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August 22, 2013

Morris Woodruff Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission 200 Madison Street Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360

Re: Notice of Adoption of the "TDS Telecom" Fictitious Name Tariff Tracking Nos. JI-2014-0091 JI-2014-0092 JI-2014-0093 JX-2014-0094

Dear Judge Woodruff:

Pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.062 and 4 CSR 240-3.545(20), the following companies respectfully request that the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") acknowledge the adoption of the "TDS Telecom" fictitious name by the following regulated entities:

New London Telephone Company (ILEC) Orchard Farm Telephone Company (ILEC) Stoutland Telephone Company (ILEC) TDS Long Distance Corporation (IXC)

See 4 CSR 240-2.062(1)(A). These entities are in good standing with the Missouri Secretary of State, and they are also in compliance with the Commission's Annual Report requirements. The companies are current with their Missouri USF and Commission assessments.

As required by 4 CSR 240-2.062(1)(B), evidence of registration of the fictitious name, TDS Telecom, is included as <u>Attachment A</u>.

As you will see from the registrations in <u>Attachment A</u>, the "TDS Telecom" fictitious name has been registered and in use by the companies since 1996. Therefore, these registrations predate the original rule 4 CSR 240-2.062 which was filed March 2, 2011 and became effective October 30, 2011.

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Recent discussions with Commission Staff revealed the need to amend the companies' tariffs and recognize the fictitious name in the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS). However, the TDS Telecom fictitious name has already become quite familiar to the companies' customers over the past sixteen years, appearing on customer billings and notices, company facilities and offices, company signage, and company trucks and vehicles. Therefore, the companies respectfully request that the Commission exempt, grandfather, and/or waive the requirements in 4 CSR 240-2.062(C), which require a copy of the notice sent or to be sent to customers to inform them of the name change. Because the TDS Telecom fictitious name has been in use for over sixteen years, customer notice would be more confusing than illuminating to customers at this point.

As required by 4 CSR 240-2.062(D), copies of the adoption notices and revised tariff title sheets that were filed concurrently with this notice (with ten-day effective dates) reflecting the new fictitious names are included as <u>Attachment B</u>.

Finally, as required by 4 CSR 240-2.062(E), the company hereby states that it has reviewed its contacts in the Commission's electronic filing and information system (EFIS) and determined they are current and do not need to be updated.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

/s/ Brian McCartney

Brian T. McCartney

Enclosures

cc: John Van Eschen Cully Dale Kim Happy



State of Missouri Robin Carnahan, Secretary of State

File Number: 200928990093 X01004177 Date Filed: 10/16/2009 Expiration Date: 10/16/2014 Robin Carnahan Secretary of State

Registration of Fictitious Name

This fictitious name filing shall expire 5 years from the date filed unless a renewal filing is submitted within 6 months prior to the expiration date.

This information is for the use of the public and gives no protection to the name being registered. There is no provision in this Chapter to keep another person or business entity from adopting and using the same name. (Chapter 417, RSMo)

The undersigned is doing business under the following name, and at the following address:

Business name to be registered:	TDS Telecom
Business address:	525 Junction Road
City, State and Zip Code:	Madisonw WI 53717

If all parties are jointly and severally liable, percentage of ownership need not be listed.

Name of Owners, Individual or Business Entity	Street and Number	City and State	Zip Code	If listed, Percentage of ownership must equal 100%
ORCHARD FARM TELEPHONE CO.	525 Junction Road	Madison WI	53717	cquat 100 %
NEW LONDON TELEPHONE COMPANY	525 Junction Road	Madison WI	53717	
THE STOUTLAND TELEPHONE COMPANY	525 Junction Road	Matlison WI	53717	

In Affirmation thereof, the facts stated above are true:

(The undersigned understands that false statements made in this filing are subject to the penalties of a false declaration under Section 575.060, RSMo)

Irmgard F Metz

Assistant Secretary

(Authorized Signature)

(Authorized Party Relationship)

Attachment A

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State of Missouri

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Rebecca McDowell Cook, Secretary of State

Corporation Division

Registration of Fictitious Name (Submit in duplicate with a filing fee of \$7)

This information is for the use of the public and gives no protection to the name. There is no provision in this Chapter to keep another company or corporation from adopting and using the same name. (RSMo 417)

We, the undersigned, are doing business under the following name, and at the following address:

Name to be registered:	TDS. TELECOM
Missouri Business Address: (P.O. Bour pot screpted)	5065 N. Highway 94
City, State and Zip Code	St. Charles, MO 63301-6431

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TDS Communication Solutions	Inc. 525 Junction Road	Madison, WI	53717	5%

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ORCHARD FARM TELEPHONE COMPANY d/b/a TDS TELECOM Missouri

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ORCHARD FARM TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A TDS TELECOM (N)

SCHEDULE OF RATES

FOR

TELEPHONE SERVICE

APPLYING TO THE FOLLOWING TERRITORIES

ORCHARD FARM, MISSOURI

ISSUED: August 22, 2013

BY: Joel Dohmeier, Vice-President

Attachment B

EFFECTIVE: September 1, 2013

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ORCHARD FARM TELEPHONE COMPANY d/b/a TDS TELECOM Missouri

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Orchard Farm Telephone Company d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby adopts, ratifies and (N) makes its own in every respect, as if the same had been originally filed by it, all tariffs of Orchard Farm Telephone Company filed with and approved by the Missouri Public Service Commission before the effective date of this tariff.

This tariff contains the descriptions, regulations, and rates applicable to the furnishing of service and facilities for telecommunications services provided by Orchard Farm Telephone Company d/b/a TDS Telecom within the State of Missouri. This tariff is on file with the Missouri Public Service Commission and copies may be inspected during normal business hours, at the Company's place of business.

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BY: Joel Dohmeier, Vice-President