

In the matter of the)
Application of)
Exergy Group, LLC)
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for a certificate of service)
authority to provide) Case No. _____
interexchange telecommunications))
services and to classify such)
services and the company as)
Competitive)

Exergy Group, LLC, ("Applicant"), a Florida Limited Liability Company, files this verified application respectfully requesting that the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") issue an order that:

- In support of its request, Applicant states:

Exergy Group, LLC
1550 W. 84th Street, Suite 50
Hialeah, Florida 33014
(305) 822-3896/Phone
(305) 822-2919/Facsimile

A copy of Applicant's Articles of Organization and certificate of authority from the Missouri Secretary of State to transact business in Missouri are attached hereto as Exhibit I.

2. The name and address of Applicant's in-state attorney is:

Judith A. Rau, Esq.
Rau & Rau
119 E. Mill Street
Waterloo, Illinois 62298

3. Applicant is a reseller of telecommunications services.

Applicant proposes to provide interexchange telecommunications services within Missouri including direct outbound dialing (1+ and 101XXXX), 800 and 888 (inbound Toll-Free), travel cards, and prepaid calling cards. Applicant respectfully requests authority to provide service to prospective business and residential customers throughout the State of Missouri.

4. Applicant has the experience in the telecommunications industry and the technical and financial resources to provide telecommunications services within Missouri. A brief description of the qualifications and experience of the key management employees is attached hereto as Exhibit II. A copy of the Applicant's Statement of Financial Position as of December 18, 2002 is attached hereto as Exhibit III.

5. Applicant's Tariff is attached as Exhibit IV. The proposed tariff contains the rules and regulations applicable to its customers, a description of the services offered, and a list of rates associated with such services.

6. Applicant requests classification as a competitive telecommunications company within the State of Missouri, and that its services are classified as competitive. Applicant believes that its proposed services will be subject to sufficient competition to justify a lesser degree of regulation. Granting of this application is in the public interest as it will allow greater price and service options for telephone users.

7. Applicant also respectfully requests, pursuant to Section 392.420 RSMo (Cum. Supp. 1992), that the Commission waive the application of the following rules and statutory provisions as it relates to the regulation of Applicant:

392.210.2 Establish Uniform System of Accounts for Annual reports
392.240(1) Setting just and reasonable rates
392.270 Ascertain Property values
392.280 Establish Depreciation accounts
392.290 Issuance of securities
392.300.2 Acquisition of stock
392.310 Issuance of stock and debt
392.320 Stock Dividend Payment
392.330 Issuance of securities, debts and notes
392.340 Reorganization(s)
4 CSR 240-10.020 Depreciation fund income
4 CSR 240-30.010(2) (C) Posting exchange rates at central offices.
4 CSR 240-33.030 Inform customers of lowest price
4 CSR 240-35 Reporting of bypass
4 CSR 240-30.040 Uniform System of Accounts

The above-referenced rules and statutory provisions have been waived as to other interexchange carriers in prior cases.

8. Applicant, pursuant to Section 386.570, Cum. Supp. 1992, will comply with all applicable Commission rules except those which are specifically waived by the Commission pursuant to a request filed by the Applicant.

9. Correspondence or communications pertaining to this Application should be addressed to:

Lance J.M. Steinhart, Esq.
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(770) 232-9208 (Fax)

10. The Applicant has no pending actions or final unsatisfied judgments or decisions against it from any state or federal agency or court which involve customer service or rates, which action, judgment or decision has occurred within three (3) years of the date of this application. No Commission annual reports or assessment fees are overdue.

11. Grant of this Application will further the public interest by expanding the availability of competitive telecommunications services in the State of Missouri. In addition, intrastate offering of these services is in the public interest because the services will provide Missouri customers with access to new technologies and service choices, and can permit customers to achieve increased efficiencies and cost savings. In particular, the public will benefit directly, through the use of the competitive services to be offered by Applicant, and indirectly, because the presence of Applicant in this market will increase the incentives for other telecommunications providers to operate more efficiently, offer more innovative services, reduce their prices, and improve their quality of service.

