

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

Socket Telecom, LLC,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	<b><u>Case No. TC-2008-0225</u></b>
	)	
CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC, and	)	
Spectra Communications Group, LLC,	)	
d/b/a CenturyTel,	)	
	)	
Respondents.	)	

**SECOND JOINT STATUS REPORT**

COME NOW Socket Telecom, LLC (“Socket”), CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC and Spectra Communications Group, LLC, d/b/a CenturyTel (collectively “CenturyTel”), pursuant to Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080, and for their Second Joint Status Report respectfully state as follows:

1. As previously reported, Socket and CenturyTel continue serious negotiations and the exchange of information in possible settlement of the issues in this case, and respectfully commit to file either a status report, a dismissal of the complaint, or a request for new hearing dates by August 4, 2009.

2. Socket and CenturyTel have confirmed with counsel for the Staff of the Commission that Staff does not object to the proposed actions suggested herein.

WHEREFORE, Socket and CenturyTel respectfully submit their Second Joint Status Report in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the undersigned has caused a complete copy of the attached document to be electronically filed and served on the Commission's Office of General Counsel (at [gencounsel@psc.mo.gov](mailto:gencounsel@psc.mo.gov)) and the Office of the Public Counsel (at [Opcservice@ded.mo.gov](mailto:Opcservice@ded.mo.gov)) on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2009.

**/s/ Larry W. Dority**

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