BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Socket Telecom, LLC,)
Complainant,)
v.) <u>Case No. TC-2008-0225</u>
CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC, and Spectra Communications Group, LLC, d/b/a CenturyTel,)))
Respondents.)

ORDER SUSPENDING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Issue Date: June 16, 2009 Effective Date: June 16, 2009

The procedural schedule for this case calls for the parties to file statements of position on June 16, 2009, with an evidentiary hearing to commence on June 22. On June 16, Socket Telecom, LLC; and CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC, and Spectra Communications Group, LLC, d/b/a CenturyTel, filed a joint motion asking the Commission to suspend the remaining procedural schedule. Staff did not join in the motion, but the motion represents that Staff does not object.

The motion explains that the parties are continuing to negotiate a settlement of their dispute and need more time to finalize their agreement. The motion indicates the parties will file a status report, dismiss their complaint, or file a request for new hearing dates by June 30, 2009.

The joint motion is reasonable and is not opposed by any party. The Commission will suspend the procedural schedule as requested.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The procedural schedule previously established for this case is suspended.
- 2. The hearing scheduled for June 22, 23, and 24, 2009 is cancelled.
- 3. No later than June 30, 2009, the parties shall file either a status report, a dismissal of their complaint, or a request for new hearing dates.
 - 4. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Morris L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 16th day of June, 2009.