WHEREFORE, Applicant, Exergy Group, LLC, respectfully requests that the Missouri Public Service Commission grant it a certificate of service authority to provide interexchange telecommunications services within the State of Missouri. Applicant also requests classification as a competitive telecommunications company and that its services be classified as competitive. In addition Applicant requests a waiver of the above-referenced rules and statutory provisions.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTACHED EXHIBITS

Exhibit I	Missouri Secretary of State Authorization And Articles of Organization
Exhibit II	Executive Officers' Qualifications and Experience
Exhibit III	Financial Information
Exhibit IV	Tariff

Exhibit I
Missouri Secretary of State Authorization
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Articles of Organization

Exhibit II
Executive Officers' Qualifications and Experience

See attached Resumes

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Chady Abou

Objective

To elevate my knowledge and experience to a point that makes me perform to the maximum of my abilities

Experience

1996–1997 OXY Venezuela Maracaibo, VE

Account and Project Consultant

- Analyzed and proposed solutions for interdepartmental accounting inconsistencies within the company.
- Design a new interdepartmental workflow to be suited for new Oracle based software to be acquired to replace the existing AS400 system.
- Assisted the materials department in implementing inventory accounting control strategies.

1997–Present A y M la Florida USA Inc Miami, FL

Executive Vice-President / Manager

- Increased rental revenues by 35%.
- Manage 120,000 square feet of commercial real estate property.
- Implemented new office workflow and filing system.
- Financial and investing planning responsibilities.
- Implemented new computerized rental management process.
- Manage and budget maintenance resources.
- Negotiate and execute contractual agreements with tenants or potential tenants.

1997 – Present

Web and Graphics designer

- Currently working on web sites utilizing Macromedia Flash 5.0 and MX
- Over 5 Years experience in graphics design software such as: Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Macromedia Fireworks, Macromedia Flash, Adobe Live motion, Adobe Premiere, Painter, among others

Education

1992–1997 **Universidad Rafael Bellosó Chacín** Maracaibo, VE

B.A., Business Administration / 5 Year program degree.

- Graduated top 5 in class.

2000 **Broward Community College** Fort Lauderdale, FL

Advanced Macromedia Flash course, concluded in December 2000

2001-Present **University Of Phoenix** Fort Lauderdale, FL

Seeking MSCIS Master degree, 4.0 GPA average so far, after MSCIS is finished in 2003 will pursue additional credits towards MBA

Interests

SR Board of Directors, tennis, computers, graphics design, web design, autos, boats, football, science, audio - visual technology.

WALTER J. RUSAK

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Dynamic, versatile, and accomplished senior telecom executive with broad-based experience in both entrepreneurial and Fortune 50 companies including AT&T, MCI Telecommunications, and Southwestern Bell. Known for building talented, motivated organizations. A licensed engineer with a significant track record

- Providing sustained leadership in competitive, high growth, entrepreneurial environments;
- Defining and achieving objectives within a cost effective framework; and
- Leading a variety of engineering and operations organizations.

Specific areas of expertise include:

P&L Management
Project Management

Technical Ops Management
IXC/CLEC Network Planning

Customer Relations Management
Contract Negotiations

CHRONOLOGICAL SUMMARY OF CAREER ACHIEVEMENTS

NetOne International

Vice President Operations
Orlando, Florida
2000 to Present

Complete P&L management responsibility for sales and marketing, customer relations, finance/credit and collections, billing, and network operations. As an integrated communications provider, NetOne International provides a full spectrum of bundled telecom services including long distance, data, Internet access, and travel card services. NetOne International is evaluating the addition of local dialtone, wireless, unified messaging and universal number services into its product portfolio. Major accomplishments include:

- Establishing a positive EBITDA position within 12 months of initial operation
- Creating an in-house telesales organization and improving sales per hour by over 100%
- Introducing Equifax credit checking of new customer accounts, adopting aggressive collections processes, and reducing bad debt by 30%
- Creating wholesale resale and agent distribution channels
- Dramatically improving international call transmission quality
- Increasing international call % ASR by 30%
- Reducing customer churn by enhancing the quality of CRM
- Establishing an overseas inbound/outbound call center
- Deploying a Lucent EXS tandem/calling card switch
- Conducting evaluations of Softswitch and VOIP media gateway technologies
- Evaluating convergent billing systems

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Mpower Communications, Inc.

