BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION STATE OF MISSOURI

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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 а certificate of authority service to provide intrastate telecommunications services. The certificate requested may be for 1) interexchange, 2) nonswitched local exchange, or 3) provision of: basic local exchange telecommunications services, or a combination thereof under Sections 392.410 through 392.455¹. Each applicant has requested competitive classification and either filed a proposed tariff with a 45-day effective date or requested a temporary waiver of 4 CSR 240-2.060(4)(H).

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 If the Commission's Staff makes a favorable services. § 392.361.3. recommendation and no request for hearing is filed, the Commission may act upon a verified application without hearing. State ex rel. Deffenderfer v. P.S.C., 776 S.W.2d 494 (Mo. App. 1989). 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	Commission Rules
392.210.2	4 CSR 240-10.020
392.270	4 CSR 240-30.040
392.280	4 CSR 240-35
392.290.1	
392.300.2	
392.310	
392.320	
392.330	
392.340	

¹Statutory references are to the Revised Statutes of Missouri 1994 with the exception of §§ 392.330 and 392.455 found in the 1997 Supplement.

WAIVERS FOR INTEREXCHANGE &	NONSWITCHED LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS:
Statutes	Commission Rules
392.240(1)	4 CSR 240-10.020
392.270	4 CSR 240-30.010(2)(C)
392.280	4 CSR 240-30.040
392.290	4 CSR 240-32.030(1)(B)
392.310	4 CSR 240-32.030(1)(C)
392,320	4 CSR 240-32.030(2)
392.330	4 CSR 240-32.050(3-6)
392.340	4 CSR 240-32.070(4)
	4 CSR 240-33.030
	4 CSR 240-33.040(5)

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 is 15 DAYS (unless otherwise noted); the intervention period for a competitive basic local exchange application is 30 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

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Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

Lewis R. Mills, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.120(1) (November 30, 1995) and Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 15th day of February, 2000.

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

Missouri Public Service Commission ; February 15, 2000

INTERVENTION DEADLINE: March 16, 2000

Case No. TM-2000-471 RLJ: Ruth Applicant: CenturyTel of Northwest Arkansas LLC 100 Century Park Drive Monroe, Louisiana 71203

Tariff Effective: Waiver requested

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Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide basic local exchange telecommunications services in certain exchanges served by GTE Arkansas Incorporated. Applicant requests classification as a competitive company and the standard waivers.

Case No. TA-2000-484 RLJ: Hopkins Applicant: Essential.com, Inc. Three Burlington Woods Drive 4th Floor Burlington, Massachusetts 01803 Tariff Effective: Waiver requested

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Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide basic local exchange telecommunications services in exchanges served by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, GTE Midwest Incorporated and Sprint Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Sprint. Applicant requests classification as a competitive company and the following waivers: 392.210(2); 392.270; 392.280; 392.290(1); 392.300(2); 392.310; 392.320; 392.330; 392.340; 4 CSR 240-10.020; 4 CSR 240-30.040; and 4 CSR 240-35.

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SCHEDULE OF APPLICANTS FOR INTEREXCHANGE AND NONSWITCHED LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE AUTHORITY

Missouri Public Service Commission February 15, 2000

INTERVENTION DEADLINE: March 1, 2000

Case No. TA-2000-483 RLJ: Hopkins Applicant: Universal Access, Inc. 100 North Riverside Plaza Suite 2200 Chicago, Illinois 60606 Tariff Effective: March 25, 2000

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Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services and classification as a competitive company and the following waivers: 392.240(1); 392.270; 392.280; 392.290; 392.310; 392.320; 392.330, RSMo Supp. 1998; 4 CSR 240-10.020; 4 CSR 240-30.010(2)(C); 4 CSR 240-30.040; 4 CSR 240-32.030(1)(B); 4 CSR 240-32.030(1)(C); CSR 4 240-32.030(2); 4 CSR 240-32.050(3-6); 4 CSR 240-32.070(4); 4 CSR 240-33.030; and 4 CSR 240-33.040(5).

SCHEDULE OF APPLICANTS FOR INTEREXCHANGE AND NONSWITCHED LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE AUTHORITY

Missouri Public Service Commission February 15, 2000

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Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services and classification as a competitive company and the standard waivers.

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