

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

In the Matter of an Investigation of Voice Over)
Internet Protocol and Virtual NXX Telephony)
in the State of Missouri.)

Case No. TO-2004-0172

CONCURRING OPINION OF COMMISSIONER CONNIE MURRAY

I agree that the motion to open a case should be denied. My reason for denial, however, does not depend upon Case Number LA-2004-0133.

My reason for denial is that it would be inefficient, unproductive and burdensome to open a contested case addressing issues that are almost certainly beyond this Commission's jurisdiction.

Respectfully submitted,


Connie Murray, Commissioner

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 4th day of November, 2003.