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Missouri Public Sarvice Commission

RE: CA-2002-1153

Application of Xspedius Management Co. Switched Services, LLC for Certificate of Service Authority to Provide Basic Local Exchange Telecommunications Services

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed please find an original and eight copies of the *Status Report* of Xspedius Management Co. Switched Services, LLC for filing with the Commission in the above-referenced case.

Copies are being served on the Commission's General Counsel and Office of the Public Counsel.

Please contact me at 659-8672 if there are any questions. Thank you for assistance in processing this filing.

Sincerely.

William D. Steinmeier

Enclosure

cc: General Counsel Office of the Public Counsel Mr. Leon Nowalsky

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the matter of the Application of

Xspedius Management Co. Switched Services, LLC

for a certificate of service authority to provide Basic Local Telecommunications Service in portions of the State of Missouri and for competitive classification

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Case No. CA-2002-1153

STATUS REPORT

COMES NOW Xspedius Management Co. Switched Services, LLC ("Xspedius" or "Applicant"), by its undersigned counsel, and makes this report to the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") as follows:

- 1. The Application in the instant case was filed on June 24, 2002. A motion requesting expedited treatment was filed simultaneously.
- On July 2, 2002, the Commission published notice of this application in its "Notice of Applications for Intrastate Certificates of Service Authority and Opportunity to Intervene," establishing an intervention deadline of August 1, 2002 in this matter.
- On July 9, 2002, the Commission granted Xspedius a temporary certificate of service authority in this case, pursuant to Section 392.410.6 RSMo.

- 4. On July 29, 2002, the Commission issued its Order Granting Leave to Amend Application by Interlineation in this case.
- 5. No Applications for Leave to Intervene were filed in this case.
- 6. On August 30, 2002, the Commission issued its Order Approving Tariffs in Compliance with Commission Order, approving a tariff adoption under which Xspedius may serve Missouri customers under its temporary certificate of service authority herein.
- 7. On August 21, 2002, the Telecommunications Department of the Missouri Public Service Commission sent a letter to counsel for Xspedius concerning the need for additional financial information to be filed in this case, and requesting a response within thirty (30) days.
- 8. Xspedius Management Co. Switched Services, LLC is diligently working to prepare the additional financial information for filing in this matter. Part, but not all, of the required financial information was filed with the Application herein.
- 9. This Application arose out of the acquisition by Xspedius of the assets of ACSI (e.spire), on a multi-state basis, pursuant to a sale agreement approved by the Bankruptcy Court.
- 10. The monumental complexities of concluding the underlying acquisition transaction and securing necessary certificates of service authority, interconnection agreements and tariff approvals in multiple jurisdictions have prevented Xspedius from completing the necessary financial

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statements required by the Missouri Public Service Commission to date.

11. It is the goal of Xspedius to complete the filing of this information just as soon as possible, and in the very near future.

WHEREFORE, Xspedius submits this Status Report and requests the continued patience of the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: September 20, 2002

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a copy of this document has been hand delivered or mailed by first class mail, postage prepaid, to the Office of the General Counsel of the Missouri Public Service Commission and the Office of Public Counsel this 20th day of September 2002.

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William D. Steinmeier