# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the Certificate of Service Authority of Tom ) File No. PD-2018-0348 Martin – Payphone )

#### ORDER CANCELING CERTIFICATE

Issue Date: June 5, 2018 Effective Date: July 6, 2018

This order cancels the private pay telephone certificate of Tom Martin – Payphone.

On May 21, 2018, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission filed a motion requesting Tom Martin – Payphone's certificate to provide private pay telephone service in the State of Missouri be canceled.

In File Number PA-2003-0025, the Commission granted Tom Martin – Payphone a certificate of service authority to provide private pay telephone service in the State of Missouri via customer-owned coin-operated telephone equipment.

Staff's motion states that the company requested cancellation of its certificate of service authority. Staff recommends that the Commission cancel Tom Martin – Payphone's certificate of service authority as the company is no longer providing service in Missouri.

On May 21, 2018, the Commission issued an Order Establishing Time to Respond to Motion allowing anyone to file a response or request a hearing to do so no later than May 31, 2018. No responses were filed.

The Commission has the authority to cancel a certificate and tariff pursuant to Section 392.410.5, RSMo 2016 which states, in part, "[a]ny certificate or service authority may be altered or modified by the commission after notice and hearing, upon its own motion or upon application of the person or company affected."

Based on Tom Martin – Payphone's request and Staff's motion, the Commission finds that the private payphone certificate granted to Tom Martin – Payphone shall be canceled.

#### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- The private payphone certificate granted to Tom Martin –
   Payphone, in File Number PA-2003-0025, is canceled.
  - 2. This order shall become effective on July 6, 2018.
  - 3. This file may be closed on July 9, 2018.

BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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John T. Clark, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2018.

#### STATE OF MISSOURI

#### OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 2018.

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

## MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION June 5, 2018

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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