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RE: Case No. TD-2000-549

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case are an original and eight (8) conformed copies of a **STATUS UPDATE**.

This filing has been mailed or hand-delivered this date to all counsel of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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Missouri Public  
Service Commission

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the )  
Certificate of Service Authority and )  
Accompanying Tariff for Digital Dial )  
Communications, Inc. )

Case No. TD-2000-549

STATUS UPDATE

COMES NOW the Staff (Staff) of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) and for its status update in this matter respectfully states:

1. On March 9, 2000, the Staff filed a motion recommending that the Commission cancel Digital Dial Communication, Inc.'s (Digital) certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services, granted on August 28, 1996 in Case No. TA-97-26, and accompanying tariff. Staff gave notice, via United States Mail, of its motion to Mr. James McKenzie, President of Digital, and to Digital's attorney who filed the original application. The United States Postal Service (USPS) returned the letter addressed to Mr. McKenzie as undeliverable.

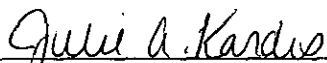
2. On May 26, 2000, the Commission issued an order directing Staff to give notice of its motion to cancel Digital's certificate of service authority and tariff via certified United States Mail, return receipt requested.

3. In accordance with the Commission's order, Staff gave notice, via certified United States Mail return receipt requested, to Mr. McKenzie and to Digital's attorney of Staff's motion recommending the Commission cancel Digital's certificate of service authority and tariff. Subsequently, the USPS returned the letter addressed to Mr. McKenzie as undeliverable and

marked "Attempted, Not Known." The USPS returned the receipt showing delivery of the letter addressed to Digital's attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered to all counsel of record as shown on the attached service list this 9th day of August 2000.

  
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