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Missouri Public Service Commission  
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**Via Federal Express**  
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Re: In the Matter of Spectra Communications Group, LLC PSC Mo. No. 2  
Facilities for Intrastate Access

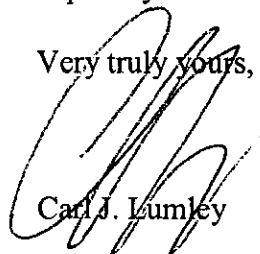
Dear Secretary of the Commission:

Enclosed please find for filing with office an original and nine (9) copies of the Attachment to WorldCom's Motion to Suspend, which was filed with office through the EFIS System on August 7, 2002.

Also enclosed for filing with your office is an original and nine (9) copies of the Entry of Appearance of Steve Morris on behalf of MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc.

Upon your receipt, please file stamp the extra copies received and return to the undersigned in the enclosed, self-addressed, stamped envelope. If you have any questions, please contact us.

Very truly yours,



Carl J. Lumley

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P.O. Box 360  
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Re: **Spectra Communication Group, LLC**  
**PSC MO. No. 2 Facilities for Intrastate Access**

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Spectra Communications Group, LLC, please find three copies of the following revised tariff sheets.

PSC MO. NO. 2, Section 2, 1st Revised Sheet 16, Cancels Original Sheet 16  
PSC MO. NO. 2, Section 2, Original Sheet 16.1

The purpose of this filing is to change the deposit regulations related to conditions under which the Company may request security deposits from carriers (not local exchange service subscribers). Given the current financial environment, particularly in the telecommunications industry, the Company is facing greater risks for uncollectibles due to the payment defaults and feels these revisions are necessary to ensure that adequate security is held as a guarantee of payment.

Please see that this filing is brought to the attention of the appropriate Commission personnel. If there are any questions regarding the attached they may be directed to me at the above number.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely

BRYDON, SWEARENGEN & ENGLAND P.C.

By:

*Sondra B. Morgan*  
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## FACILITIES FOR INTRASTATE ACCESS

### 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS (Cont'd)

#### 2.3 Obligation of the Customer (Cont'd)

##### 2.3.12 (Reserved for Future Use)

##### 2.3.13 Coordination With Respect to Network Contingencies

The customer shall, in cooperation with the Telephone Company, coordinate in planning the actions to be taken to maintain maximum network capability following natural or man-made disasters which affect telecommunications services.

#### 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances

##### 2.4.1 Payment of Charges and Deposits

###### (A) Deposits

(C)

In order to safeguard its interests, the Telephone Company reserves the right to require the customer to secure its account prior to the establishment of service and/or at any time after the provision of service in the form of a cash deposit, as described below.

A security deposit may be required prior to the installation of new service or the transfer of existing service, when the customer has a proven history of late payments to the Telephone Company or does not have established credit. Such security deposit will not exceed an amount equal to the estimated total rates and charges for the service(s) ordered for a two-month period.

A security deposit or an additional security deposit may be required from an existing customer at any time following installation of service when: 1) the customer has established a history of late payments to the Telephone Company; 2) the customer's gross monthly billing has increased beyond the amount initially used to estimate a security deposit, if applicable; and/or 3) the Telephone Company becomes aware that the customer's credit worthiness has fallen below commercially acceptable levels as determined by an independent credit rating or reporting service. Such security deposit will not exceed an amount equal to the total rates and charges for two months of the customer's actual billing for the service(s). In the event an existing customer fails to remit a deposit required under this section, service(s) to that customer may be discontinued in accordance with the terms specified in Section 2.1.8(A), preceding.

If pursuant to this section, the Telephone Company requests a security deposit from an existing customer that has any term plan commitment in and such existing customer accepts the condition that continuation of its service(s) is contingent upon its provision to the Telephone Company of the requested security deposit, then the regulations specified in this section will apply to the customer for the remainder of the term plan commitment to which the customer subscribes.

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Material has been moved to Sheet 16.1

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Jeffrey Glover  
Vice President - External Relations  
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## FACILITIES FOR INTRASTATE ACCESS

2. GENERAL REGULATIONS (Cont'd)2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances (Cont'd)2.4.1 Payment of Charges and Deposits (Cont'd)(A) Deposits (Cont'd)

If pursuant to this section, the Telephone Company requests a security deposit from an existing customer that has any term plan commitment in place and such existing customer rejects the condition that continuation of its service(s) is contingent upon its provision to the Telephone Company of the requested security deposit, then upon discontinuance of the customer's service(s) and the resulting termination of the associated term plan commitment(s), the Telephone Company will waive the applicable termination liability charge(s) for each such term plan commitment terminated. (C)

The fact that a deposit has been made in no way relieves the Customer from complying with the Telephone Company's regulations as to the prompt payment of bills. At such time as the provision of the service to the customer is terminated, the amount of the deposit will be credited to the customer's account and any credit balance which may remain will be refunded. (M)

Such a deposit will be refunded or credited to the account when the customer has established commercially acceptable credit as defined above and has established a one-year prompt payment record. For the period the deposit is held by the Telephone Company, the customer will receive simple interest at the same percentage rate as that set forth in the Telephone Company General and/or Local Tariff. (M)

(B) Where the provision of FIA requires facilities that meet any of the conditions specified in 10.1.1, Special Construction charges in Section 10 will apply. (M)