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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of IXC Long Distance, Inc. to)
Change Name to IXC Communications Services, Inc.) Case No. TO-99-61
)

ORDER RECOGNIZING CHANGE OF CORPORATE NAME
AND APPROVING TARIFF

IXC Long Distance, Inc. (IXC) submitted an adoption notice on August 13, 1998, designed to reflect its change of corporate name to IXC Communications Services, Inc. (IXC Services). The company was certificated to provide interexchange telecommunications services in Case No. TA-95-387. IXC included with its filing an Amended Certificate of Authority of a Foreign Corporation from the Missouri Secretary of State reflecting its new corporate name. The tariff sheets carry an effective date of September 13, 1998.

The proposed replacement tariff includes a waiver of 4 CSR 240-33.040(5), which pertains to the assessment of a finance fee. Although this waiver was not in IXC's original tariff, it is considered to be a standard waiver and is routinely granted to competitively classified companies. The replacement tariff also reduces rates for Dial Access 1+, Switched Termination 800, and Travel Card Option B Services. In accordance with Section 392.500, RSMo 1994, companies classified with competitive status are permitted to decrease rates after seven days notice to the Missouri Public Service Commission.

The Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed a memorandum on September 2, 1998, stating that it had reviewed the company's filing and

proposed tariff and had no objection to their approval. Staff recommended that the name change be recognized and that the Commission approve the proposed tariff pages to become effective on September 13, 1998.

The Commission has reviewed IXC's filing, the tariff sheets, and Staff's recommendation, and finds that the change of name should be recognized and that the proposed tariff sheets should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the change of corporate name from IXC Long Distance, Inc. to IXC Communications Services, Inc. is acknowledged.

2. That the tariff sheets filed by IXC Long Distance, Inc., on August 13, 1998, are approved to become effective on September 13, 1998. The tariff sheets approved are:

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3. That this order shall become effective on September 13, 1998.

BY THE COMMISSION



(S E A L)

Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

Vicky Ruth, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant
to 4 CSR 240-2.120(1) (November 30,
1995) and Section 386.240,
RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 11th day of September, 1998.

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