

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STATE OF MISSOURI

NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS FOR INTRASTATE CERTIFICATES OF SERVICE AUTHORITY AND OPPORTUNITY TO INTERVENE

YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT each applicant listed in the schedules accompanying this notice has applied to the Commission for a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate telecommunications services. The certificate requested may be for provision of: 1) interexchange, 2) nonswitched local exchange, or 3) basic local exchange telecommunications services, or a combination thereof under Sections 392.410, RSMo Supp. 2005, to 392.455.¹ Each applicant has also requested competitive classification.

The Commission must find that the grant of service authority is in the public interest. § 392.440. Applications for authority to provide basic local services must comply with § 392.455. The Commission may classify a company as competitive if it finds that all the telecommunications services the company offers are competitive services. § 392.361.3. The Commission ordinarily waives the application of the statutes and Commission rules listed below for competitive companies.

WAIVERS FOR COMPETITIVE BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS:

Statutes

392.210.2
392.240.1
392.270
392.280
392.290
392.300.2
392.310
392.320
392.330
392.340

Commission Rules

4 CSR 240-3.550(5)(C)
4 CSR 240-10.020
4 CSR 240-30.040

¹ Statutory references are to the Revised Statutes of Missouri, 2000, unless otherwise noted.

WAIVERS FOR INTEREXCHANGE & NONSWITCHED LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS:

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If an applicant requests waiver of a provision that is not listed, the request will be specifically noted in the Schedule of Applicants. If you wish to contest whether it is in the public interest to grant an applicant a certificate of service authority or competitive status, you may file a written application to intervene. **PLEASE NOTE:** the intervention period for an interexchange or nonswitched local exchange application and for a competitive basic local exchange application is **15 DAYS (unless otherwise noted)**. Address your application to intervene to the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission, Post Office Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, and serve copies on the applicant, the applicant's attorney, and all intervenors. You may obtain a copy of an application for service authority filed with the Commission by sending a written request to the Secretary at the above address.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Colleen M. Dale, Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 28th day of March, 2006.

**SCHEDULE OF APPLICANTS FOR BASIC LOCAL AND NONSWITCHED
LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE AUTHORITY**

**Missouri Public Service Commission
March 28, 2006**

INTERVENTION DEADLINE: April 12, 2006

Case No. LA-2006-0347

Tariff Effective: N/A

RLJ: Pridgin

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Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide basic local exchange telecommunications services in the exchange served by BPS Telephone Company. Applicant requests classification as a competitive company and the standard waivers.

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No applications filed