

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

In the Matter of Joint Application of Comtel Telecom )  
Assets LP and VarTec Telecom, Inc., Excel ) **Case No. TM-2006-0186**  
Telecommunications, Inc., and VarTec Solutions, )  
Inc., for Approval of a Transfer of Assets )

**ORDER DIRECTING FILING**

Issue Date: June 19, 2006

Effective Date: June 19, 2006

By order issued February 3, 2006, the Commission approved the Joint Applicants' Application for Approval of a Transfer of Assets. In that order, the Commission directed the Applicants to advise the Commission when the sale was completed so that the VarTec companies' certificates of service authority could be canceled. On June 15, 2006, the Applicants filed a letter with the Commission stating that the sale was consummated on June 7, 2006. The Commission will direct its Staff to file a recommendation regarding the cancellation of the VarTec companies' certificates and tariffs.

**IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. The Staff of the Commission shall file a recommendation regarding the cancellation of the VarTec companies' certificates and tariffs by July 10, 2006.

2. This order shall become effective on June 19, 2006.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written in a cursive style.

Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

( S E A L )

Steven C. Reed, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 19th day of June, 2006.