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RE: Case No. TT-2001-328

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case are an original and eight (8) conformed copies of a **STAFF RECOMMENDATION**.

This filing has been mailed or hand-delivered this date to all counsel of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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In the Matter of the Tariff Filing of)
Oregon Farmers Mutual Telephone)
Company.)

Case No. TT-2001-328
Tariff File No. 200100109

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

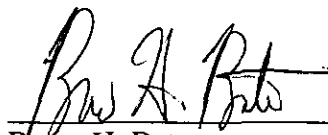
COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff" and
"Commission") and for its *Recommendation* states:

In the attached *Memorandum*, which is labeled *Appendix A*, Staff recommends that the
Commission approve Oregon Farmers Mutual Telephone Company's proposed tariff page,
P.S.C. Mo No 6, 8th revised sheet canceling 7th revised sheet 147, for the reasons stated therein.
Staff would point out to the Commission that its *Order Approving Stipulation and Agreement* in
this case approved both the removal of the interim subject to refund language and the reduction
of rates. The instant filings accomplish both tasks.

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Respectfully submitted,

DANA K. JOYCE
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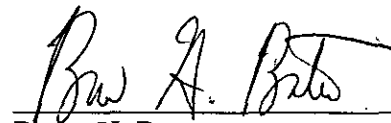


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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered to all counsel or parties of record as shown on the attached service list this 23rd day of May 2001.



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MEMORANDUM

To: Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File
Case No. TT-2001-328, tariff filing No. 200101109
Oregon Farmers Mutual Telephone Company

From: Phil Garcia *PG*
Telecommunications Department

[Signature]
Utility Operations Division/Date

W. K. Hume 5/23/01 BTH 5-22-01
General Counsel's Office/Date

Subject: Approval of Tariff Pages Submitted as per Commission Order in Order Approving Stipulation and Agreement

Date: May 17, 2001

On March 3, 2001, Oregon Farmers Mutual Telephone Company (Oregon Farmers), Staff, and other parties filed an Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement which was the result of a December 20, 2000 Order Suspending Tariff, Directing Notice, Directing Filing, Scheduling Prehearing Conference, and Establishing Protective Order. On April 13, 2001 the Commission accepted the Unanimous Stipulation and Agreement in its Order Approving Stipulation and Agreement. Among other things, this Order instructed Oregon Farmers to filed revised tariff sheets to establish reduced per-minute access rates for originating carrier common line service of \$0.039078 and for terminating carrier common line service of \$0.069161.

The proposed tariff page is in keeping with the Commission's instructions. Therefore Staff recommends that the Commission approve Oregon Farmers Mutual Telephone Company's P.S.C. Mo No 6; 8th revised sheet 147 canceling 7th revised sheet 147.

Staff is not aware of any other tariff filing which affects or would be affected by this filing.

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