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STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office
in Jefferson City on the 11th
day of March, 1998.

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the)
Certificate of Service Authority and Tariffs of) Case No. TD-98-326
Interlink Telecommunications, Inc.)

ORDER JOINING NECESSARY PARTY AND DIRECTING FILING OF
TARIFFS AND STAFF MEMORANDUM

Interlink Telecommunications, Inc. (Interlink) filed a letter on February 3, 1998 asking the Commission to cancel its interexchange certificate and tariff. Interlink stated that it terminated service on December 31, 1997 after making arrangements with another carrier, Intellicall Operator Services (IOS), to honor Interlink's outstanding debit cards under the same terms and conditions that Interlink used in providing service. Interlink alleged that it was authorized to provide intrastate interexchange and operator services on April 30, 1996 in Case No. TA-96-217. Interlink also alleged that IOS is authorized to provide these services in Missouri. The Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed a Memorandum on February 23, 1998 recommending that Interlink's certificate and tariff be canceled. Staff stated that IOS was certificated to provide interexchange service on August 18, 1992 in Case No. TA-92-210.

Section 392.410, RSMo Supp. 1996, gives the Commission authority to cancel a telecommunications company's certificate of service authority. However, neither InterLink's letter nor the Staff's Memorandum discusses whether IOS has tariffs in effect for the types of services, under the same

rates, terms and conditions, that were offered by InterLink. IOS cannot offer services without approved tariffs. \$ 392.480, RSMo 1994.

The Commission finds that cancellation should not be granted unless IOS has approved tariffs on file with the Commission that provide service under the same rates, terms and conditions as the Interlink tariffs. Any such tariffs could provide for discontinuation of service upon expiration of InterLink's outstanding debit cards. The Commission finds that IOS shall be joined as a party to this proceeding and required to file tariffs or an adoption notice if IOS intends to fulfill Interlink's obligations, unless IOS already has sufficient, approved tariffs in place. The Commission further finds that the Commission's Staff should file a supplemental memorandum explaining whether IOS has sufficient, approved tariffs on file.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That Intellicall Operator Services is joined as a party.
2. That the Commission's Staff shall file a supplemental memorandum by March 26, 1998, that addresses whether Intellicall Operator Services has approved tariffs with the Commission that provide for service under the same rates, rules and regulations as the tariffs of Interlink Telecommunications, Inc.
3. That Intellicall Operator Services shall file tariffs or an adoption notice by April 27, 1998, if it does not have approved tariffs on file with the Commission that provide for service under the same rates, rules and regulations as the tariffs of Interlink Telecommunications, Inc.

4. That this order shall become effective on March 23, 1998.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Dale Hardy Roberts". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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Lumpe, Ch., Crumpton, Drainer
and Murray, CC., concur.

Randles, Regulatory Law Judge

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