

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the matter of the Joint Application	)	
of New Florence Telephone Company,	)	
Tiger Telephone, Inc. and Direct	)	
Communications Rockland, Inc.	)	
for an order authorizing Direct	)	Case No. TO-2007-0139
Communications Rockland, Inc.	)	
to purchase or acquire, take or hold all of	)	
the issued and outstanding capital stock	)	
of Tiger Telephone, Inc.	)	

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Come now Leonard May; Garrin Bott; Kip Wilson; Jeremy Smith; Scott Hendrickson; and Elizabeth Dunn, ("the Purchasing Shareholders"), pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.050 and for their request for extension of time state to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission" or PSC") as follows:

1. On March 22, 2007, the Commission issued its *Order Authorizing Sale of Stock* ("Order") in this matter which became effective March 31, 2007. Among other things, the *Order* directed the Purchasing Shareholders to: (a) file a notice with the Commission upon closing of the transaction that the Stock Purchase Agreement has been executed; and (b) provide PSC Staff with copies of all closing journal entries within sixty (60) days of the final closing.

2. On April 12, 2007, the Purchasing Shareholders filed their Notice in this case that the transaction transferring the stock of Tiger Telephone, Inc. to the Purchasing Shareholders was effective on April 1, 2007. Therefore, the journal entries were due by June 1, 2007.

3. The Purchasing Shareholders have been working diligently to meet all of the conditions contained in the *Order*; however, the Purchasing Shareholders have not yet received the final audit report for 2006. Therefore, the Purchasing Shareholders were not able to meet the sixty (60) day deadline to provide PSC Staff with the closing journal entries.

4. Accordingly, the Purchasing Shareholders respectfully request an extension of time to provide the closing journal entries to PSC Staff. The Purchasing Shareholders believe that they can provide PSC Staff with the closing journal entries by or before July 15, 2007 and respectfully request an extension of time to that date.

5. Counsel for the Purchasing Shareholders has conferred with counsel for PSC Staff, and PSC Staff has no objection to this request for an extension.

Wherefore, the Purchasing Shareholders respectfully request that the Commission grant this request for extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

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