

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office in
Jefferson City on the 19th day
of August, 2015.

Duane Farrant,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
v.)	File No. TC-2014-0103
)	
CenturyLink (Embarq Missouri),)	
)	
Respondent.)	

**ORDER DISMISSING COMPLAINT
FOR FAILURE TO RESPOND TO A COMMISSION ORDER**

Issue Date: August 19, 2015

Effective Date: September 18, 2015

Duane Farrant filed a complaint against CenturyLink (Embarq Missouri). During the course of the proceedings, CenturyLink informed the Commission that Complainant cancelled his service with the company and moved to dismiss the complaint.

The Commission directed Complainant to file a response to CenturyLink's motion to dismiss and informed Complainant that failure to respond to the Commission's order may result in this complaint being dismissed. Complainant failed to respond.

Under Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.116(3) a party may be dismissed from a case for failure to comply with any order issued by the Commission. Complainant has failed to respond to Commission orders. The Commission will therefore dismiss this complaint. Because this complaint is not being dismissed on the merits of the complaint, but rather on procedural grounds, Complainant may refile the complaint; in which case it will be assigned a different case number.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. This complaint is dismissed without prejudice.
2. This order shall be effective on September 18, 2015.
3. This file shall be closed on September 19, 2015.



BY THE COMMISSION

Morris L. Woodruff

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Secretary

Hall, Chm., Stoll, Kenney,
Rupp, and Coleman, CC., concur.

Jones, Senior Regulatory Law Judge