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April 17, 2000

Dale Roberts  
Chief Regulatory Law Judge  
Missouri Public Service Commission  
301 W. High St., Room 530  
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

TA-2000-661

RE: Application for Certificate of Service Authority and for Competitive  
Classification, Cox Missouri Telcom, LLC

Dear Judge Roberts,

As requested by your staff, enclosed are fourteen copies of Cox Missouri Telcom, LLC's Application for Certificate of Service Authority and for Competitive Classification, each of which has the necessary verification requested by staff. Thank you.

Please date stamp the extra copy and return it in the postage pre-paid envelope provided.

Best Regards,



Jon Bruning  
Counsel for Cox Missouri Telcom, LLC

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Missouri Public Service Commission

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Cox )  
Missouri Telcom, L.L.C. for a Certificate of )  
Service Authority to Provide Basic Local )  
Telecommunications Service in Portions of the )  
State of Missouri and to Classify Said Services and )  
The Company as Competitive. )

Case No. TA 2000-661

**APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY  
AND FOR COMPETITIVE CLASSIFICATION**

Comes now Cox Missouri Telcom, L.L.C. ("Cox"), by its undersigned counsel, and hereby applies pursuant to Sections 392.361, 392.420, and 392.430 RSMo 1994, 392.410, 392.450 RSMo Supp. 1996, the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, and 4 CSR 240-2.060, for authority to provide basic local telecommunications service in portions of the State of Missouri and to classify said service and company as competitive. In support of its application Cox states as follows.

1. Applicant is a Missouri corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Missouri. A copy of Cox's certificate of incorporation is attached to this application as Exhibit A.
2. All inquiries, correspondence, communications, pleadings, notices, orders and decisions relating to the case should be addressed to:

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3. Cox proposes to provide basic local exchange telecommunications service on a facilities and resold basis, throughout all of the exchanges currently served by the incumbent local exchange telecommunication companies of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (SWBT), Sprint/United Telephone Company (United), and GTE Midwest, Inc. (GTE). The SWBT, United and GTE exchanges within which Cox proposes to offer service are listed in the incumbent providers' local exchange tariffs. Cox may seek authority to provide this service in other areas of the State in a subsequent proceeding.

4. Pursuant to this application Cox seeks to offer and provide all forms of basic local telecommunications service, including local exchange service and private line service.
5. Cox possesses the technical and managerial expertise and experience necessary to provide the services it proposes. Descriptions of the backgrounds of Cox's management, which demonstrate the extensive experience and expertise, are attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit B. Cox also possesses the necessary financial resources to provide the services it proposes as evidenced by the financial statements attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit C.
6. Cox seeks classification of itself and its services as competitive.
7. Cox will offer basic local exchange telecommunications service as a separate and distinct service in accordance with applicable law. Cox will give consideration to equitable access for all Missourians, regardless of where they might reside or their income, to affordable telecommunications in Cox's proposed service areas in accordance with applicable law.
8. Cox is willing to comply with all applicable Commission rules and is willing to meet all relevant service standards, including, but not limited to billing, quality of service, and tariff filing and maintenance. Consistent with the Commission's treatment of other certificated competitive local exchange telecommunications companies, Cox requests that the following statutes and regulations be waived for Cox and its basic local exchange service offerings:

Statutes Missouri Public Service 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  
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392.340

9. Cox further requests a temporary waiver of 4 CSR 240-2.060(4)(H). This rule requires that an application for a certificate of service authority to provide interexchange, local exchange or basic local exchange service shall include a proposed tariff with a forty-five day effective date. Cox finds it impossible at this time to develop tariffs to fully comply with this rule since Cox has not yet executed or received Commission approval of any resale agreements with incumbent local exchange companies. At such time as all facts necessary for the

development of such tariffs are known to Cox, it will promptly file said tariffs bearing no less than a 30-day effective date with the Commission in a manner consistent with recent Commission practice in similar cases.

10. Cox is willing to comply with all applicable Commission rules and is willing to meet all relevant service standards including, but not limited to, quality of service, billing and tariff filing and maintenance.
11. Cox submits that the public interest will be served by Commission approval of this application because Cox's proposed services will create and enhance competition and expand customer service options consistent with the legislative goals set forth in the federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and Chapter 392 RSMo. Prompt approval of this application also will expand the availability of innovative, high quality and reliable telecommunications services within the State of Missouri.

WHEREFORE, applicant Cox Missouri Telcom, L.L.C. respectfully requests that the Commission grant it a certificate of service authority to provide basic local telecommunications services as herein requested, classify Cox and its proposed services as competitive, and grant a waiver of the aforesaid statutes and regulations.

