

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Northwest Missouri Cellular Limited Partnership for Designation as a Telecommunications Company Carrier Eligible for Federal Universal Service Support Pursuant to § 254 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.)
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) **Case No. TO-2005-0466**
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ORDER CANCELING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

Issue Date: October 12, 2005

Effective Date: October 12, 2005

On August 10, 2005, the Commission adopted the procedural schedule proposed by the parties. On September 8, 2005, Northwest Missouri Cellular Limited Partnership requested a 30-day extension of the time for the filing of Direct Testimony. On that same date, Grand River Mutual Telephone Corporation and Holway Telephone Company filed a response in which they stated that they had no objection to the extension, so long as the entire procedural schedule was extended by 30 days. No further responses were received.

On October 11, 2005, Northwest Missouri Cellular Limited Partnership requested an indefinite suspension of the procedural schedule due to the serious illness of its lead witness. The Commission has reviewed the motion for suspension and determines that the extension shall be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That Northwest Missouri Cellular Limited Partnership's Motion to temporarily suspend the procedural schedule is granted.
2. That the entire procedural schedule is suspended indefinitely.

3. That Northwest Missouri Cellular Limited Partnership shall file a report no later than January 11, 2006, indicating the status of this case.

4. That this order shall become effective on October 12, 2005.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 12th day of October, 2005.