

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Cancellation of       )  
The Certificate of Service Authority       )  
Of Nowell Communications                    )  
**File No. PD-2010-0375**

## ORDER CANCELING CERTIFICATE

Issue Date: August 5, 2010

Effective Date: August 15, 2010

On June 24, 2010, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission filed a motion requesting Nowell Communications ("Nowell") certificate of service authority to provide private pay telephone services in the State of Missouri be cancelled.

In File Number PA-2003-0121, the Commission granted Nowell a certificate of service authority to provide private pay telephone service in the State of Missouri.

Staff states in its motion that Nowell submitted a Statement of Revenue which indicated the company has ceased operations and is no longer in business. Nowell requested the Commission cancel their certificate. Staff recommends that the Commission cancel the company's certificate of service authority to provide private pay telephone service.

On July 9, 2010, the Commission issued an Order Directing Notice allowing any parties to file an objection or request a hearing to do so no later than July 19, 2010. No objections or requests for a hearing were filed.

The Commission has the authority to cancel a certificate and tariff pursuant to Section 392.410.5, RSMo, 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 Staff’s motion, the Commission finds that the certificate of service authority granted to Nowell Communications, shall be canceled.

**IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. The certificate of authority to provide private pay telephone services granted to Nowell Communications, in File Number PA-2003-0121, is canceled.
2. This order shall become effective on July 15, 2010.
3. This case may be closed on July 16, 2010.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

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Nancy Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law  
Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri  
on this 5th day of August, 2010.