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

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

## ORDER DIRECTING COMPLAINANT TO FILE A RESPONSE TO CENTURYLINK'S MOTION TO DISMISS

Issue Date: January 16, 2014 Effective Date: January 16, 2014

Duane Farrant has filed this complaint against CenturyLink (Embarq Missouri). Both the Staff of the Commission and the company have both filed motions to dismiss, stating that the Commission does not have the power to grant the requested relief.

The Commission directed Complainant to file a response to the Staff of the Commission's motion. Complainant has not responded to the Commission's order. Under the Commission's rules,<sup>1</sup> this complaint may be dismissed for failing to respond to a Commission order. The Commission will now direct Complainant to file a response to the company's motion to dismiss.

Further, the Commission informs the parties that under Section 392.250 RSMo, the Commission has the power to order telecommunications companies to make repairs, improvements, changes or additions to its facilities for the convenience of the public or to secure adequate service.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.116(3).

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. Duane Farrant shall file, no later than January 31, 2014, a response to CenturyLink's motion to dismiss.
  - 2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

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BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Kennard L. Jones, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 16th day of January, 2014.