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Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts  
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge  
Missouri Public Service Commission  
P. O. Box 360  
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**Re: Stone County Emergency Services v. GTE and SWBT,  
Case No. TC-2000-767**

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced case, please find the original and 8 copies of **Office of the Public Counsel's Notice to Parties of Active Participation in Complaint**. I have on this date mailed, faxed, and/or hand-delivered the appropriate number of copies to all counsel of record. Please "file" stamp the extra-enclosed copy and return it to this office.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Michael F. Dandino  
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cc: Dana Joyce  
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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

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Stone County Emergency Services, )  
)  
Complainant, )  
)  
v. )  
)  
GTE Midwest Incorporated and )  
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, )  
)  
Respondents. )

Case No. TC-2000-767

**OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC COUNSEL'S NOTICE  
TO PARTIES OF ACTIVE PARTICIPATION  
IN COMPLAINT**

COMES NOW the Office of the Public Counsel (Public Counsel) and hereby notifies the parties in this complaint case that Public Counsel intends to take an active role in this complaint case due to the serious public interest ramifications and the threat to the health, safety and general welfare of telephone customers and the general public regarding the viability of the emergency 911 system.

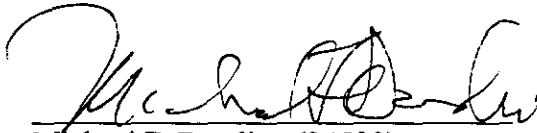
Although Public Counsel is not required to provide this notice, it files it so that the parties will be on notice of Public Counsel's active participation and desire to be part of any informal meetings or conferences to resolve the complaint or narrow the issues.

Please direct all communications regarding this complaint case to the undersigned counsel.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was mailed, faxed or hand-delivered, this 31st day of May, 2000 to the following parties of record:

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