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Mr. Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge Missouri Public Service Commission P. O. Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

Re: Case No. TO-2000-261

Dear Mr. Roberts:

In response to the Commission's Order Directing Filing issued in the above-referenced matter today, please be advised that ALLTEL Communications, Inc. agrees with the position taken by Staff in its recommendation and response to Order Directing Filing.

Please see that this correspondence is brought to the attention of the appropriate Commission personnel. I thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely. W.R. Engla

WRE/da Enclosures cc: Office of Public Counsel Lewis Mills Bruce Bates James Fischer

