

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
JEFFERSON CITY
October 4, 2000**

CASE NO: TE-2000-841


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Enclosed find certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dale Hardy Roberts".

**Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Case No. TE-2000-841

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-10.080(1), "[a]ll public utilities subject to the jurisdiction of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file an annual report with the commission on or before April 15 of each year."

On June 23, 2000, Axces, Inc. (Axces) requested the Commission accept its 1999 annual report, which was filed along with its application for leave to file its annual report out of time. Axces stated that its annual report was rejected as not timely filed upon its initial filing. Axces did not state why its initial report was not timely filed. Axces stated that it is located in Texas and is a corporation and was, therefore, required to obtain a Missouri attorney in order to file its Motion for Leave to File Annual Report Out of Time and resubmit the report. Axces requested that the Commission grant its Motion for Leave to File Annual Report Out of Time and accept the attached 1999 annual report for filing as of June 23, 2000.

Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.015 authorizes the Commission to waive its own rules for good cause. While Axces stated that it was unable to complete its annual report and file it with the Commission in a timely manner, Axces failed to state the good cause for which the Commission should waive its rules and grant leave to Axces to file its annual report out of time. Therefore, the Commission will direct Axces to file a supplemental pleading stating its good cause for failing to file its annual report with the Commission in a timely manner.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That Axces, Inc. shall file a supplemental pleading with the Commission stating its good cause for its failure to file its 1999 annual report with the Commission in a timely manner no later than October 14, 2000.

2. That this order shall become effective on October 14, 2000.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Dale Hardy Roberts". The signature is written in a cursive, somewhat stylized script.

Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(S E A L)

Shelly A. Register, Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 4th day of October, 2000.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and
I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City,
Missouri, this 4th day of Oct. 2000.



Dale Hardy Roberts

Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge