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Dear Mr. Roberts:

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RE: TA-2000-191

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.

Sincerely yours,

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Missouri Public Service Commission

May 10, 2000

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### **BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

#### **OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

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Missouri Public Service Commission

In the Matter of the Application of Fidelity Communications Services I, Inc. for a Certificate of Service Authority to Provide Basic Local Telecommunications Service in Portions of the State of Missouri and to Classify Said Services and the Company as Competitive.

Case No. TA-2000-191

#### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff") and for its

Recommendation states:

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In the attached Memorandum, which is labeled Appendix A, the Staff recommends that

the Missouri Public Service Commission issue an order approving Fidelity Communications

Services I, Inc.'s proposed tariffs, as amended, to become effective June 1, 2000, for the reasons

stated therein. The tariffs are set out in full in the Memorandum.

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 counsel or parties of record as shown on the attached service list this 10th day of May 2000.

Bruce H. Bates

# **MEMORANDUM**

- To: Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File Tariff File Nos. 200000899 and 200000900 Case No. TA-2000-191 Fidelity Communications Services I, Inc.
- From: Sherri Murphy Sm Telecommunications Department

Utility Operations Division/Date

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Subject: Staff Recommendation to Approve Proposed Basic Local Exchange Tariff and Access Tariff

Date: May 9, 2000

Fidelity Communications Services I, Inc. (Fidelity), was granted certificate of service authority by this Commission in Case No. TA-2000-191. In the Commission's Order Granting Certificate to Provide Basic Local Exchange Telecommunications Services, effective December 14, 1999, the Commission ordered Fidelity to file tariff sheets within 30 days after the effective date of a Commission order approving an interconnection agreement. Fidelity has an interconnection agreement with Sprint Missouri, Inc. (Sprint) which was approved by this Commission on January 11, 2000 (Case No. TO-2000-351). On April 3, 2000, Fidelity submitted a proposed tariff (P.S.C. MO No. 1) to provide basic local exchange telecommunications services and a proposed tariff (P.S.C. MO No. 2) to provide access services. At the request of the Telecommunications Department Staff (Staff), Fidelity filed substitute sheets on May 9, 2000.

Fidelity's proposed basic local exchange tariff, as amended, conforms to the standards as set forth in the Commission's Order in Case No. TA-2000-191. Fidelity will be providing basic local exchange telecommunications services on a facilities and resold basis throughout all exchanges served by Sprint. Fidelity's tariff reflects that Rolla is the only exchange Fidelity proposes to serve at this time. Fidelity's tariff contains a list of the waivers approved by the Commission in its Order and is similar to other CLEC tariffs previously approved by the Commission.

Fidelity's proposed access service tariff covers the provision of access services to intrastate interexchange customers. Fidelity's proposed access rates are no higher than those of the incumbent local exchange company, Sprint.

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APPENDIX A

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The staff has no objection to Fidelity's proposed tariffs, as amended, and recommends the Commission issue an order to approve the following tariffs to become effective June 1, 2000:

Fidelity Communications Services, Inc., P.S.C. MO No. 1

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The Staff is unaware of any other filing which affects or which would be affected by this filing.







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