## STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION JEFFERSON CITY December 30, 1999

**CASE NO: TC-2000-60** 

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Enclosed find certified copy of a NOTICE in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,

**Dale Hardy Roberts** 

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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

Christopher G. Miller,	)
Complain	ant, )
v.	) <u>Case No. TC-2000-60</u>
Sprint Missouri, Inc., d/b/a Sprint,	)
Responde	nt. )

## NOTICE SHORTENING TIME IN WHICH TO RESPOND

On July 29, 1999, Christopher G. Miller (Complainant) filed a complaint against Sprint Missouri, Inc., d/b/a Sprint (Sprint), regarding unauthorized inside maintenance wire charges. On August 20, 1999, Sprint filed an Answer and Notice of Satisfaction, in Part, of Complaint (Answer). The Commission issued a notice on October 3, 1999, which indicated that the Complainant could file a response to Sprint's Answer no later than November 3, 1999. Although Complainant did not file a response, the Commission issued an order on November 16, 1999, directing the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) to conduct an investigation and to file a report of its filings no later than December 16, 1999. The order also directed that Sprint and Complainant could file responses no later than January 17, 2000.

Staff filed a recommendation and memorandum on December 16, 1999, suggesting that the Commission issue an order dismissing the complaint. Staff indicated that Complainant has been fully reimbursed

for the unauthorized charge, and that Sprint contends that the charges resulted from an error in processing and not out of a practice of automatically applying the charge without consumer consent. Furthermore, Staff noted that Complainant failed to respond to Staff's repeated attempts to contact him. In order that the Commission may expeditiously consider Staff's recommendation, all parties are hereby notified that any response to Staff's recommendation must be filed on or before January 4, 2000.

BY THE COMMISSION

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**Dale Hardy Roberts** 

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(SEAL)

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 30th day of December, 1999.

Ruth, Regulatory Law Judge

## STATE OF MISSOURI OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 30th day of December 1999.

**Dale Hardy Roberts** 

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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