BEFORE THE MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of)	
NuVox Communications of Missouri, Inc.)	CASE No. TF-2006-0408
For Authority to Provide Its)	
Security in Connection with Financing)	

MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER

COMES NOW NuVox Communications of Missouri, Inc. ("NuVox") and pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.085 hereby moves the Commission to issue a standard protective order on the following grounds:

- 1. On April 18, 2006, NuVox filed an Application and Request for Expedited Treatment in connection with the above-styled proceeding.
- 2. The Commission has recognized in numerous dockets that there is a genuine need to protect certain confidential information from disclosure. The issuance of protective orders in prior cases has provided a sound method for submitting confidential information.
- 3. In this case, certain financial information which is considered to be highly confidential has been requested by Staff and this information should not be made public. Public disclosure would harm the competitive interests of NuVox. The confidential information cannot be found in any format in any public document.
 - 4. The Commission should establish its standard protective order.

WHEREFORE, NuVox Communications of Missouri, Inc., respectfully requests the Commission to issue a protective order.

Respectfully submitted,

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