Respectfully submitted,

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# STATE OF MISSOURI



**Rebecca McDowell Cook**  
**Secretary of State**

## CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

### FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

I, REBECCA McDOWELL COOK, Secretary of State of the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the records in my office and in my care and custody reveal that

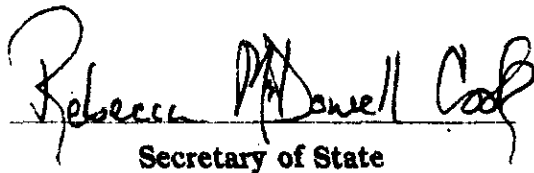
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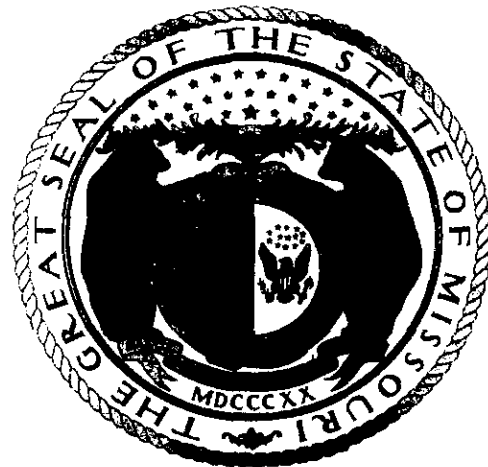
using in Missouri the name

COX MISSOURI TELCOM, L.L.C.

a DELAWARE Limited Liability Company filed its application for registration in this office on the 25th day of FEBRUARY, 2000, and is in good standing having fully complied with all requirements of this office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have set my hand and imprinted the GREAT SEAL of the State of Missouri, on this, the 5th day of APRIL, 2000.

  
Secretary of State



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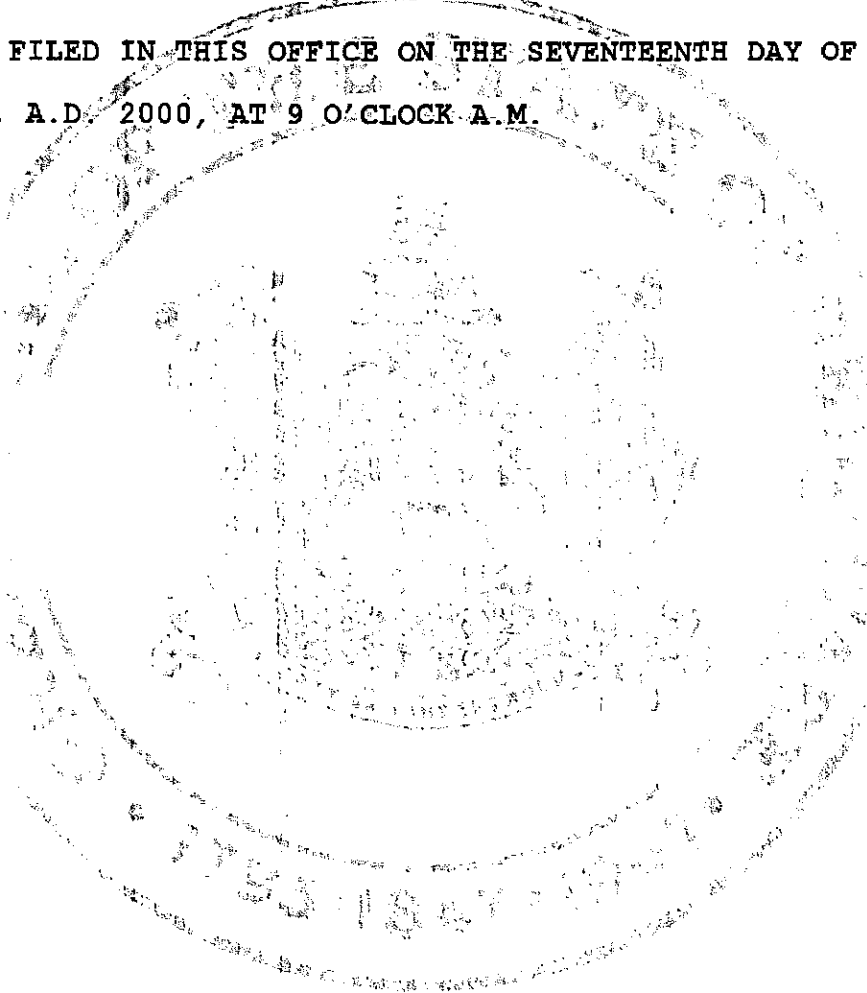
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COX Missouri Telcom

Office of the Secretary of State

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I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION OF "COX MISSOURI TELCOM, L.L.C.", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A.D. 2000, AT 9 O'CLOCK A.M.



