BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of a Proposed Amendment to Modify Financial Information Reporting Requirements

File No. TX-2011-0099

NOTICE OF FINDING OF NECESSITY

Issue Date: October 7, 2010

The Commission intends to amend its rule to simplify the submission of financial documentation by telephone companies that are applying for certification as providers of basic local telecommunications services. The Commission finds that the amendment is necessary, and will seek comments from interested persons as to whether the amendment is appropriately designed and written.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 7th day of October, 2010.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge