

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

In the Matter of the Relay Missouri)
Advisory Committee’s Appointment of a)
New Member) **Case No. TO-2023-XXXX**

MOTION TO APPOINT NEW MEMBER

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, by and through counsel, and for its *Motion to Appoint Members* in this matter hereby states:

1. The Relay Missouri Advisory Committee was created by this Commission to assist in providing effective dual party relay services in Missouri. It has thirteen (13) members, five (5) permanent and eight (8) term-limited.

2. The bylaws of the Committee outline which members hold permanent positions and which members hold term-limited positions. Term-limited members serve three year terms. Upon the expiration of a term-limited member’s tenure, they may request to serve another term, up to three terms total. New members are appointed by the Commission. The members of the Committee also vote to have one member serve as chair of the Committee for that individual’s tenure.

3. The Executive Director of the Missouri Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (MCDHH) is one of the five permanent members on the Committee. On September 9th the MCDHH announced Becky Davis as the new Executive Director. Permanent members do not require a Committee vote, only Commission approval. Therefore, the Committee requests that the Commission

recognize and approve Becky Davis as a permanent member on the Relay Missouri Advisory Committee representing the MCDHH as Executive Director.

WHEREFORE, Staff recommends that the Commission approve and recognize Becky Davis as the Executive Director of the Missouri Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing to fill the permanent MCDHH position on the Relay Missouri Advisory Committee, and grant such other and further relief as the Commission considers just in the circumstances.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail, or First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, on this 24th day of October, 2022, to all counsel of record.

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