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STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a Session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office
in Jefferson City on the 29th
day of December, 1998.

In the Matter of the Application of)	
Frontier Local Services, Inc. for a)	
Certificate of Service Authority to)	
Provide Basic Local Telecommunications)	<u>Case No. TA-98-318</u>
Service, Local Exchange and Exchange)	Tariff No. 9900338
Access Telecommunications Services in the)	
State of Missouri and for Designation as a)	
Competitive Telecommunications Company.)	

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

By Order issued on July 15, 1998, the Commission granted to Frontier Local Services, Inc. (Frontier) certificates of service authority to provide basic local and local exchange telecommunications services in Missouri. The Order waived the filing of a 45-day tariff as required by 4 CSR 240-2.060(4)(H) until 30 days after Frontier entered into a Commission-approved interconnection agreement to enable it to provide basic local exchange services. Frontier's certificates of service authority will become effective upon the effective date of its approved tariffs. Frontier's interconnection agreement with Southwestern Bell Telephone Company was approved before Frontier was granted a certificate of service authority. On August 17, Frontier filed a Motion for Extension of Time Before Which A Tariff Must be Filed. The Commission granted that motion in an order issued on August 28. Frontier was allowed until October 30 to file its tariffs.

Frontier filed tariff sheets on October 28, with an effective date of December 31. The tariff sheets outline the rates, rules,

regulations and services which Frontier will provide as a facilities based provider to business customers. Frontier filed substitute tariff sheets on December 7, 11 and 15. On December 18, 1998, Frontier submitted substitute pages revising the entire tariff so as to offer only local exchange services to business customers on a facilities basis.

The Commission's Staff reviewed the tariff sheets and filed a memorandum on December 21 recommending that the Commission approve them as amended by the substitute sheets. Staff recommended that the tariff be approved as amended to become effective on December 31.

The Commission has reviewed the tariff sheets and Staff's recommendation and finds that the tariff sheets, as amended, conform to the Commission's Order of July 15 and should be approved to become effective on December 31. The Commission concludes that the conditions stated in the July 15 order granting Frontier certificate of service authority to provide local exchange telecommunications service have been satisfied and the certificate will take effect on December 31.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the tariff filed by Frontier Local Services, Inc. on October 28, 1998, and assigned tariff number 9900338, is approved as amended to become effective on December 31, 1998. The tariff approved is:

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2. That the certificate of service authority granted to Frontier Local Services, Inc. on July 15, 1998, to provide local exchange telecommunications services shall become effective on December 31, 1998.

3. That this order shall become effective on December 31, 1998.
4. That this case may be closed on January 1, 1999.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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Lumpe, Ch., Crumpton, Murray,
Schemenauer, and Drainer, CC., concur

Woodruff, Regulatory Law Judge

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