Vice President, Network Engineering and Operations
Las Vegas, Nevada
1998 to 2000

Mpower is a nationwide provider of integrated local, long distance and high-speed Internet access services. Over a 30-month time frame, substantial accomplishments in network planning, design, and operations were attained:

- Negotiated and implemented a national SS7 database services agreement that reduced costs by \$ 70,000 + per month.
- Deployed twelve DMS 500 TDM switches and six major ATM hub switches.
- Added over 600 co-location sites equipped with metallic POTS DLC, and derived voice and data DSL equipment.
- Negotiated and implemented three IXC long distance services agreements that significantly reduced domestic and international terminating costs.
- Defined VoIP technologies for nation wide deployment and developed the current ATM/IP network architecture.
- Provided direction and oversight to a technology task force, which evaluated the deployment of dark/lambda fiber and related optronics in metropolitan and intercity environments.
- Provided direction and oversight for the evaluation and future implementation of TDM network replacement technologies/protocols such as MEGACO, MGCP, Softswitch technologies and private IP networks over MPLS.
- Provided direction and oversight for product evaluations including lab testing of DSLAMs, crossconnect/test access equipment, TDM/IP gateways, IADs and IP switches.

United Digital Network, Inc.

Chief Technical Officer
Dallas, Texas
1996 to 1998

United Digital Network provided long distance and enhanced services in a six-state region utilizing switching platforms in Los Angeles, Phoenix, and Dallas. In 1998, revenues increased more than 50% to \$3 million per month and the customer base grew over 100% to 30,000 customers.

Responsible for all aspects of technical operations, which included customer relations, network planning

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and engineering, network operations, and management information systems. Major initiatives included:

- Deploying a Los Angeles class 4 switch.
- Installation of a Feature Group D network in California and Nevada.
- Development of a conversion plan to consolidate three billing systems into a convergent billing system operating on an IBM AS-400 platform.
- Reorganizing customer relations function into three distinct modules -- order entry/fulfillment, electronic service provisioning, and customer service with quality assurance controls and productivity monitoring/reporting.

ICG Telecom Group, Inc.

Senior Vice President
General Manager of California
Irvine, California
1995 to 1996

Complete P&L management responsibility for ICG's CLEC operations in California. Within a nine-month period with a staff of four vice presidents, one director, three managers, and over 100 personnel, revenues grew from \$1,650,000/month to \$3,200,000/month, and was projected to be \$4,800,000/month within twelve months; a \$58 million annualized run rate. Significant network development was achieved:

- Deployed two additional class 5 switches for a total of six switches in California.
- An increase of 140 buildings connected to the network.
- A gain of 3,800 fiber strand miles in operation.
- A gain of 23,000 fiber strand miles under construction.
- Monthly switched minute of use growth of 95 million MOU.

Added 21,000 strand miles of fiber and 500 miles of right of way (ROW) after consummating significant right of way agreements with Southern California Edison and the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power totaling 21,000 strand miles of fiber and 500 miles of ROW.

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U.S. Long Distance, Inc.

Senior Vice President, Operations
San Antonio, Texas
1991 to 1995

Responsible for U.S. Long Distance's 1+ and operator services network, network engineering and operations, CPE installation and maintenance, operator service platform installation and maintenance, operator center management, and network planning and optimization. Organization included one vice president and four directors.

