

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Application of Granby Telephone Company	)	
for Approval of a Traffic Termination	)	<u>Case No. TO-2005-0339</u>
Agreement under the Telecommunications	)	
Act of 1996	)	

**ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE AND MAKING SPRINT
SPECTRUM L.P., AS AGENT AND GENERAL PARTNER FOR
WIRELESS CO., L.P. D/B/A SPRINT PCS, A PARTY**

This order provides notice of this application to interested parties and joins the other party to the interconnection agreement, Sprint Spectrum L.P., as agent and General Partner for Wireless Co., L.P. d/b/a Sprint PCS, as a party to this proceeding.

On March 31, 2005, Granby Telephone filed an application with the Commission for approval of an interconnection agreement with Sprint PCS under the provisions of the federal Telecommunications Act of 1996. Granby Telephone states that there are no unresolved issues and that the agreement complies with Section 252(e) of the Act in that it is not discriminatory to nonparty carriers and is consistent with the public interest. Granby Telephone requests expeditious approval of the agreement.

Although Sprint PCS is a party to the agreement, it did not join in the application. Because Sprint PCS is a necessary party to a full and fair adjudication of this matter, the Commission will add Sprint PCS as a party to this case.

The Act provides that an interconnection or resale agreement must be approved unless the state commission finds that the agreement discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement, or that implementation of the agreement is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity.¹ Section 252(e)(4) of the Act provides that if the Commission has not approved an agreement within 90 days after submission, the agreement shall be deemed approved. Therefore, the Commission will proceed with this case expeditiously. The Commission finds that proper persons should be allowed 20 days from the issuance of this order to file a motion for hearing. The Commission also finds that notice of this application should be sent to all interexchange and local exchange telecommunications companies.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Commission's Data Center shall send notice to all interexchange and local exchange telecommunications companies.
2. That Sprint Spectrum L.P., as agent and General Partner for Wireless Co., L.P. d/b/a/ Sprint PCS, is made a party to this case.
3. That any party wishing to request a hearing shall do so by filing a pleading no later than April 24, 2005, with:

Dale Hardy Roberts, Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

¹ 47 U.S.C. § 252(e).

and send copies to:

Brian T. McCartney, Esq.
312 East Capitol
Post Office Box 456
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

Law and Regulatory Affairs
Sprint PCS
6931 Sprint Parkway
Mailstop: KSOPHT0101-Z2060
Overland Park, Kansas 66251

and:

Office of the Public Counsel
Post Office Box 2230
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

4. That the Staff of the Commission shall file a memorandum advising either approval or rejection of this agreement and giving the reasons therefor no later than May 4, 2005.

5. That this order shall become effective on April 4, 2005.

BY THE COMMISSION

Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(S E A L)

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 4th day of April, 2005.