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Public Service Commission of Missouri  
Truman State Office Building, Room 530  
P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, 65102

Missouri Public  
Service Commission

RE: The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission  
v. Central Missouri Telecommunications, Inc.  
TC-2004-0300

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed please find an original and one copy of Respondent's Motion to Set  
Aside Order Granting Default in the above referenced action.

Please file the original and file stamp and return the copy in the enclosed postage  
pre paid envelope.

Your time and attention to this matter is most appreciated.

Yours very truly,



W. Steven Rives

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Enclosure

cc: Central Missouri Telecommunications, Inc.

IN THE STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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THE STAFF OF THE MISSOURI PUBLIC  
SERVICE COMMISSION,

Complainant,

vs.

CENTRAL MISSOURI  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.,

Respondent,

Case No.: TC-2004-0300

MOTION TO SET ASIDE ORDER GRANTING DEFAULT

COMES NOW Central Missouri Telecommunications, Inc., by and through their attorney of record, W. Steven Rives, and in support of Respondent's Motion to Set Aside Order Granting Default, states as follows:

1. That on or about January 28, 2004, the Commission issued a Notice of Complaint to Respondent.
2. Respondent, in lieu of responding to said Notice of Complaint, filed its outstanding Annual Report.
3. Respondent, in good faith believed that by filing its' outstanding Annual Report, would be in effect, responding to the January 28, 2004, Complaing as filed by The Public Service Commission.
4. Respondent's failure to appropriately respond to the Complaint as filed by the Public Service Commission was not vexatious nor will either party be harmed by the granting of Respondent's Motion to Set Aside Order Granting Default.

WHEREFORE, Central Missouri Telecommunications, Inc., by and through their attorney of record, W. Steven Rives, requests that Respondent's Motion to Set Aside Order Granting Default, be granted and for any other and further Orders as deemed meet and just int he premises.

Respectfully submitted,

W. Steven Rives

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing was sent via U. S. Mail, postage prepaid and properly addressed, this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May, 2004, to General Counsel, Public Service Commission of Missouri, Truman State Office Building, Room 530, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, 65102, Attorney for Complainant.



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