From 1991 until 1995 U.S. Long Distance's network expanded from the Southwest region into the Pacific Northwest and California markets. At the same time, U.S. Long Distance's revenues grew from \$33 million to a fiscal year '95 target of \$208 million. Specific accomplishments include:

- Deploying class 4 switches in Houston, Seattle, and Los Angeles
- Developing and implementing nationwide CCS7 capability utilizing DSC SP/MCI VSNET signaling network architecture.
- Deploying Telenex 7-View CCS7 surveillance system.
- Deploying DSC/Sage trunk testing system.
- Integrating Switch-Link operator services software with the DSC DOSS operator service hardware platform.
- Deploying and managing a 200 workstation operator center with automated call processing capability.
- Developing and implementing an adjunct processor capability in the network, which provided enhanced call processing and management functionality not available in the current DEX 600/400 X.08 software release.
- Integrating four acquired IXC networks into U.S. Long Distance's network and converted three acquired switchless resell customer bases.
- Developing and implementing administrative mechanized support systems which addressed:
 - o Real time fraud monitoring and control
 - o Network line cost reconciliation and reporting
 - o Network traffic engineering
 - o Network provisioning
 - o Circuit and equipment inventory
 - o Network planning
 - o Switch routing verification
 - o Operator center load balancing and scheduling

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MCI Telecommunications Corp.

Director of Domestic Network Engineering
McLean, Virginia and Richardson, Texas
1989 to 1991

Responsible for MCI's domestic network in four areas:

- Switched network provisioning -- Responsible for the monitoring and servicing of MCI's domestic switched services network, operator service, digital reconfiguration service, switched 56 service, and the CCS7 signaling networks. Organization also included overall project management responsibility for all switch installations, decommissions and rehomes for MCI's 107 switch network. Switch network utilization improved significantly.
- Switched network routing -- Worked in concert with the switched network provisioning function, addressed the maintenance/enhancement of routing algorithms for MCI's entire domestic and international switch network. Critical database functions were performed for the provisioning of 800/900 and operator services that were growing at double-digit rates.
- Facilities provisioning -- Responsible for domestic transport spectrum allocation for switched network and private line services. This function included project management responsibilities for MCI's switched network digitalization and DDN network initiatives.
- Facilities management -- Optimized the domestic transport network in addition to performing current planning activities for transport facilities and equipment. Specifically, facility rearrangement and multiplexer equipment recovery far exceeded the \$20 million objective.

Organization included 160 engineers and support personnel.

PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT

Telecom*USA -- 1985 to 1989

Southwestern Bell -- 1978 to 1985

AT&T Corp. -- 1976 to 1978

New York Telephone -- 1970 to 1976

EDUCATION

State University of New York at Buffalo
Master of Business Administration
Bachelor of Science-Electrical Engineering

Professional Engineer - State of Texas

Résumé of YASSER H. AL FAKIEH

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QUALIFICATIONS

1986 - 2001 Computer Experience as follows:

- **Programming and Web designing:** Basic, Fortran, Visual Basic, Turbo Pascal, **SQL, Delphi**, Internet programming using Delphi: HTML, DHTML, ASP, MSSQL, VBScript, ZOPE, JavaScript, Perl and PHP, MYSQL, MS-FrontPage, E-Commerce solutions.
- Very good user of: MS-DOS, WINDOWS (3.1, 95, 98, ME, 2000, XP, NT, Server) MS-Office, Adobe PhotoShop and many other software.
- **Networking** Local Area Networks (Ethernet), installation, and configuration. Wireless networking.
- **Hardware:** Computer Assembly, setup, maintenance (built over 700 Computers in the last five years),
- **Software:** Installation, and support.

EDUCATION

1993 **B. S.,** Engineering, Damascus University, Damascus, Syria.

2001 Evaluation of Academics and experience, in the United States:

Degree: Bachelor of Science in Engineering

 Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems

Projects and Software Programmed:

- **Accounting System for small Businesses** (Turbo Pascal & Delphi), (Arabic Interface)
- **Musical Archive for Music Shops** (Turbo Pascal & Delphi), (Arabic Interface)
- **Administrative and accounting system** of the Engineering Syndicate in Swaida Branch (Syria) (Delphi). (Arabic Interface)
- **Administrative and accounting system of Photo Processing Labs** (Delphi) (Arabic Interface)
- Copy protection module (Used in some of my programs to prevent these programs from functioning in case of illegal copies or use).
- **Syrian Laws**, Delphi (Arabic Interface).

