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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of That Place in)
Clarence for Certificate of Service Authority to) Case No. TA-97-87
Provide Private Pay Telephone Service Within the)
State of Missouri.)

ORDER CANCELING PRIVATE PAYPHONE CERTIFICATE

That Place in Clarence submitted a letter to the Missouri Public Service Commission on April 30, 1998, asking the Commission to cancel its payphone certificate. That Place in Clarence was granted the certificate on September 25, 1996, in Case No. TA-97-87. The Staff of the Commission advised the Commission that it had made contact with the certificate holder and that the certificate should be canceled because the certificate holder had never installed nor operated a payphone.

Section 392.410, RSMo Supp. 1997 gives the Commission authority over the granting of certificates of service authority to provide telecommunications services. The Commission has reviewed That Place in Clarence's letter and Staff's comments and finds that the private payphone certificate granted to That Place in Clarence in Case No. TA-97-87 shall be canceled.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the private payphone certificate granted to That Place in Clarence in Case No. TA-97-87 is canceled.
2. That this order shall become effective on July 23, 1998.

3. That this case may be closed on July 24, 1998.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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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 13th day of July, 1998.