 4. <u>Two Point Service</u> (Continued)
  - 4.8 MTS Rate Table
    - (A) Rates shown in the following table are applicable to all classes of Intrastate, IntraLATA calls between points within the same LATA within the state of Missouri. (Dial Station-to-Station, Customer Dialed Calling Card Station-to-Station, Operator Handled Station-to-Station, Person-to-Person).

<u>Mileage</u>	Initia) <u>Minute</u>	Each Additional <u>Minute</u>
1-10	\$.07	\$.07
11-14	.11	.11
15-18	<i>.18</i> (†)	.18 (1)
19-23	.23	.19
24-28	.36	.22
29-33	.42	.24
34-40	.45	.27
41-50	.47	.29
51-60	.49	.33
61-80	.49	.34
81-100	.50	.36
101-125	.50	.37
126-150	.50	.37
151-190	.50	.37
191-300	.50	.37
301-430	.50	.37
Over 430	.50	.37 (1)

MTS RATE TABLE-DAY (FULL) RATE PERIOD

(B) Service charges outlined in 4.9 following apply in addition to these rates.

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4. <u>Two Point Service</u> (Continued)

#### 4.9 Service Charges

- (A) The following intrastate intraLATA operator Service Charges (or, at their option, the governing local exchange carrier's rates filed with and approved by the Missouri Public Service Commission) apply to operator handled calls and are in addition to the rates specified in the preceding Rate Table (Section 4.8).
- (B) Discounts (Section 4.7) are not applicable to Service Charges.
- (C) Only one Service Charge per call will apply.

	Charge per Call
Customer Dialed Calling Card Station-to-Station	\$.30
Operator Handled Station-to-Station	\$1.25 (1)
Person-to-Person	\$2.95
Line Status Verification	\$1.45
Busy Interrupt	\$ <b>2.25</b> (1)

#### 4.10 Rates Applicable to Certified Speech/Hearing Handicapped

On direct-dialed messages placed within the same LATA by certified speech and/or hearing handicapped residence customers who are incapable of verbal communication and use a telecommunications device (i.e., teletypewriter or similar keyboard communications terminal device) for communication over the Message Telecommunications network, the Night/Weekend rate discount will apply.

Certification of the speech and/or hearing handicap requires the completion of an application form certified by a physician, otolarynologist, licensed speech pathologist or audiologist.

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#### STATEMENT OF MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE RATES

Presented in this section are the Maximum Allowable Rates that Sprint Missouri, Inc. may charge for its services for the 12 month period beginning December 11, 2000 and ending December 10, 2001, pursuant to Section 392.245 RSMo. Under Section 392.245 RSMo the maximum allowable rates for basic services are adjusted annually by the change in the Telephone Services component of the Consumer Price Index. The maximum allowable rates for non-basic services are adjusted annually by 8%. The actual rates for Sprint's services are found in the applicable sections of this tariff as referenced below.

			Service		Maximum Allowable Tariff <u>Rate</u>			
	<u>Serv</u>	ice	<u>Classification</u>	Reference	Monthly	<u>NRC</u>		
Two F	Point Serv	ice						
1.1	Initial M	linute						
	1.1.1	1-10 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.092	N/A	(	
	1.1.2	11-14 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.163	N/A	`	
	1.1.3	15-18 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.197	N/A		
	1.1.4	19-23 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.255	N/A		
	1.1.5	24-28 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.396	N/A		
	1.1.6	29-33 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.454	N/A		
	1.1.7	34-40 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.489	N/A		
	1.1.8	41-50 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.513	N/A		
	1.1.9	51-60 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.535	N/A		
	1.1.10	61-80 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.571	N/A		
	1.1.11	81-100 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.583	N/A		
	1.1.12	101-125 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.583	N/A		
	1.1.13	126-150 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.583	N/A		
	1.1.14	151-190 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.583	N/A		
		191-300 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.583	N/A		
	1.1.16	301-430 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.583	N/A		
	1.1.17	Over 430 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.583	N/A		
1.2	.2 Each Additional Minute							
	1.2.1	1-10 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.092	N/A		
	1.2.2	11-14 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.127	N/A		
	1.2.3	15-18 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.185	N/A		
	1.2.4	19-23 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.197	N/A		
	1.2.5	24-28 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.233	N/A		
	1.2.6	29-33 miles	Non-Basic	4.8(A)	\$ 0.255	N/A	(	

