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RE: Case No. TO-2000-351

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case are an original and fourteen (14) conformed copies of a **STAFF RECOMMENDATION**.

This filing has been mailed or hand-delivered this date to all counsel of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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Sincerely yours,

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

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In the Matter of the Joint Application of)
Sprint Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Sprint and)
Fidelity Communication Services I, Inc.,)
for Approval of their Interconnection and)
Resale Agreement.)

Case No. TO-2000-351

STAFF RECOMMENDATION


COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) and for its recommendation states:

1. In the attached Memorandum, which is labeled Appendix A, the Staff recommends that the Missouri Public Service Commission grant approval of the Master Interconnection and Resale Agreement between Sprint Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Sprint and Fidelity Communication Services I, Inc., filed on November 30, 1999 as supplemented by filing made January 5, 2000, with the pages numbered in the lower right hand corner. The Staff believes the submitted agreement meets the limited requirements of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 in that the agreement 1) does not appear to discriminate against telecommunications carriers not a party to the Agreement and 2) does not appear to be against the public interest, convenience or necessity.

WHEREFORE, the Staff recommends the Commission enter an Order Approving Interconnection and Resale Agreement.

Respectfully submitted,

DANA K. JOYCE
General Counsel

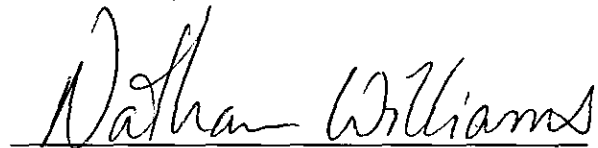


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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered to all counsel of record as shown on the attached service list this 7th day of January, 2000.



MEMORANDUM

To: Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File
Case No. TO-2000-351
Parties: Sprint Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Sprint and
Fidelity Communication Services I, Inc.

From: A. P. Kuss, Telecommunications Department *APK*

Wes Henderson 1-7-00
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Subject: Staff Recommendation for Approval of Interconnection Agreement

Date: January 6, 2000

Date Filed: November 30, 1999

Staff Deadline: February 08, 2000

The Telecommunications Department Staff (Staff) recommends the Parties be granted approval of the submitted (may check more than one)

- ☒ Resale Agreement
- ☒ Facilities-based Interconnection Agreement
- ☐ Wireless Interconnection Agreement

The Parties submitted the proposed Agreement to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) pursuant to the terms of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Act). Staff has reviewed the proposed Agreement and believes it meets the limited requirements of the Act. Specifically, the Agreement: 1) does not appear to discriminate against telecommunications carriers not party to the Agreement and 2) does not appear to be against the public interest, convenience or necessity.

Is there an attachment to this recommendation indicating any recommendations or special considerations? ☐ Yes ☒ No

From	Initials	Date	Revised
A. P. Kuss	APK	January 6, 2000	
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Interconnection Agreement Review Items



No applications to intervene filed (Intervention Deadline 12-23-99).



Terms and rates in Agreement similar to those contained in approved Interconnection Agreement, i.e., TO-99-311 Navigator Telecommunications, LLC, and Sprint



Agreement signed by both Parties

Staff recommends that the Commission direct the Parties to submit any modifications or amendments to the Commission for approval.

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