

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

In the Matter of the Application of CD)
Telecommunications, LLC, and CenturyTel of)
Missouri, LLC, for Approval of Their)
Negotiated Interconnection Agreement and)
Addendum under Section 252(e)(1) of the)
Telecommunications Act.)
)

Case No. TK-2006-0126

MOTION TO EXTEND

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

1. On September 21, 2005, CD Telecommunications, LLC and CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC filed an application with the Commission for approval of an interconnection agreement under the provision of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Under Section 252(e)(4) of the Act, the Commission must approve or reject the Agreement no later than December 20, 2005, or the Agreement shall be deemed approved.
2. The Commission's September 26, 2005 *Order and Notice* directed the Staff to file a memorandum advising either approval or rejection of the agreement and giving the reasons therefore no later than October 26, 2005.
3. The Staff continues to review the interconnection agreement, as well as answers to data requests that were provided by CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC on October 25, 2005. The Staff is not in a position to advise either approval or rejection of the agreement and requests additional time to review the agreement to ensure its terms do not discriminate against telecommunications carriers not a party to the agreement, and that the agreement is not against the public interest, convenience or necessity.

WHEREFORE, the Staff respectfully requests an order extending the filing of the Staff's memorandum to November 4, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 26th day of October 2005.

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