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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 22nd  
day of July, 1998.

In the Matter of the Application of QCC, Inc.           )  
for a Certificate of Service Authority to Provide       )  
Basic Local Telecommunications Services and Local    )  
Exchange Services in the State of Missouri and for    )  
Designation as a Competitive Telecommunications      )  
Company    )

Case No. TA-97-380

**ORDER APPROVING TARIFF**

The Commission granted to QCC, Inc. (QCC) certificates of service authority to provide basic local and local exchange telecommunications services in Missouri by Order Granting Certificate to Provide Basic Local Telecommunications Services issued on December 23, 1997. The order, which took effect on January 2, 1998, directed the company to file tariff sheets reflecting the rates, rules, and regulations it will use and the services it will offer, and provided that QCC's certificates would become effective upon the effective date of the company's approved tariffs. The December 23, 1997 Order temporarily waived the filing of a 45-day tariff as required by 4 CSR 240-2.060(4)(H) and ordered QCC to file tariff sheets no later February 2, 1998 that included a listing of the statutes and Commission rules waived in the Order. QCC requested and received an extension of the filing deadline until March 19.

The Commission approved an interconnection agreement between QCC and Southwestern Bell Telephone Company on September 3, 1997. QCC filed the required tariff sheets on March 19, 1998, with an effective date of May 4. The effective date was later extended to July 25. QCC filed

substitute sheets on April 20, June 22, June 23 and July 2 in order to make clarifications and bring its tariff into compliance with Commission rules and regulations.

The Commission's Staff reviewed the tariff sheets and filed a memorandum on July 15 recommending that the Commission approve them as amended by the substitute sheets. Staff stated that QCC proposes to offer basic local exchange service to customers in Southwestern Bell Telephone Company's exchanges including Call Forwarding, Call Waiting, Three Way Calling, Speed Dial, Call Return, and Call Blocking. Staff detailed QCC's proposed rates and stated no objections to them. Staff indicated QCC will not offer Operator Services but its prepaid service will include a directory listing. Staff stated that QCC will provide 911/E911 service but proposes to provide Caller I.D. service only where the facilities are already available to provide such service. Staff recommended that the tariff be approved, as amended by the substitute sheets, to become effective on July 25.

The Commission has reviewed the tariff sheets and the Staff's recommendation and finds that the tariff sheets, as amended, conform to the Commission's December 23, 1997 Order and should be approved to become effective on July 25, 1998. The Commission concludes that the conditions stated in the December 23, 1997 Order for QCC's certificates of service authority to provide basic local and local exchange telecommunications service will be fulfilled at the time Mo. P.S.C. No. 2 takes effect.

**THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:**

1. That the tariff filed by QCC, Inc. on March 19, 1998, is approved as amended to become effective on July 25, 1998. The tariff approved is:

2. That the certificates of service authority granted to QCC, Inc. on December 23, 1997, to provide basic local and local exchange telecommunications services shall take effect on July 25, 1998.

3. That this order shall become effective on July 25, 1998.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



**Dale Hardy Roberts**  
**Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**

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

Harper, Regulatory Law Judge

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