

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Missouri RSA )	
No. 7 Limited Partnership d/b/a Mid-Missouri )	
Cellular for Designation as a Telecommunications )	
Company Carrier Eligible for Federal Universal )	<u>Case No. TO-2003-0531</u>
Service Support Pursuant to Section 254 of the )	
Telecommunications Act of 1996. )	

**SPRINT MISSOURI, INC. AND SPRINT SPECTRUM L.P.**  
**D/B/A SPRINT PCS MOTION TO BE EXCUSED**

COME NOW Sprint Missouri Inc. and Sprint Spectrum L.P. d/b/a Sprint PCS (herein referred to collectively as "Sprint"), and respectfully submits its Motion to be Excused. In support of its Motion, Sprint states the following:

1. Sprint requests to be excused from attending the hearing, as it does not currently anticipate making an opening statement or conducting any cross-examination. Moreover, Sprint has not submitted any pre-filed testimony in this matter.

2. Sprint requests that it retains the right to file briefs in accordance with subsequent scheduling orders, including to address any unexpected developments at the hearing.

WHEREFORE, Sprint respectfully requests the Commission to excuse them from attending the hearings in this matter.

Respectfully submitted.

**SPRINT**



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the above and foregoing was served on each of the following parties by first-class/electronic/facsimile mail this 20th day of January, 2004:

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