

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service  
Commission held at its office  
in Jefferson City on the 29th  
day of October, 1997.

In the Matter of the Application of **CSI Corp** )  
**d/b/a Missouri CSI Corp** for a Certificate of ) **Case No. TA-98-73**  
Service Authority to Provide Interexchange )  
Telecommunications Services. )  
)

**ORDER APPROVING INTEREXCHANGE CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**  
**AUTHORITY AND ORDER APPROVING TARIFF**

CSI Corp d/b/a Missouri CSI Corp (CSI) applied to the Public Service Commission on August 18, 1997, for a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services in Missouri under Section 392.440, RSMo 1994.<sup>1</sup> CSI asked the Commission to classify it as a competitive company and waive certain statutes and rules as authorized by Sections 392.361 and 392.420. CSI is a Colorado corporation, with its principal office located at 12835 East Arapahoe Road, Tower 1, Fifth Floor, Englewood, Colorado.

The Commission issued a Notice of Applications and Opportunity to Intervene on September 2, directing parties wishing to intervene in the case to file their requests by September 17. The requirement for a hearing is met when the opportunity for hearing has been provided and no proper party has requested the opportunity to present evidence. State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Enterprises, Inc. v. Public Service Commission, 776 S.W.2d 494, 496 (Mo. App. 1989). Since no one has asked permission to intervene

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<sup>1</sup> All statutory references are to the Revised Statutes of Missouri 1994 unless otherwise indicated.

or requested a hearing in this case, the Commission may grant the relief requested based on the verified application.

CSI filed a proposed tariff in conjunction with its application and filed substitute sheets on October 8, October 14 and October 20. The tariff's effective date is November 1. CSI's tariff describes the rates, rules, and regulations it intends to use, identifies CSI as a competitive company, and lists the waivers requested. CSI intends to provide interexchange telecommunications services including 1+ direct dial and 800 number services throughout the state of Missouri.

In its Memorandum filed on October 23, the Staff of the Commission stated that CSI's proposed services are similar to existing IXC offerings. Staff recommended that the Commission grant CSI a certificate of service authority, competitive status, and waiver of the statutes and rules listed in the Notice. Staff recommended that the Commission approve the proposed tariff as amended to become effective on November 1.

The Commission finds that competition in the intrastate interexchange telecommunications market is in the public interest and CSI should be granted a certificate of service authority. The Commission finds that the services CSI proposes to offer are competitive and CSI should be classified as a competitive company. The Commission is of the opinion that waiving the statutes and Commission rules set out in Ordered Paragraph 2 is reasonable and not detrimental to the public interest.

The Commission determines, by authority of Section 392.470, that CSI should comply with the following regulatory requirements as reasonable and necessary conditions of certification:

- (1) CSI must comply with reasonable requests by Staff for financial and operating data to allow Staff to monitor the intraLATA toll market. § 386.320.3.
- (2) CSI must file tariffs containing rules and regulations applicable to customers, a description of the services provided, and a list of rates associated with those services in accordance with 4 CSR 240-30.010 and Section 392.220, RSMo Supp. 1996.
- (3) CSI may not unjustly discriminate between its customers. §§ 392.200, RSMo Supp. 1996, 392.400.
- (4) CSI must comply with all applicable rules of the Commission except those specifically waived by this order. §§ 386.570, 392.360.
- (5) CSI must file a Missouri-specific annual report. §§ 392.210, 392.390.1.
- (6) CSI must comply with jurisdictional reporting requirements as set out in each local exchange company's access services tariffs. § 392.390.3.
- (7) CSI must submit to the Staff, on a confidential basis, a copy of the jurisdictional report it submits to local exchange companies. The report must be submitted within ten days of the date on which it is submitted to the local exchange company.

The Commission finds that CSI's proposed tariff details the services, equipment, and pricing it proposes to offer, and is similar to tariffs approved for other Missouri certificated interexchange carriers.

The Commission finds that the proposed tariff filed on August 18 shall be approved as amended to become effective on November 1.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. That CSI Corp d/b/a Missouri CSI Corp is granted a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services in the state of Missouri, subject to the conditions of certification set out above.

2. That CSI Corp d/b/a Missouri CSI Corp is classified as a competitive telecommunications company. The following statutes and regulatory rules shall be waived:

**Statutes**

392.240(1) - ratemaking  
392.270 - valuation of property (ratemaking)  
392.280 - depreciation accounts  
392.290 - issuance of securities  
392.310 - stock and debt issuance  
392.320 - stock dividend payment  
392.340 - reorganization(s)  
392.330, RSMo Supp. 1996 - issuance of securities,  
debts and notes

**Commission Rules**

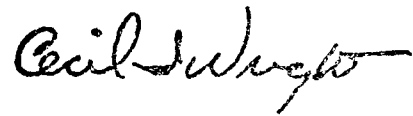
4 CSR 240-10.020 - depreciation fund income  
4 CSR 240-30.010(2)(C) - rate schedules  
4 CSR 240-30.040 - Uniform System of Accounts  
4 CSR 240-32.030(1)(B) - exchange boundary maps  
4 CSR 240-32.030(1)(C) - record-keeping  
4 CSR 240-32.030(2) - in-state record-keeping  
4 CSR 240-32.050(3) - local office record-keeping  
4 CSR 240-32.050(4) - telephone directories  
4 CSR 240-32.050(5) - call intercept  
4 CSR 240-32.050(6) - telephone number changes  
4 CSR 240-32.070(4) - public coin telephone  
4 CSR 240-33.030 - minimum charges rule  
4 CSR 240-33.040(5) - financing fees

3. That the tariff filed by CSI Corp d/b/a Missouri CSI Corp on August 18, 1997, is approved as amended to become effective on November 1, 1997. The tariff approved is:

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4. That this order shall become effective on October 30, 1997.
5. That this case shall be closed on October 31, 1997.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cecil I. Wright", with a stylized flourish at the end.

**Cecil I. Wright**  
**Executive Secretary**

( S E A L )

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

Randles, Regulatory Law Judge