

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
JEFFERSON CITY
April 28, 2000**

CASE NO: TE-2000-676

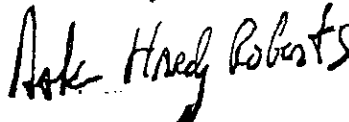
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Enclosed find certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

Uncertified Copy:

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of NEXTLINK Missouri, Inc.'s)
1999 Annual Report to the Commission as an)
Alternative Basic Local Exchange Carrier) Case No. TE-2000-676
and Confidential Treatment of a Portion)
Thereof)

ORDER REQUIRING FILING

On April 24, 2000, NEXTLINK Missouri, Inc. (NEXTLINK) filed its motion, *inter alia*, for leave to file its annual report out of time.

NEXTLINK stated that its annual report was due on April 15, 2000¹, and that it attempted to file that annual report on April 18, 2000. NEXTLINK stated that the Commission rejected the filing due to the absence of a formal request for leave to file out of time.

Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-10.080(8) states, in part: "A utility which is unable to meet the filing date [of April 15]...shall make a written request to extend the filing date for its annual report...and state the reason for the extension request." NEXTLINK did not comply with Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-10.080(8) in that its motion did not state a reason why it could not file its annual report until April 18, 2000.

The Commission would be assisted in this matter if NEXTLINK filed a supplemental pleading, explaining why it could not file its annual

¹ In the year 2000, April 15 was on a Saturday; thus, the actual filing deadline was on Monday, April 17, 2000.

report pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-10.080(8) until April 18, 2000.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That NEXTLINK Missouri, Inc. shall file a supplemental pleading, no later than 3:00 p.m. on May 9, 2000, explaining why it could not file its annual report pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-10.080(8) until April 18, 2000.

2. That this order shall become effective on May 9, 2000.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(S E A L)

Bill Hopkins, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
4 CSR 240-2.120(1), (November 30, 1995)
and Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 28th day of April, 2000.