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CASE NO: TA-2000-665

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

Sincerely,

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**Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Pathnet,)
Inc., for a Certificate of Service Authority)
to Provide Basic Local Telecommunications) Case No. TA-2000-665
Service in the State of Missouri and to)
Classify Said Services and the Company as)
Competitive)

NOTICE CLOSING CASE

Pathnet was conditionally granted a certificate of service authority to provide basic local telecommunications services in the state of Missouri on August 8, 2000. The certificate of service authority is conditional in that it will be effective when the company's tariff becomes effective. The Commission waived the filing of a tariff at Pathnet's request, but Pathnet was required to file a tariff within 30 days after the effective date of a Commission order approving an interconnection agreement that would allow for Pathnet to begin offering services.

Orders approving interconnection agreements involving Pathnet were issued in Case Nos. TO-2001-27 and TO-2001-192 on September 27, 2000, and November 7, 2000, respectively.

On December 11, 2000, Pathnet, Inc. (Pathnet) filed a motion requesting an extension until January 31, 2001, to file its initial tariff. Pathnet previously requested an extension of time within

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which to file its initial tariff on November 16, 2000. That request was granted on November 22, 2000.

The Commission notes that this case was closed on August 21, 2000, and reopened in the Commission's first order granting extension and then closed again. Pathnet's second motion was regarded as a request to reopen the case to consider the second tariff filing extension as well as to consider approval of the tariff. The case remains open. Pathnet was required to file a status report no later than January 31, 2001.

Pathnet filed a motion on January 31, 2001, requesting relief from further filing requirements until such time as it has determined the proposed tariff provisions and terms applicable the type of business Pathnet intends to offer. Pathnet stated that its business is not easily categorized.

Pathnet remains subject to the terms of the Commission's August 8, 2000, order conditionally granting a certificate of authority and competitive status. The Commission particularly notes that Pathnet's certification and classification are conditional until such time as Pathnet has an effective tariff. Pathnet's tariff can be considered at such time as it is filed and can be reviewed in a separate proceeding from this case. There is no need for this case to remain open.

Therefore, this case may be closed.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(S E A L)

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 24th day of April, 2001.

Thornburg, 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 24th day of April 2001.



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge