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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Atlas)
Communications, Ltd. for a Certificate of Service)
Authority to Provide Resold Basic Local Telecom-)
munications Service in Portions of the State of) **Case No. TA-98-330**
Missouri and for Classification of Said Services)
as Competitive.)
)

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

The Commission directed the parties to this case to file either a stipulation and agreement or a proposed procedural schedule by May 20, 1998. On the day that order was issued, May 13, Atlas Communications, Ltd. (Atlas) filed a motion for an extension of time to May 27. The motion for extension was not filed by agreement of the parties; the ten-day period permitted for responses by 4 CSR 240-2.080(12) ended on May 26. Before the Commission had issued an order, on May 27, Atlas filed a second motion for extension of time asking that the Commission allow the parties until June 19 to file a stipulation or procedural schedule. The second motion was also filed unilaterally; the ten-day response period ended on June 8. There were no responses filed to either motion for extension of time. Atlas filed additional financial information at the request of the Commission's Staff on June 1.

The Commission has reviewed Atlas's motions and finds that the first motion for extension of time is moot but that the second is unopposed and should be granted. However, the Commission does not expect further extensions of time to be necessary to resolve this case.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Second Motion for Extension of Time to File Stipulation and Agreement or Proposed Procedural Schedule filed by Atlas Communications, Ltd. on May 27, 1998 is granted.

2. That the parties shall file either a stipulation resolving this matter or a proposed procedural schedule no later than June 19, 1998.

3. That this order shall become effective on June 10, 1998.

BY THE COMMISSION



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

(S E A L)

L. Anne Wickliffe, Deputy Chief 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 10th day of June, 1998.

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