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Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

AUTHENTICATION:

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DATE:

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CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION  
OF  
COX MISSOURI TELCOM, L.L.C.

1. NAME

The name of the limited liability company is Cox Missouri Telcom, L.L.C. (the "LCC").

2. REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT

The address of the LLC's registered office in the State of Delaware is 1013 Centre Road in the City of Wilmington, County of New Castle, Delaware 19085. The name of the LLC's registered agent at such address is Corporation Service Company.

3. AUTHORIZED PERSON

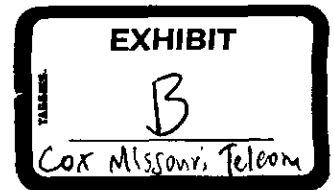
The name and address of the authorized person is Julie A. Mueller, 1200 New Hampshire Avenue, N.W., Suite 800, Washington, D.C. 20036. The powers of the authorized person shall terminate upon filing of this Certificate of Formation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this Certificate of Formation of Cox Missouri Telcom, L.L.C., this 18th day of February, 2000.

By: Julie A. Mueller  
Julie A. Mueller  
Authorized Person







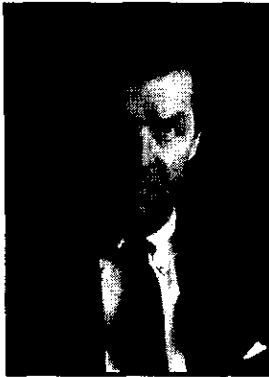
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**JAMES O. ROBBINS**  
President and Chief Executive  
Officer  
Cox Communications, Inc.

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Jim Robbins is President and Chief Executive Officer of Cox Communications, Inc., (NYSE:COX), one of the nation's largest cable telecommunications companies.

Mr. Robbins joined Cox as Vice President of the company's New York City Operations in 1983, and was later promoted to Senior Vice President of Operations in Atlanta. He was named President in 1985 and added CEO to his title in 1995 when the company went public.

Mr. Robbins joined Cox from Viacom Communications, Inc., where he was Senior Vice President of Operations for that company's Western Region. He also served as Vice President and General Manager for Viacom Cable of Long Island, NY, from 1979 to 1983.

From 1972 to 1979, Mr. Robbins served in various management positions for Continental Cablevision, and Montachusett Cable Television, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Adams-Russell Company. He was Managing Editor of WBZ-TV News in Boston from 1969 to 1972.

A graduate of the University of Pennsylvania with a B.A. in American Studies, he also holds an M.B.A. from Harvard University.

Mr. Robbins is currently the Chairman of the Board of Directors for the National Cable Television Association (NCTA). He also serves on C-SPAN's Executive Committee, is Chairman of Cable in the Classroom and serves on the Board of Directors of NCR Corporation and Cox Communications, Inc.

Mr. Robbins also is a trustee of the Westminster Schools in Atlanta. Previously, he was Chairman of the Juvenile Diabetes Foundation, International, and served as Chairman of the Policy Holders Examining Committee of Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company.

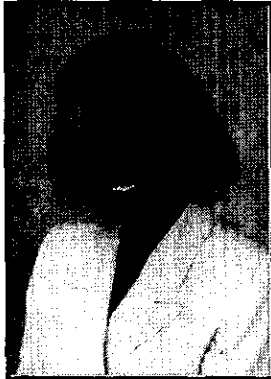
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**MARGARET A. BELLVILLE**  
Executive Vice President of  
Operations  
Cox Communications, Inc.

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One of the industry's top female executives and innovators, Maggie Bellville is Executive Vice President of Operations for Cox Communications, Inc. She is responsible for all systems and operational support functions, including marketing, research, customer service, advertising sales and customer support.

With 20 years of experience in the telecommunications industry, Ms. Bellville's career has spanned a multitude of responsibilities. She joined Cox from Century Communications in

Santa Monica, Calif., where she served as Senior Vice President of the company's Southwest Division.

Prior to her position at Century Communications, Ms. Bellville served seven years with Contel Cellular Inc., in a variety of management and executive-level roles in marketing, communications and operations, including Vice President/General Manager for the company's South Region.