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			Service	Tariff	Maximum A Rate			
		Service	<b>Classification</b>	Reference	Monthly	NRC		
1.	Two P	oint Service (Cont'd)						
	1.2	Each Additional Minute (Cont'	d)					
		1.2.734-40 miles1.2.841-50 miles1.2.951-60 miles1.2.1061-80 miles1.2.1181-100 miles1.2.12101-125 miles1.2.13126-150 miles1.2.14151-190 miles1.2.15191-300 miles1.2.16301-430 miles1.2.17Over 430 miles	Non-Basic Non-Basic Non-Basic Non-Basic Non-Basic Non-Basic Non-Basic Non-Basic Non-Basic Non-Basic	4.8(A) 4.8(A) 4.8(A) 4.8(A) 4.8(A) 4.8(A) 4.8(A) 4.8(A) 4.8(A) 4.8(A) 4.8(A) 4.8(A)	\$ 0.279 \$ 0.291 \$ 0.338 \$ 0.360 \$ 0.372 \$ 0.396 \$ 0.396 \$ 0.396 \$ 0.396 \$ 0.396 \$ 0.396 \$ 0.396 \$ 0.396	N/A (1) N/A   N/A   N/A   N/A   N/A   N/A   N/A   N/A   N/A		
2.	Servic	e Charges						
	2.1	Customer Dialed Calling Card Station-to-Station	Non-Basic	4.9(C)	\$ 0.36	N/A		
	2.2	Operator Handled Station- to-Station	Non-Basic	4.9(C)	\$ 1.31	N/A		
	2.3	Person-to-Person	Non-Basic	4.9(C)	\$ 3.01	N/A		
	2.4	Line Status Verification	Non-Basic	4.9(C)	\$ 1.50	N/A		
	2.5	Busy Interrupt	Non-Basic	4.9(C)	\$ 2.31	N/A		
3.	Conference Service							
	3.1	Set-Up Charge for each main service point	Non-Basic	5.4(D)	\$ 1.99	N/A (1)		

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			Service	Tariff	Maximum A <u>Rat</u> i	<u>e</u>	
		Service	<b>Classification</b>	Reference	<u>Monthly</u>	NRC	
3.	Conference Service (Cont'd)						
	3.2	Per Minute Charge for ea main service point	ch				
		3.2.1 0-18 miles 19-60 miles 61-150 miles Over 150 miles	Non-Basic Non-Basic Non-Basic Non-Basic	5.4(E) 5.4(E) 5.4(E) 5.4(E)	\$ 0.058 \$ 0.116 \$ 0.185 \$ 0.244	N/A N/A N/A N/A	(1)
4.	Specia	al Reversed Charge					
	4.1 Special Reversed Toll, per exchange		er Non-Basic	6.2(B)	\$ 6.97	N/A	
5.	Outstate Calling Area (OCA)						
	5.1	Two-hour block of time 5.1.1 Residential 5.1.2 Business	Non-Basic Non-Basic	8.3A. 8.3A.	<b>\$</b> 12.07 <b>\$</b> 13.59	N/A N/A	
	5.2	Five-hour block of time 5.2.1 Residential 5.2.2 Business 5.2.3 Per Additional Minute	Non-Basic Non-Basic	8.3B. 8.3B.	\$ 27.50 \$ 30.85	N/A N/A	
		a. Resident b. Business		8.3B. 8.3B.	\$ 0.081 \$ 0.092	N/A N/A	
6.	Sprint Sense Local Toll <sup>sm</sup> Service						
	6.1	Per minute 6.1.1 Peak Rate 6.1.2 Off-Peak Rate	Non-Basic Non-Basic	12(D)(1) 12(D)(1)	\$ 0.255 \$ 0.104	N/A N/A	(1)

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				Service	Tariff	Maximum Allowable <u>Rate</u>		
	Service		<b>Classification</b>	Reference	Monthly	<u>NRC</u>		
7. Business Sense Local Toll <sup>sm</sup> Service								
	7.1 Monthly Minimum Level (Per Minute)							
		7.1.1	\$0 - Non-Term	Non-Basic	13.(D)(1)	\$ 0.185	N/A	(1)
		7.1.2	\$50 - Non-Term	Non-Basic	13.(D)(1)	\$ 0.174	N/A	` ´
		7.1.3	\$200 - Non-Term	Non-Basic	13.(D)(1)	\$ 0.163	N/A	
		7.1.4	\$0-One Year	Non-Basic	13.(D)(1)	\$ 0.174	N/A	
		7.1.5	\$50-One Year	Non-Basic	13.(D)(1)	\$ 0.163	N/A	l l
		7.1.6	\$200-One Year	Non-Basic	13.(D)(1)	\$ 0.139	N/A	
		7.1.7	\$0-Two Year	Non-Basic	13.(D)(1)	\$ 0.163	N/A	{
		7.1.8	\$50-Two Year	Non-Basic	13.(D)(1)	\$ 0.139	N/A	
		7.1.9	\$200-Two Year	Non-Basic	13.(D)(1)	\$ 0.127	N/A	
8.	800-210 Local Toll Calling Plan							
	<ul><li>8.1 Rate Per Minute</li><li>8.2 Surcharge</li></ul>		Non-Basic	14.(D)(1)	\$ 0.185	N/A		
			Non-Basic	14.(D)(1)	\$ 0.372	N/A	(1)	

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