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Mr. Dale Roberts
Chief Regulatory Law Judge
Missouri Public Service Commission
301 West High Street, Room 530
Jefferson, City, MO 65102

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Missouri Public
Service Commission

Re: In the Matter of Fidelity Communication Services I, Inc.; Case No. TA-2000-191

Dear Mr. Roberts,

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter are the original and fourteen (14) copies of a Motion to Cancel Early Prehearing Conference. In addition, I have included an extra copy which I request be file stamped and returned to me in the enclosed self-addressed envelope. A copy of the foregoing motion has been hand-delivered or mailed this date to the parties of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,

GREENSFELDER, HEMKER & GALE, P.C.

By *Jason L. Ross*
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cc: Office of Public Counsel
Mr. John T. Davis

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of)
Fidelity Communication Services I, Inc.)
for a Certificate of Service Authority to)
Provide Basic Local Telecommunications)
Service in Portions of the State of)
Missouri and for Competitive Classification)

Case No. TA-2000-191

MOTION TO CANCEL EARLY PREHEARING CONFERENCE

COMES NOW Fidelity Communication Services I, Inc., ("FCS I") and hereby requests that the early prehearing conference scheduled for November 18, 1999, be cancelled. In support of its Motion, FCS I states as follows:

1. FCS I applied to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") on August 26, 1999, for a certificate of service authority to provide basic local, local exchange and exchange access telecommunications services in portions of the state of Missouri under Sections 392.420-440, RSMo 1994, and Sections 392.410 and 392.450, RSMo Supp. 1998.
2. On September 30, 1999, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company ("SWBT") filed an application to intervene.
3. On October 28, 1999, the Commission granted SWBT intervention, and ordered an early prehearing conference on November 18, 1999, beginning at 10:00 a.m.
4. Since that time, counsel for FCS I and counsel for SWBT have conferred with each other and with the Commission regarding the possibility of entering into a Joint Stipulation and Agreement resolving SWBT's concerns about the access rates to be charged by FCS I.
5. FCS I has provided SWBT and the Commission with a proposed Joint Stipulation and Agreement. This proposed Joint Stipulation and Agreement is identical to the one entered by the parties in Case No. TA-2000-229 (Fidelity Communication Services II), except for

changes in the service area. Accordingly, FCS I has every reason to believe that this proposed Stipulation and Agreement will be expeditiously approved by the parties.

6. FCS I believes that the parties will be able to determine whether resolution of this matter is possible without resort to an adversarial proceeding by no later than Friday, November 19, 1999.

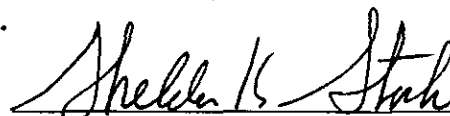
7. Accordingly, FCS I, concurred in by counsel for SWBT and counsel for the Commission, respectfully requests that the early prehearing conference be cancelled.

WHEREFORE, Fidelity Communication Services I, Inc., respectfully requests that the early prehearing conference scheduled for November 18, 1999, at 10:00 a.m. be cancelled.

Respectfully submitted,

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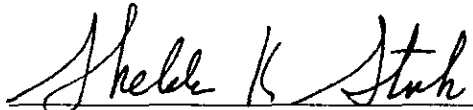
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been hand-delivered or mailed, postage prepaid, this 17th day of November, 1999 to:

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