OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Application of NuVox Communications of)	
Missouri, Inc., for Authority to Provide its)	Case No. TF-2007-0356
Security in Connection with Financing)	

ORDER DIRECTING STAFF TO FILE A RECOMMENDATION OR INDICATE WHEN IT CAN FILE A RECOMMENDATION

Issue Date: May 1, 2007 Effective Date: May 1, 2007

On March 28, 2007, NuVox Communications of Missouri, Inc. ("NuVox Communications") filed a Motion for Leave to File an Amended Application and an Amended Application for authority to provide its guarantee, grant a security interest in its assets and pledge its stock in connection with financings for its parent, Gabriel Communications Finance Company, a subsidiary of NuVox, Inc.

The Commission will need to have a recommendation from its Staff before acting on the amended application. The Commission will direct Staff to file its recommendation on or before May 30, 2007, or if Staff is unable to meet this deadline, a pleading indicating when Staff will be able to file its recommendation.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Staff of the Commission shall, no later than May 30, 2007, file either its recommendation regarding NuVox Communications of Missouri, Inc.'s amended application, or a pleading advising the Commission when Staff will be able to file its recommendation.

2. This order shall become effective on May 1, 2007.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

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Cherlyn D. Voss, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 1st day of May, 2007.