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Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts  
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge  
Missouri Public Service Commission  
P.O. Box 360  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

**Re: In the Matter of the Request of KLM Telephone Company for an extension of time to file annual report; Case No. TE-2000-710**


Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed please find the original plus eight (8) copies of Response to Order Directing Filing for filing on behalf of KLM Telephone Company in the above referenced matter. Please bring this matter to the attention of the appropriate Commission personnel. A copy of this filing is being sent to all parties of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

BRYDON, SWEARENGEN & ENGLAND P.C.

By:   
Sondra B. Morgan

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Enclosures

cc: Office of Public Counsel  
MoPSC General Counsel  
KLM Telephone Company

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**KLM TELEPHONE COMPANY'S  
RESPONSE TO ORDER DIRECTING FILING**

Comes now KLM Telephone Company ("KLM") and for its Response to Order Directing Filing states to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) as follows:

1. On May 30, 2000, KLM filed its Third Request for Extension of Time to File Annual Report with the Commission requesting up to June 15, 2000, in which to complete and file its annual report. In its requests for extensions, KLM stated that due to the elimination of the Primary Toll Carrier Plan and the institution of dialing parity in its exchanges, there had been changes in the sources of its revenues and changes in its accounting which delayed the preparation of its annual report.

2. On June 12, 2000, the Commission issued its Order Requiring Filing in which it directed KLM to file a supplemental pleading, no later than June 22, which included a specific reference to the statutory provision or other authority under which it had requested the relief in its three motions.

3. KLM's three motions for extension of time in which to file its annual report were filed pursuant to § 392.210.1, RSMo 1994, and Commission rule 4 CSR 240-10.080(8) which states:

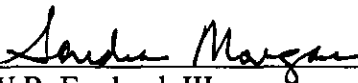
A utility which is unable to meet the filing date established in section (1) of this rule shall make a written request to extend the filing date for its annual report to the executive secretary and state the reason for the extension request. The executive secretary, through the chief administrative law judge, shall present the report to the commission for

approval. The executive secretary shall inform the utility in writing within three (3) days of the decision of the commission.

KLM regrets any confusion that the lack of a reference to a statute or other authority may have caused the Commission.

Wherefore, KLM respectfully requests that the Commission accept its Response to Order Directing Filing, grant its request for an extension of time to file its annual report pursuant to 4 CSR 240-10.080(8) up to June 15, 2000, and for any other relief appropriate in the circumstances.

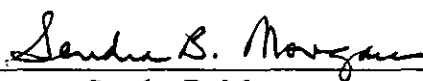
Respectfully submitted,

  
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Certificate of Service

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was hand delivered this 14<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2000, to the Office of Public Counsel, Truman State Office Building, 301 W. High Street, Jefferson City, MO 65102 and the General Counsel, Missouri Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, MO 65102.

  
Sondra B. Morgan