

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

THE MATTER OF THE ADOPTION OF THE)
SPECTRA COMMUNICATIONS GROUP, LLC /)
MISSOURI TELECOM, INC.)
INTERCONNECTION, RESALE AND)
UNBUNDLING AGREEMENT BY)
RYSTEC, INC.)
PURSUANT TO SECTION 252(i) OF THE)
TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996)

Case No. _____

**NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF INTERCONNECTION,
RESALE AND UNBUNDLING AGREEMENT**

COMES NOW Spectra Communications Group, LLC ("Spectra") and respectfully files this Notice of Adoption of Interconnection, Resale and Unbundling Agreement ("Notice of Adoption") pursuant to Section 252(i) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and 4 CSR 240-2.080 (3).¹ In connection with this filing, Spectra states as follows:

1. Spectra is a Delaware Limited Liability Company authorized to do business in Missouri as evidenced by the certificate of authority issued by the Missouri Secretary of State which was filed in Case No. TM-2000-182 and incorporated herein by reference. Spectra's principle place of business is 1151 CenturyTel Drive, Wentzville, Missouri 63885. The designated contact for purposes of the above-captioned, adopted Agreement is:

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¹ Spectra is filing this Notice of Adoption consistent with the manner approved by the Commission in Case Nos. TO-2000-756, -757 and -758.

2. Pursuant to Section 252(i) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the "Federal Act"), Rystec, Inc. ("Rystec") notified Spectra that it desired to adopt the terms of the Interconnection, Resale and Unbundling Agreement ("Terms") between Spectra and Missouri Telecom, Inc. ("MTI") approved by the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") in Case Number TK-2003-0474 ("Underlying Agreement"). Subsequent to this, Spectra and Rystec signed a cover letter relating Rystec's adoption of the Terms. A copy of said cover letter is attached to the Underlying Agreement, and that complete document is numbered seriatim and attached hereto as Attachment 1.

3. Section 252(i) of the Federal Act provides as follows:

(i) **AVAILABILITY TO OTHER TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIERS.-**

A local exchange carrier shall make available any interconnection services, or network element provided under an agreement approved under this section to which it is a party to any other requesting telecommunications carrier upon the same terms and condition as those provided in the agreement.

4. A copy of the Commission's June 5, 2003 Order approving the Underlying Agreement is attached hereto as Attachment 2. As described in the Order, the Commission approved the Underlying Agreement pursuant to Section 252(e) of the Federal Act by finding that it was consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity and did not discriminate against any telecommunications carrier. Accordingly, the Terms are adopted by Rystec and will apply to Rystec and Spectra pursuant to Section 252(i) of the Act. There are no outstanding issues between Spectra and Rystec relating to such

adoption.

WHEREFORE, Spectra respectfully submits this Notice of Adoption of Interconnection, Resale and Unbundling Agreement and requests that the Commission take notice of such adoption pursuant to its authority to regulate telecommunications carriers in the state of Missouri.

Respectfully submitted,



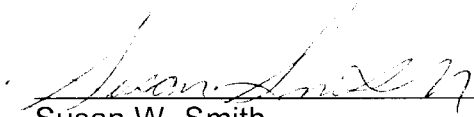
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VERIFICATION

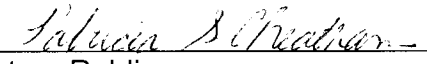
STATE OF TEXAS)
) SS
COUNTY OF BOWIE)

I, Susan W. Smith, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon my oath, state that I am the Director of External Affairs, CenturyTel, and that I am authorized to make this verification on behalf of Spectra Communications Group, L.L.C.; and that the facts set forth in the foregoing "Notice of Adoption of Interconnection, Resale and Unbundling Agreement" are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.



Susan W. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of February, 2004.



Notary Public

My Commission expires:

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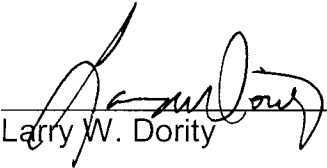
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been hand-delivered, transmitted by e-mail or mailed, First Class, postage prepaid, this 19th day of February, 2004 to:

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