

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC, for Review and Reversal of North American Number Plan Administrator's Decision to Withhold Numbering Resources for the Dardenne, Missouri Rate Center)
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) **Case No. IO-2006-0428**
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ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, ESTABLISHING TIME FOR FILING
REQUESTS TO INTERVENE, AND ESTABLISHING TIME FOR
FILING RECOMMENDATIONS

Issue Date: May 12, 2006

Effective Date: May 12, 2006

This order directs that notice be sent to all certificated interexchange and basic local exchange telecommunications companies in the state of Missouri and to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator. The order also establishes dates for the filing of requests to intervene and for the filing of recommendations.

On May 10, 2006, CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC, filed an application under 47 C.F.R. 52.15(g)(3)(iv) requesting that the Commission overturn a decision of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator. This application concerns the Dardenne rate center. CenturyTel of Missouri asks that the Commission act upon its application as soon as possible because its available Dardenne MCA NXX numbers will soon be exhausted.

The Commission finds that proper persons should be allowed until May 22 to file a request for intervention or a motion for hearing. The Commission will direct its Data Center to send a copy of this order to each certificated interexchange and basic local exchange

telecommunications company in Missouri. In addition, the Data Center shall send a copy of this order to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator, NeuStar, Inc.

The Commission will direct its Staff to file a recommendation and will also establish a date by which any other party wishing to respond must file a recommendation.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Data Center shall send a copy of this order to each certificated interexchange and basic local exchange telecommunications company in Missouri and to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator, NeuStar, Inc.

2. Any party wishing to intervene or to request a hearing shall do so by filing an appropriate pleading no later than May 22, 2006, with:

Colleen M. Dale, Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

and send copies to:

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Attorneys for CenturyTel of Missouri

and:

Office of the Public Counsel
Post Office Box 2230
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

3. The Staff of the Commission shall file a recommendation regarding CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC's Application no later than June 2, 2006.

4. Any other party that wishes to file a recommendation regarding CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC's Application shall do so no later than June 2, 2006.

5. This order shall become effective on May 12, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Morris L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 12th day of May, 2006.