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**VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY**

Mr. Dale Roberts  
Chief A.L.J./Executive Secretary  
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200 Madison Street, Suite 100  
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Re: Budget Phone, Inc.; Case No. XA-2003-0023

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed please find a request for extension of a tariff implementation date of September 23, 2002 for Budget Phone, Inc. Tariff No. 1, Case No. JL-2003-0037 for the Company's Application for Certificate of Service Authority to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications Services Within the State of Missouri. The original implementation date was September 12, 2002.

I have also enclosed an extra copy of this letter to be date stamped and returned to me in the enclosed, self-addressed, postage prepaid envelope. If you have any questions or if I may provide you with any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me via phone (678.775.2258) or email ([kcampbell@telecomcounsel.com](mailto:kcampbell@telecomcounsel.com)).

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosures

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