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Mr. Harvey G. Hubbs Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

Re: Case No. TA-88-218 - In the matter of the application of American Operator Services, Inc. for a certificate of service authority to provide Intrastate Operator-Assisted Resold Telecommunications Services, as consolidated.

Dear Mr. Hubbs:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case is an original and fourteen (14) conformed copies of Staff's Motion for Extension of Time. Copies have been sent this date to all parties of record.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Charles Brent Stewart Assistant General Counsel

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Enclosures

cc: All parties of record

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PEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the matter of the application of American Operator Services, Inc.) Case No. TA-88-218 for a certificate of service authority to provide Intrastate Operator-Assisted Resold Telecommunications Services. In the matter of Teleconnect Company for authority to file tariff sheets designed to establish) Case No. TR-88-282 Operator Services within its certificated service area in the State of Missouri. In the matter of Dial U.S. for authority to file tariff sheets designed to establish Operator Case No. TR-88-283 Services within its certificated service area in the State of Missouri. In the matter of Dial U.S.A. for authority to file tariff sheets designed to establish Operator Case No. TR-88-284 Services within its certificated service area in the State of Missouri. In the matter of International)
Telecharge, Inc. for authority to)
file tariff sheets designed to establish Operator Services within)
its certificated service area in) Case No. TR-89-6 the State of Missouri.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Comes now the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.050(4), and for its Motion for Extension of Time states that:

4 CSR 240-2.050(4) provides in part:

When an act is required or allowed to be done at or within a specified time, the commission may, at its discretion: (A) Order the period enlarged if a request is made before the expiration of the period originally prescribed. . . .

- 2. By Order issued on July 15, 1988, the Commission retained in the above-captioned consolidated cases Public Counsel's proposed procedural schedule for Case No. TA-88-218.
- Said procedural schedule requires the Staff, Public Counsel and the Intervenors to file their respective direct testimony on August 12, 1988.

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- 4. In order to have sufficient time to thoroughly and properly analyze the direct testimony filed on August 5, 1988, Staff requests a one week extension to August 19, 1988 for the Staff, Public Counsel and the Intervenors to file their respective direct testimony. Granting this extension should not materially or adversely affect the remaining procedural schedule.
- 5. Counsel for Staff has conferred with counsel for all parties hereto, including counsel for those with applications to intervene now pending before the Commission, and none object to Staff's request.

WHEREFORE, Staff moves the Commission to grant a one week extension of time for Staff, Public Counsel and the Intervenors to file their respective direct testimony on August 19, 1988.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered to all parties of record on this 4th day of Ancust, 1988.