

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Big River Telephone)
LLC to Expand its Certificate of Basic Local Service)
Authority to Include Provision of Basic Local Exchange)
Telecommunications Service in the Exchanges of BPS) **Case No. LA-2006-0347**
Telephone Company and to Continue to Classify the)
Company and its Services as Competitive)

NOTICE OF DISMISSAL

Issue Date: May 9, 2006

Effective Date: May 9, 2006

On March 9, 2006, Big River Telephone, LLC, applied to the Missouri Public Service Commission for authority to expand its certificate of service authority into the exchanges of BPS Telephone Company. On May 8, Big River filed a Dismissal.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.116(1) states that a party may dismiss a complaint without an order of the Commission before prepared testimony or oral evidence has been offered. The parties have not offered prepared testimony or oral evidence. The Commission, therefore, will take notice of the dismissal. This case may be closed.

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BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 9th day of May, 2006.

Pridgin, Regulatory Law Judge