

MEMORANDUM

To: Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File
Case No. LO-2005-0382 File No. YL-2005-0923
Granite Telecommunications LLC

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Subject: Recommendation to Approve Tariff

Date: April 22, 2005

On April 21, 2005, Granite Telecommunications LLC, a competitive long distance carrier, filed a Motion for Expedited Treatment of Tariffs in Case No. LO-2005-0382, requesting that the tariffs filed in YL-2005-0923 become effective May 1, 2005. The Commission issued an Order on April 21, 2005, directing the Staff to file its recommendation as soon as possible.

This company proposes to add Missouri Universal Service Fund language. The company will apply on each retail end-user's bill a surcharge equal to the Missouri Universal Service Fund percentage assessment ordered by the Commission. The surcharge will appear as a separate line item detailed as "Missouri Universal Service Fund." The surcharge percentage will be applied to the total of each customer's charges for intrastate regulated telecommunications services that meet the definition of net jurisdictional revenues at 4 CSR 240-31.010(12).

Staff recommends approval of the tariff sheets with the requested early effective date of May 1, 2005.

☒ The Company is not delinquent in filing an annual report and paying the PSC assessment.
☐ The Company is delinquent. Staff recommends the Commission grant the requested relief/action on the condition the applicant corrects the delinquency. The applicant should be instructed to make the appropriate filing in this case after it has corrected the delinquency.
(☐ No annual report ☐ Unpaid PSC assessment. Amount owed:)