

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

In The Matter of CenturyTel of Missouri,       )  
LLC's Request for Competitive                    ) Case No. IO-2006-0109  
Classification Pursuant to Section               )  
392.245.5, RSMo. (2005).                        )

**CENTURYTEL OF MISSOURI, LLC'S  
RESPONSE TO POST-HEARING FILINGS**

COMES NOW CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC ("CenturyTel"), pursuant to the Commission's Order Regarding Post-Hearing Exhibit 11HC issued in this matter on September 28, 2005, and respectfully states as follows:

1. Fidelity Communications Services II, Inc. has submitted its post-hearing exhibit that has been designated Exhibit 11HC. The Commission's September 28, 2005 Order directed that any objection to the admission of post-hearing Exhibit No. 11HC must be filed no later than September 30, 2005. CenturyTel does not object to the admission of said exhibit.

2. During the September 27, 2005, evidentiary hearing in this matter, the Commission received into evidence Exhibit 6 (September 26, 2005 Response/Affidavit of Verizon Wireless). (Tr. 65). In addition, the Commission announced that it would be taking administrative notice of responsive filings of ALLTEL Communications and U.S. Cellular as well. (Tr. 97).

3. On September 29, 2005, Verizon Wireless filed its "Amended Response of Verizon Wireless Regarding Customers in Certain Exchanges of CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC," amending the above-referenced Exhibit 6 with additional clarifying information. In addition, Sprint Spectrum L.P. d/b/a Sprint PCS and Nextel West Corp. ("Sprint")

filed “Sprint’s Response to Order Directing Filing” in this matter on September 27, 2005; Charter Fiberlink-Missouri, LLC filed “Verified Response of Charter Fiberlink-Missouri, LLC” on September 27, 2005; and T-Mobile USA, Inc. (“T-Mobile”) filed “Verified Pleading of T-Mobile Concerning Customers in Subject Exchanges” on September 27, 2005. All of these pleadings were filed in response to the Commission’s Order of September 22, 2005, similar to those of ALLTEL Communications and U.S. Cellular, of which the Commission took administrative notice.

4. CenturyTel is not aware of any other pleadings filed to date in response to the Commission’s September 22, 2005 Order. Whereas the Commission has taken administrative notice of similar verified pleadings herein, CenturyTel does not object to the Commission taking administrative notice of the additional above-referenced verified pleadings and information contained therein, as set forth in Paragraph 3 above. CenturyTel is authorized to state that neither the Staff of the Commission nor the Office of the Public Counsel object to the Commission taking administrative notice of the above-referenced pleadings.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been transmitted by e-mail this 30th day of September, 2005, to counsel of record.

/s/ Larry W. Dority \_\_\_\_\_  
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