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Mr. Harvey G. Hubbs  
Secretary  
Public Service Commission  
P.O. Box 360  
Jefferson City, MO 65102

Re: Alternative Operator Services  
Case No. TA-88-218, et al.

Dear Mr. Hubbs:

Enclosed please find original plus fourteen (14) copies  
of Teleconnect's Reply to Response of American Operator Services,  
Inc., to Teleconnect's Motion to Remove Tariff Suspension  
for filing in the above referenced matter on behalf of Teleconnect

Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,

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RSB/k  
Enclosures  
cc: All Counsel of Record

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In the matter of the application     )  
of American Operator Services, Inc.)  
for a certificate of service         )  
authority to provide Intrastate     )  
Operator-Assisted Resold            )  
Telecommunications Services.         )

TELECONNECT'S REPLY TO RESPONSE  
OF AMERICAN OPERATOR SERVICES  
INC. TO TELECONNECT'S MOTION  
TO REMOVE TARIFF SUSPENSION

Comes now Teleconnect, by and through its attorneys, and  
in reply to American Operator Services, Inc.'s response to Teleconnect's  
Motion To Remove Tariff Suspensions states as follows:

1. Unlike Teleconnect and International Telecharge Inc.,  
American Operator Services, Inc. is not a certificated carrier  
in the State of Missouri and, therefore, has no present authority  
to operate within the State of Missouri, further, it has yet  
to file any tariffs regarding any telephone operations within  
the State of Missouri.

2. American Operator Services, (as brought out on a cross-  
examination of Jamie Bryant, American Operator Services witness)  
has been, and is presently, processing intrastate Missouri calls.

3. Therefore, American Operator Services assertion that  
the removal of Teleconnect's tariff suspension would provide  
Teleconnect with an unfair advantage as not well taken. Teleconnect  
has followed the proper procedures, first obtaining certification  
and then seeking approval of tariffs prior to commencing operations  
within the State of Missouri. American Operator Services, on  
the other hand, according to their own testimony, has begun

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operations in the State of Missouri prior to being certificated.

WHEREFORE Teleconnect respectfully requests that the commission reject the arguments of American Operator Services, Inc. and grant Teleconnect's Motion To Remove Tariff Suspension.

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing was mailed on the 16 day of November, 1988, by prepaid United States mail to all counsel of record.

  
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