BEFORE THE MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

PETITION OF SOCKET TELECOM, LLC)FOR COMPULSORY ARBITRATION OF)INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENTS WITH)CENTURYTEL OF MISSOURI, LLC AND)SPECTRA COMMUNICATIONS, LLC)PURSUANT TO SECTION 252(b)(1) OF THE)TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996)

CASE NO. TO-2006-0299

MOTION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE NOTICE

COMES NOW Socket Telecom, LLC ("Socket"), pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.130(1) and (15) and Section 386.480 RSMo. and other applicable law, and for its Motion for Administrative Notice states to the Commission and Arbitrator as follows:

1. Both CenturyTel Missouri and Spectra are subsidiaries of CenturyTel, Inc., and are successors in interest to GTE Midwest, Inc. aka Verizon Midwest. (See Report and Order, Case No. CO-2005-0066, p. 12).

2. On June 27, 2002, the Commission recognized Socket's adoption of the approved GTE/AT&T interconnection agreement in Case No. TK-2002-1085. After CenturyTel Missouri acquired its current exchanges from GTE (then doing business as Verizon), CenturyTel Missouri and Socket continued operating under the GTE/AT&T agreement.

3. On November 30, 2005, the Commission approved an amendment to the adopted interconnection agreement between CenturyTel Missouri and Socket, as well as an interim interconnection agreement between Socket and Spectra in Case No. TK-2006-0175. That interim agreement contains all but certain specified provisions of the GTE/AT&T agreement under which CenturyTel Missouri and Socket operate.

4. The GTE/AT&T agreement was the product of arbitration under 47 USC 252 before this Commission, Case No. TO-97-63.

5. In this current arbitration between Socket and the CenturyTel entities, many issues will involve provisions set forth in the current agreements between the parties, which again were developed between GTE and AT&T by means of arbitration before the Commission. The Commission's Report and Order of July 31, 1997 provides important background information and insight into the contents of the GTE/AT&T agreement.

6. Accordingly, pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.130, Socket requests that the Commission and Arbitrator take administrative notice of the July 31, 1997 Report and Order in Case No. TO-97-63, including any orders on rehearing or orders modifying or clarifying that Report and Order.

7. Portions of the Report and Order, including some attachments thereto, are not open to the public. Under Section 386.480 RSMo., Socket requests that the Commission make such confidential portions of the Report and Order available to the parties in this case under the terms and conditions of the protective order issued herein, so that the parties have equal access to the complete contents of the Report and Order. Given that the parties each stand in the place of the original parties to the agreement by means of the adoption process, and that the CenturyTel entities are successors to GTE (which no longer operates as an ILEC in the state), it is necessary and proper to afford the parties access to information that underlies the provisions of their current agreements in this manner.

8. Socket requests prompt action on this request, so that the parties can incorporate pertinent provisions of the Report and Order into their testimony in this case.

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WHEREFORE, Socket respectfully requests the Commission and Arbitrator grant this motion, take notice of the aforesaid records, and make such records available to the parties as described above.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the undersigned has caused a complete copy of the attached document to be electronically filed and served on the Commission's Office of General Counsel (at <u>gencounsel@psc.mo.gov</u>), the Office of Public Counsel (at <u>opcservice@ded.mo.gov</u>), counsel for CenturyTel Missouri and Spectra (at <u>lwdority@sprintmail.com</u>), Susan Smith (at susan.smith@centurytel.com), Becky Powell (at becky.powell@centurytel.com), Arthur P. Martinez (at arthur.martinez@centurytel.com), and Calvin Simshaw (at calvin.simshaw@centurytel.com) on this the 27th day of January, 2006.

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