- **Telephone Directory for Swaida City** includes Caller ID & Call Back (Delphi) (Arabic Interface).
- **Web sites:**
 - * **Ayna Internet Directory** (<http://www.ayna.com>) some portions of this portal.
 - * **Yabazaar** (E-Commerce) (<http://www.yabazaar.com>)
 - * Working on other websites (Under construction: sanabil.net, showfe.com (e-commerce), rugmen.com).
- **Telecom. Software development:**
 - 1- Telecom. Collections program (Using ASP, Delphi, MSSQL server)
 - 2- Tele-Sales Leads Interface, for sales agents with full control of the leads, can handle multiple campaigns, new and winback, time zone filtering, “do not call list and more”, can be connected to a dialer. (Using ASP, Delphi, Javascript, MYSQL)
 - 3- LCRM (Lowest Cost Rate Management) software for creating retail and wholesale telecom. Plans, routing tables to be imported to switches, rate manager. (Using Delphi and MYSQL).
 - 4- CDRs manager, for merging daily CDRs (Call logs) downloaded from the switch, creating monthly reports and traffic analysis, ASR reports, can read Gentel Switches format and Global Crossing switches format, with the capability of adding other formats, it is useful for CDRs searching, summarizing CDRs, cost per minute for each carrier and country, and traffic analysis. (Using Delphi, MYSQL).
 - 5- TPV (Third Party Verification) interface for tele-sales (Using ASP, MYSQL).
 - 6- Telecom Credit Limit analyzer and reporter, is used by the customer service. (ASP, Delphi, MSSQL).
 - 7- Sales daily reports and analyzer, connected to a time clock machine for calculating the sales agents SPH (Sales per hour) (Delphi, MSACCESS, MYSQL).
 - 8- Time Clock, for tracking the employees working hours, and vacations, generate reports for the payroll. (Using Delphi, MYSQL);
 - 9- A special program for supporting the billing system used in one of the telecom companies (Netone Int.), that has the following functionalities:
 - a. Reads and analyzes the bills output file generated every cycle, and converts it from text format to a database format (MYSQL), in order to be used in the companies website.
 - b. Generate sample bills from the real data file in order to send them to the bills printing company to verify the bills before printing.

- c. Used to refresh the customers database used for the website.
- d. Immediate bill view in the same printing format.
- e. Other assisting functions.
- f. Using Delphi, MYSQL.

10- NetOne International web portal, (www.netoneint.com), has the following main categories:

- a. Information about the companies, calling plans, and other services.
- b. Managing Customers accounts: View and pay their bills online, check their latest balance, and status.
- c. Trouble ticketing system.
- d. Online sign-up requests.
- e. Referral program.
- f. Prepaid calling cards and pin numbers manager.
- g. Fully dynamic website, using HTML,ASP, JavaScript for the front-end, and ASP, DELPHI, MYSQL for the back-end.

11- Prepaid pins recharge program. (Delphi)

- Other personal projects:

- a. Personal websites for web traffic analysis and statistics (www.reallyeasy.net) still under developing, using HTML, ASP, MYSQL.
- b. Web Chat software (Client/ server) using UDP or TCP/IP (Delphi and MYSQL).
- c. Web voice-chat software (Delphi) (Under developing)
- d. Designing and programming a customizable web portals (www.swaida.com, www.syriaway.com,) can be easily customized and private labeled, (a turn key web portal), using HTML, ASP, and MYSQL.
- e. Programming a web interface for DNS web hosting, and configuring, can connect and update the DNS settings of the DNS server instantly.
- f. Setting up Web servers (Windows, Apache), DNS servers and email servers.
- g. A mini prepaid long-distance CRS, and billing system.

