STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a Session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 19th day of September, 1995.

In the matter of the cancellation of the certificate of authority and tariffs of Convergent Communications, Inc. d/b/a Alumni Network.

ORDER CANCELLING CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY

On July 18, 1995, the Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed a memorandum recommending that the certificate of service authority granted to Convergent Communications, Inc. d/b/a Alumni Network (Alumni Network) be cancelled. Staff believes Alumni Network has violated the terms of its certificate in that the company has failed to inform the Commission of its current address and telephone number, has failed to file annual reports and Statement of Revenue forms with the Commission, and has failed to maintain good standing with the Secretary of State's office, and is no longer authorized to transact business in the state of Missouri.

Staff explains in its memorandum that Staff attempted to contact Mark Agee, President of Alumni Network, but discovered that the telephone number listed on Alumni Network's application had been disconnected. Staff then contacted Barber & Bartz, the law firm that filed Alumni Network's application. Staff was informed by Linda Smith, an employee at Barber & Bartz, that Alumni Network was no longer in operation. In addition, Staff also contacted the Missouri Secretary of State's office on July 11, 1995, and was advised that Alumni Network was no longer a corporation in good standing, and that the Secretary of State's office had administratively dissolved the corporation in August of 1994. Based on all

of the foregoing, Staff recommendation that the Commission cancel Alumni Network's certificate of service authority and accompanying tariffs.

On August 8, 1995, the Commission issued an Order Establishing Docket, which established a separate docket, Case No. TD-96-11, to consider the cancellation of the certificate of service authority and tariffs of Alumni Network. The Commission also directed that a copy of the order be sent by certified mail to Alumni Network at its last known address, and to Barber & Bartz, the law firm which originally filed Alumni Network's application, and ordered Alumni Network to file a response to Staff's memorandum on or before August 28, 1995. The indicated timeframe has passed, and the Commission has received no response from Alumni Network. Instead, the envelope addressed to Alumni Network and sent by certified mail was returned to the Commission marked "Moved. No Order." and "Returned To Sender". The return receipt for the copy of the order sent by certified mail to Barber & Bartz shows a signature indicating that the law firm received the order on August 10, 1995.

The Commission has reviewed the entire official case file, and finds that there is sufficient reason to cancel Alumni Network's certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications service, and its accompanying tariff. The Commission finds that Alumni Network has violated the terms of its certificate by failing to keep the Commission apprised of its current address and telephone number, and by failing to file annual reports and statement of revenue forms. In addition, the Commission finds that Alumni Network is no longer a corporation in good standing with the Missouri Secretary of Staff's office, is no longer authorized to transact business in Missouri, and has in fact been administratively dissolved in August of 1994. Attempts to inform Alumni Network and elicit a response from the Company

regarding Staff's recommendation of cancellation have been unavailing. Under all of these circumstances the Commission finds that cancellation of Alumni Network's certificate of service authority and accompanying tariff is warranted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- 1. That the certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications service which was granted to Convergent Communications, Inc. d/b/a Alumni Network on June 4, 1992, be and is hereby cancelled.
- 2. That the accompanying tariff under which Convergent Communications, Inc. d/b/a Alumni Network provided service within the state of Missouri be and is hereby cancelled.
 - 3. That this docket be and is hereby closed.
- 4. That this order shall become effective on September 29, 1995.

BY THE COMMISSION

David L. Rauch Executive Secretary

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Mueller, Chm., McClure, Kincheloe, Crumpton, and Drainer, CC., Concur.