Ms. Bellville served eight years with AT&T Consumer Products in Parsippany, NJ, where she held positions of increasing responsibility in the company's phone center operations and cellular products division.

A graduate of the State University of New York in Binghamton, Ms. Bellville currently serves on the Dan O'Brien Youth Foundation Board, the Public Affairs committee for the NCTA and is a trustee and secretary for the industry association Women in Cable and Telecommunications.

Previously a member of the Executive Committee and Board of Directors of the California Cable Television Association, Ms. Bellville is an inaugural fellow of the Betsy Magness Leadership Institute and has been named "Woman of the Year" by Women in Cable and Telecommunications in California.

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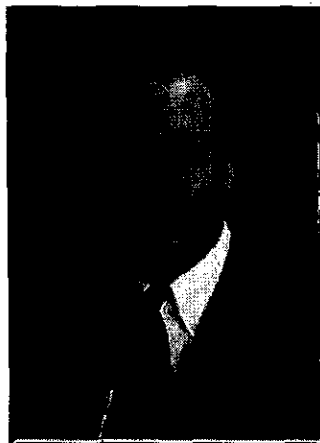
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 **JIMMY W. HAYES**

Executive Vice President of  
Finance and Administration  
Chief Financial Officer  
Cox Communications Inc.

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Jimmy Hayes is Executive Vice President of Finance and Administration and Chief Financial Officer for Cox Communications, Inc. He oversees treasury, accounting, mergers and acquisitions, financial planning and analysis, information systems, legal/regulatory, programming and human resources.

Mr. Hayes joined Cox Enterprises, Inc. in 1980 as Accounting Manager, was promoted in 1981 to Assistant Controller and in 1982 was named a corporate officer. In 1989, he joined Cox Cable as Vice President of Finance before being promoted to Senior Vice President of Finance in 1992. He was named Senior Vice President of Finance and Chief Financial Officer for Cox Communications, Inc., in 1995 and was promoted to Executive Vice President in July 1999. Prior to joining Cox, Mr. Hayes was an Audit Manager with Price Waterhouse & Company in Atlanta.

A graduate of the University of Georgia, Mr. Hayes holds bachelor's and master's degrees in accounting. He also completed the Program for Management Development at Harvard Business School in 1989.

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**DAVID M. WOODROW**  
Executive Vice President of  
Business Development  
Cox Communications, Inc.


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David Woodrow is Executive Vice President of Business Development for Cox Communications, Inc. He is responsible for the investment and development of broadband services delivered over cable television infrastructure. Those applications serve business and residential markets for both voice and data services, as well as interactive and related multimedia services.

Prior to his current position, Mr. Woodrow was Senior Vice President of Broadband Services. He joined Cox in 1982 as Director of Business Development and was later promoted to Western Regional Manager, with

responsibility for eight cable television systems in Washington, Oregon and California, in 1984.

In 1985, Mr. Woodrow was promoted to Vice President and General Manager for Cox Cable in Santa Barbara, Calif., and was later promoted to Senior Vice President of Operations in 1989.

Prior to joining Cox, Woodrow worked with the Office Systems and Technology Components Group of Exxon Enterprises in New York, and was responsible for the establishment of new business ventures. He was employed by Pitney Bowes, Inc., in Stamford, Conn. for six years before joining Exxon.

Woodrow received both bachelor's and master's degrees in mechanical engineering from Purdue University, and a M.B.A. from the University of Connecticut. He is a former member of the National Cable Television Association's Customer Service Task Force, which created the industry's Customer Service Standards and the Telecommunications Subcommittee of Cablelabs. He previously served on the boards of the California Cable Television Association and the Cellular Telephone Industry Association, and he is currently active on the boards of @Home, ICTV and Digital Domain.

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**Carrington Phillip**  
Vice President of Regulatory  
Affairs  
Cox Communications, Inc.

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Carrington Phillip is Vice President of Regulatory Affairs for Cox Communications, Inc. He is responsible for Cox's state regulatory affairs, including interconnection agreements, state utility commission relations and the company's broadband education initiatives.

Mr. Phillip joined Cox in 1995 as Director of State Regulatory Affairs, following five years as Assistant General Counsel of the California Cable Television Association. Previously, he was Assistant Attorney General with the Washington State Attorney General's office in Seattle, Washington.

Mr. Phillip holds a B.A. with honors from Queen's University in Canada and a J.D. cum laude from Howard University.

Mr. Phillip is a member of the Washington State and Pennsylvania Bar Associations. Additionally, he serves as the Cable Television Industry's representative on the North American Numbering Council (NANC).