EMPLOYMENT

1990 - 1993 Worked for Al-hadara International Center in Damascus, as a teacher of programming and system analysis, in Pascal, Basic, in addition to Database management, and operating systems. (Part time 20 hours/week)

1993 - 1994 Worked for Al-hadara International Center as a teacher of programming and system analysis, in Pascal, Basic, in addition to Database management, and operating systems. (Full-time 48 hrs/week)

1996 - 1998 Re-worked for Al-hadara International Center as a head of programming department and a teacher of programming and system analysis, with Pascal, Delphi, Visual Basic, HTML and Web-designing, in addition to Database management (Full-time 48 hrs/week)

1999 – 2000 E-Commerce project (YABAZAAR.COM), using HTML, DHTML, Java script, SQL, and InterShop System from PSI, for Telecom Development Limited (TDL), Damascus. (Full-time on-site and on-line)

1998 - 2001 Self-employed, as a manager, teacher and trainer in my own two computer centers:

- **Alfakieh Computer Teaching Center** (a Computer School in Swaida city) Licensed from the Ministry of Education in Syria.
- **Computer Technology Center** (Computer Center for sales, maintenance, Programming, and Internet services, etc.).

2001-2003 Worked as a Webmaster, telecom software developer and IT manager for ICM (International Community Marketing (NetOne International)) a telecom company.

Scientific & Administrative Activities:

- Engineering Syndicate Member.
- Supervisor of the computer section in the Swaida city branch of Engineering Syndicate.
- Syrian Computer Society (Active member).
- Participated in various Computer & communications exhibitions.

Experience Certificates and practice

- Al-Hadara International Center in Damascus.
- Directorate of Education in Souieda (Swaida) Governorate.
- Association of Syrian Engineers, Souieda (Swaida) branch.
- Telecom Development limited (TDL), Damascus.

PERSONAL

Sex: Male
Date of Birth: 4 April 1967
Marital Status: Married, 4 children
Birth Place: Damascus, Syria
Nationality: Syrian
Health: Excellent

LANGUAGES

- **Arabic** (Native).
- **English** (Very Good) Reading, writing, and Conversational

HOBBIES

Playing Music.

REFERENCES

Business and personal references will be furnished upon request.

VISA STATUS

H1-B Visa

Exhibit III
Financial Information

Exhibit IV
Tariff

State of Florida)
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County of Miami-Dade)
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VERIFICATION

I, Chady Abou, being duly sworn, declare that I am the Manager of Exergy Group, LLC, the Applicant. I verify that, based upon information and belief, I have knowledge of the statements in the foregoing Application, and I declare that they are true and correct.

Chady Abou
Manager

Sworn to before me, the undersigned Notary Public on this _____ day of _____, 2002.

Notary Public

Print or Type Name

My commission expires:

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ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

COMES NOW Lance J. M. Steinhart, Attorney at Law and pursuant to rule 4 CSR 240-2.040 herewith files his Entry of Appearance on behalf of Applicant Exergy Group, LLC, in connection with the above-styled proceeding. With respect to his entry, Mr. Steinhart hereby advises the Commission that he is a member in good standing of the State Bar of Georgia and the New York State Bar and is admitted to practice before District Courts. He also is on inactive status with the State Bar of Maryland. Neither the undersigned nor any member of his firm is disqualified to appear in any court. I also hereby designate Judith A. Rau, of the law firm of Rau & Rau, 119 E. Mill St., Waterloo, IL 62298 to serve as our local Missouri counsel in this matter.

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COMES NOW Judith A. Rau of the Law Firm of Rau & Rau, and pursuant to rule 4 CSR 240-2.040, herewith files her Entry of Appearance as local Missouri counsel on behalf of Applicant **Exergy Group, LLC**, in connection with the above-styled proceeding.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served a true copy of the foregoing Application for Certificate of Service Authority to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications Services Within the State of Missouri on the following parties, in accordance with the Commission rules:

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Jefferson City, MO 65102

General Counsel
Missouri Public Service Commission
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Jefferson City, MO 65102

Dated this _____ day of _____, 2003.

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