

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

In the Matter of Qwest Communications Corporation's Tariff Filing Reflecting Its Change of Corporate Name to Qwest Communications Company, LLC.)	<u>Case No. TN-2009-0168</u>
)	Tariff Nos.: JX-2009-0322
)	JC-2009-0323
)	JX-2009-0324

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: December 19, 2008

Effective Date: December 19, 2008

On November 5, 2008, Qwest Communications Corporation, a Delaware corporation, filed notification of its change of corporate name due to its conversion from a corporation to a limited liability company. With its notification, Qwest filed revised tariff sheets with a January 2, 2009 effective date. Qwest subsequently extended the effective date of the tariffs to January 30, 2009.

The Commission's Staff filed a status report on December 8, 2008. Staff reports that Qwest does not yet have evidence of registration with the Missouri Secretary of State as required by 4 CSR 240-240-2.060(5), because it has not yet received a certificate of formation or good standing from the Delaware Secretary of State. Qwest expects to receive this certificate by January 2, 2009, and estimates that it should be able to file the required certification from the Missouri Secretary of State with the Commission within 14 days thereafter. Staff states that until Qwest is able to produce its certificate of authority from the Missouri Secretary of State, Staff cannot recommend that the Commission acknowledge the requested name change. Allowing for the uncertainty as to when Qwest will be able to file the required documentation, Staff expects to be able to file its recommendation on or before January 21, 2009.

The Commission has considered Staff's report and will set a January 21, 2009 filing date for Staff's recommendation or a further status report.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than January 21, 2009, the Staff of the Commission shall file either its recommendation or a further status report stating when it expects to file its recommendation.
2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Nancy Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 19th day of December, 2008.