

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of Spectra Communications)	
Group, LLC d/b/a CenturyTel's Request for)	Case No. IO-2006-0108
Competitive Classification Pursuant to)	
Section 392.245.5, RSMo. (2005).)	

RESPONSE OF NPG CABLE, INC.
TO ORDER DIRECTING FILING

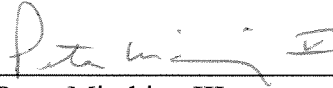
COMES NOW, NPG Cable, Inc. d/b/a St. Joseph Cablevision, Inc. ("NPG Cable"), by and through the undersigned counsel, and respectfully submits its response to the Commission's Order Granting Intervention, Resetting Hearing, Adding Parties, and Directing Filing issued in this matter on September 22, 2005. As its Response, NPG Cable states the following:

1. NPG Cable is a provider of voice over internet protocol ("VoIP") services in the Savannah exchange.
2. NPG Cable provides VoIP services to more than two residential customers in the Savannah exchange.
3. NPG Cable does not provide VoIP services to any business customers in the Savannah exchange.
4. Attached is the Verification of Bill Severn, the General Manager of NPG Cable, Inc., verifying these facts.
5. Having complied with the Commission's Order of September 22, 2005, and having withdrawn its objection in this proceeding, NPG Cable respectfully requests to be excused from the hearing in this case now scheduled for September 28, 2005. NPG Cable's witness is not available on that date, and NPG Cable does not have an interest in participating in the hearing through counsel.

WHEREFORE, NPG Cable respectfully requests that the Commission excuse NPG Cable from appearing at the hearing on September 28, 2005.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Peter Mirakian III, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing Recommendation and Objection of NPG Cable, Inc. d/b/a St. Joseph Cablevision. in Case No. IO-2006-0108 was sent by electronic mail on this 27th day of September, 2005, to the following:

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VERIFICATION

State of Missouri)
) ss
County of Buchanan)

I, Bill Severn, first being duly sworn, state on my oath that I am the General Manager of NPG Cable, Inc. I am authorized to act for NPG Cable, Inc. regarding the foregoing Response to Order Directing Filing. I have read the Response and affirm that the statements therein are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Bill Severn
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of September, 2005.

Lori Hargrave
Notary Public

My commission expires:

LORI HARGRAVE, NOTARY PUBLIC
BUCHANAN COUNTY, STATE OF MISSOURI
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES APRIL 23, 2007