

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

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the)
Certificate of Service Authority of)
Universal Telecom, Inc.) File No. CD-2010-

MOTION TO CANCEL CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and moves for the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) to cancel the certificate of interexchange service authority in Missouri of Universal Telecom, Inc. (“the Company) and states as follows:

1. On March 21, 2002, the Commission granted a certificate of basic local exchange telecommunications service authority to the Company in Case No. TA-2002-183.

2. Upon information and belief, the Company no longer exists. Although the Company remains in good standing with the Missouri Secretary of State, calls made to the Company cannot be completed as the number is no longer in service and e-mails to the Company are returned undeliverable. The Company is delinquent in assessment payments.

3. The Commission has the authority to cancel a telecommunications certificate pursuant to Section 392.410.5 RSMo 2000, which provides “[a]ny certificate of service authority may be altered or modified by the commission after notice and hearing, upon its own motion or upon application of the person or company affected.”

4. The Commission need not hold a hearing, if, after proper notice and opportunity to intervene, no party requests such a hearing. *State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Enterprises, Inc. v. Public Service Commission*, 776 S.W.2d 494 (Mo. App. W.D. 1989).

WHEREFORE, the Staff respectfully recommends the Commission cancel the tariff(s) and certificate of service authority of Universal Telecom, Inc. to provide basic local telecommunications service in Missouri.

Respectfully submitted,



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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 31st day of March, 2010.

