BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Project)		
Management Solutions, Inc. d/b/a Talk)		
Solutions for a Certificate of Service)	Case No.	TA-99-617
Authority to Provide Basic Local Telecommuni-)		
cations Services in the State of Missouri)		
and for Competitive Classification)		

SECOND ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT

The Commission issued an Order Granting Intervention, Setting Prehearing Conference and Directing Filing of Procedural Schedule on August 31, 1999. This order required Project Management Solutions, Inc., d/b/a Talk Solutions (Talk Solutions), to file a proposed procedural schedule no later than October 15, 1999. On October 15, 1999, Talk Solutions filed a Motion for Extension of Time to File Stipulation and Agreement, or in the Alternative, to File Procedural Schedule. The Commission issued an order granting the extension of time on October 20, 1999, and directed that the parties shall file either a stipulation and agreement, or in the alternative, a proposed procedural schedule, no later than November 5, 1999.

On November 2, 1999, Talk Solutions filed a second Motion for Extension of Time. Talk Solutions indicates that it has taken longer than anticipated for it to compile and submit certain additional financial information requested by the staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff). Talk Solutions states that although the parties will not be able to submit a stipulation and agreement in time

for the November 5, 1999, deadline, it is still hopeful that the case can be resolved by way of a stipulation and agreement. Therefore, Talk Solutions requests that the Commission permit the parties additional time, until December 3, 1999, within which to resolve the financial issue and submit a stipulation and agreement. Talk Solutions states that Staff does not oppose applicant's request for an extension of time.

The Commission has reviewed the motion and concludes that an extension of time should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

- That the Motion for Extension of Time filed on November 2,
 1999, by Project Management Solutions, Inc., d/b/a Talk Solutions, is granted.
- 2. That no later than December 3, 1999, the parties shall file either a stipulation and agreement, or in the alternative, a proposed procedural schedule.
- 3. That this order shall become effective on November 16, 1999.

(SEAL)

BY THE COMMISSION

Dale Hardy Roberts

Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

Vicky Ruth, 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 5th day of November, 1999.

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