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Missouri Public Service Commission

Subject: Motion To Request New Date For On The Record Presentation Case No. TA-2000-204

Dear Sir,

Please find and file the attached Motion of Missouri State Discount Telephone. There is one original and 10 copies.

If there are additional questions, please contact me at once by phone.

Sincerely,

Harry L. Thielepape

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION LED OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI MAY 3 2000

		Missouri Public
IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)	Missouri Public Se rvice Commissio n
MISSOURI STATE DISCOUNT TELEPHONE)	
FOR A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY TO)	CASE NO.
PROVIDE BASIC LOCAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS)	TA-2000-204
SERVICE IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI AND)	
TO CLASSIFY SAID SERVICES AND)	
MISSOURI STATE DISCOUNT TELEPHONE)	
AS COMPETITIVE.	ĺ	

MOTION REQUESTING COMMISSION ISSUE NEW SCHEDULED DATE FOR MISSOURI STATE DISCOUNT TELEPHONE TO PROVIDE ON THE RECORD PRESENTATION

On September 01, 1999, Missouri State Discount Telephone filed an Application for Certificate of Authority and for Competitive Classification. On March 09, 2000, the Commission issued an order that directed the parties to appear for an on the record presentation regarding the stipulation and agreement. The on the record presentation was scheduled for March 24, 2000.

Missouri State Discount Telephone regretfully did not receive notification to appear.

Staff, Southwestern Bell, the Small Telephone Group, and the Mid-Missouri Group of
Local Exchange Companies did appear. All of the Commissions questions were unable to
be answered about MSDT's application.

Missouri State Discount Telephone respectfully request the Commission to issue a new date for MSDT to timely provide on the record presentation to the Commission, MSDT also respectively request the Commission not to dismiss the Application of Missouri State Discount Telephone.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

It is also verified that a true and correct copy of the attached Motion will be delivered to the following interested parties by Over-Night Mail and Fax.

Verified this date May 02, 2000.

Harry L. Thielepape-President,

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