

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

Staff of the Public Service Commission of the)	
State of Missouri,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	
)	Case No. TC-2005-0357
Cass County Telephone Company Limited)	
Partnership,)	
)	
Respondent.)	

STAFF'S PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), and respectfully submits as follows:

1. Staff submits that the issues in this case are clearly set out in the pleadings. Accordingly, Staff proposes that the hearing in this case be conducted live commencing on October 31 at 9 a.m. and continuing through November 4, 2005. Staff proposes that all discovery be completed by 5 p.m. on October 21, 2005. Staff has discussed this matter with Counsel for CassTel and it has no objection to the company's request to file a response to Staff's Proposed Procedural Schedule by July 28, 2005. Staff proposed hearing dates for earlier in October, but Counsel for CassTel had prior commitments.

WHEREFORE, Staff respectfully submits this Proposed Procedural Schedule and requests that the Commission issue an Order Adopting this Procedural Schedule.

Respectfully submitted,

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