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

NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS AND OPPORTUNITY TO INTERVENE

The Missouri Public Service Commission is required to give notice to all interexchange and local exchange telecommunications companies when an application is filed for a certificate of service authority or for competitive classification. §§ 392.361.2, RSMo 1994.¹

The Commission must approve a certificate of service authority for the resale of interexchange telecommunication services or local exchange services if it finds that approving the certificate is in the public interest. § 392.440. 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 waives application of the following statutes and Commission rules for competitive companies as authorized by Sections 392.361.5 and 392.420:

<u>Statutes</u>	<u>Commission Rules</u>
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)

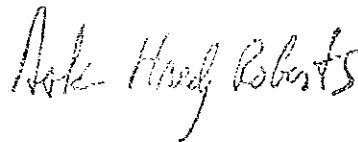
YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that each applicant listed in the schedule accompanying this notice has applied to the Commission for a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications

¹ All statutory references are to the Revised Statutes of Missouri 1994, or to the 1996 Supplement.

services and/or nonswitched local exchange telecommunications services under Sections 392.410 through 392.440. Each applicant has requested competitive classification, and has filed a proposed tariff. If the Commission's staff makes a favorable recommendation and no request for hearing is filed, the Commission will grant certificates of service authority and competitive classification to these applicants, and approve the applicants' proposed tariffs, without a hearing.

If you wish to contest whether it is in the public interest to grant an applicant competitive status or a certificate of service authority, you may file a written application to intervene by the intervention date on the Schedule of Applicants. Address your application to intervene to the Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge 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 filed with the Commission by sending a written request to the Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge at the above address.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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L. Anne Wickliffe, 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 3rd day of February, 1998.

SCHEDULE OF APPLICANTS
Applications for Certificates of Service Authority to Provide
Interexchange and Local Exchange Telecommunications Services
Missouri Public Service Commission
February 3, 1998

INTERVENTION DATE February 18, 1998

Case No. TA-98-301
Regulatory Law Judge: Bensavage
Applicant:
Pride America, Inc.
5403 Ashton Court
Sarasota, Florida 34233

Tariff Effective: 3/6/98
Attorney:
James M. Fischer
101 West McCarty Street, Suite 215
Jefferson City, Missouri 65101

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

Case No. TA-98-302
Regulatory Law Judge: Randles
Applicant:
Telephone Company of Central
Florida, Inc.
3575 W. Lake Mary Blvd., Suite 107
Lake Mary, Florida 32746

Tariff Effective 3/9/98
Attorney:
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Jefferson City, Missouri 65101

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

Case No. TA-98-306
Regulatory Law Judge: Bensavage
Applicant:
Simply Long Distance, Inc.
11406 Gravois
Sappington, Missouri 63127

Tariff Effective: 3/24/98
Attorney:
Lisa A. Herder
Herder & Herder
4173 Crescent, Suite A
St. Louis, Missouri 63129

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

Case No. TA-98-314
Regulatory Law Judge: Bensavage
Applicant:
Dobson Wireless, Inc.
13439 N. Broadway Extension
Suite 200
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73114

Tariff Effective: 3/12/98
Attorney:
Charles Brent Stewart
Stewart & Keevil, L.L.C.
1001 Cherry Street, Suite 302
Columbia, Missouri 65201

Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange and local exchange telecommunications services and classification as a competitive company with the standard waivers. Local exchange authority will be limited to providing dedicated, nonswitched local exchange private line services. Applicant also lists in its tariff, although not in its application, waiver of 4 CSR 240-33.040(1) and 4 CSR 33.040(4).

Case No. TA-98-315
Regulatory Law Judge: Bensavage
Applicant:
Americatel Corporation
4045 N.W. 97th Avenue
Miami, Florida 33178

Tariff Effective: 3/13/98
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Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications service and classification as a competitive company with the standard waivers.

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