

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

## OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Digital	)	
Broadcast Network Corporation for a Certificate	)	
of Service Authority to Provide Basic Local	)	Case No. TA-98-538
Telecommunications Services and Exchange Access	)	
Telecommunications Services in the State of	)	
Missouri.	)	

## ORDER ADOPTING FILING DEADLINE FOR A STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT

Digital Broadcast Network Corporation (Digital) filed an application for a certificate of service authority to provide basic local telecommunications services on May 29, 1998.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company was granted intervention on July 14, and the parties were directed to file either a proposed procedural schedule or a date for the filing of a Stipulation and Agreement no later than August 13. Digital filed a Motion to Establish Deadline for Filing of a Stipulation and Agreement on August 11. Digital stated that the parties, with the exception of the Office of the Public Counsel (OPC), agreed that a deadline for the filing of a Stipulation and Agreement should be set at August 20. Digital indicated OPC did not oppose the filing deadline though it did not necessarily agree to it. Digital asked the Commission to approve the proposed deadline for filing of a Stipulation and Agreement.

The Commission has considered Digital's motion and will adopt the proposed filing deadline. The parties shall file a Stipulation and Agreement no later than August 20 or, if no agreement can be reached, a proposed procedural schedule with dates for the filing of testimony.

## IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- That the parties shall file a Stipulation and Agreement or,
   if no agreement can be reached, a proposed procedural schedule no later
   than August 20, 1998.
  - 2. That this order shall become effective on August 18, 1998.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(SEAL)

Brian K. Harper, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.120(1) (November 30, 1995) and Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 18th day of August, 1998.

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