

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

DAVE WITTE

Complainant,

v.

SPRINT MISSOURI, INC.

Respondent.

Case No. IC-2004-0112

MEDIATION STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW Sprint Missouri, Inc., and for its Status Report in the above-referenced case states as follows:

1. On August 25, 2003, Complainant Mr. Dave Witte filed a complaint with the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") against Sprint Missouri, Inc. ("Sprint"). On September 15, 2003, the Commission issued its Notice of Complaint and, as part of that Notice, the Commission informed the parties of an available voluntarily mediation process. Sprint replied on September 19, 2003 requesting mediation to resolve this issue. Mr. Witte responded on October 16 and informed the Commission that he agreed to participate in mediation.

2. On October 24, 2003, the Commission issued an Order Acknowledging Mediation. The Order directed the parties to contact the Alternative Dispute Resolution Center at the Law School of the University of Missouri-Columbia to initiate the mediation process. In addition, the Commission ordered the parties to report the status of the mediation in writing on a monthly basis beginning November 24, 2003.

3. Pursuant to the Order, Sprint contacted Mr. James Levin, Associate Director of the Center for the Study of Dispute Resolution, at the Law School of the University of Missouri-Columbia, to initiate the mediation process. With the assistance of Mr. Levin, the parties agreed to a mediation date of December 5, 2003, at 9:00 a.m.

WHEREFORE, Sprint Missouri, Inc. hereby respectfully submits the above status report to the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the above and foregoing was served on the following parties by first-class/electronic/facsimile mail, this 21st day of November, 2003.

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