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Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102 Missouri Public Service Commission

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Re: In the Matter of the Request of Holway Telephone Company for an extension of time to file annual report

Dear Mr. Roberts:

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Enclosed please find the original plus fourteen (14) copies of Request for Extension of Time to File Annual Report filing on behalf of Holway Telephone Company in the above referenced matter. Please bring this matter to the attention of the appropriate Commission personnel.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

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HOLWAY TELEPHONE COMPANY'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE ANNUAL REPORT

Comes now Holway Telephone Company ("Holway") and for its Request for Extension to Time to File Annual Report states to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) as follows:

- 1. Holway is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Missouri whose principal place of business is 208 Ash, P.O. Box 112, Maitland, Missouri 64466. Holway is a "public utility" and a "telecommunications company" as those terms are defined in § 386.020 (42) and (51), RSMo Supp. 1999, subject to the control and jurisdiction of the Commission.
- 2. As a Missouri regulated utility, Holway is required to file an annual report with the Commission each year by April 15. Although Holway has made a diligent effort to complete the report for submission by April 15, it was not possible for the company to file a complete and accurate report by that date. Due to the elimination of the Primary Toll Carrier Plan and the institution of dialing parity in its exchanges, there have been changes in the sources of the company's revenue and in its accounting which has caused the preparation of its annual report to be delayed.
- 3. Therefore, Holway requests an extension up to May 15 in which to complete and file its annual report.

Wherefore, Holway respectfully requests that the Commission grant its request for an extension of time up to May 15 to file its annual report and for any other relief appropriate in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was hand delivered this 26th day of April, 2000, to Office of Public Counsel, Truman State Office Building, 301 W. High Street, Jefferson City, MO 65102.

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