

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 DIRECTING NOTICE

Issue Date: June 7, 2005

Effective Date: June 7, 2005

On June 3, 2005, Northwest Missouri Cellular Limited Partnership filed its application with the Missouri Public Service Commission for designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier with respect to federal universal service support under Section 254 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and the implementing regulations of the Federal Communications Commission.

The Commission finds that proper persons should be allowed an opportunity to file a motion for leave to intervene in this matter. The Commission also finds that notice of this application should be sent to all telecommunications carriers certificated to operate in Missouri. Further, the Commission finds that the Public Information Office of the Commission must provide notice to the members of the General Assembly and to the news media.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Data Center of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall send notice of this application to all telecommunications carriers certificated to operate in the state of Missouri.

2. That the Public Information Office of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall provide notice of the application to the members of the General Assembly and to the news media.

3. That any party wishing to intervene in this matter must file an application no later than June 27, 2005, with:

Colleen M. Dale, Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0360

and send copies to:

Paul DeFord, Esq.
Lathrop & Gage, L.C.
2345 Grand Boulevard, Suite 2800
Kansas City, Missouri 64108-2684

and to:

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

4. That this order will become effective on June 7, 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 7th day of June, 2005.