

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office in
Jefferson City on the 24th day of
January, 2008.

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| In the Matter of the Determination of the Weighted, |) | |
| Statewide Average Rate of Nonwireless Basic |) | <u>Case No. TO-2006-0084</u> |
| Local Telecommunications Services |) | |

**ORDER DETERMINING STATEWIDE AVERAGE
RATE AND CLOSING CASE**

Issue Date: January 24, 2008

Effective Date: January 24, 2008

Pursuant to Section 392.245(13), RSMo (Cum. Supp. 2006), the Commission opened this matter on August 29, 2005 to determine the weighted, statewide average rate of nonwireless basic local telecommunications services. Since that time, the Staff of the Commission has surveyed telecommunications carriers in Missouri to determine their rates as of August 28, 2007.

On December 19, 2007, the Staff filed its Report for 2007, in which it stated it found the statewide average rates to be \$11.49 for residential customers, \$29.77 for business customers and \$14.66 overall. The Staff provided the information on which it based its determination.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Commission determines the statewide average rates to be \$11.49 for residential customers, \$29.77 for business customers, and \$14.66 overall.

2. The Public Information Office of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall provide notice of this order to the Members of the General Assembly.

2. This order shall become effective on January 24, 2008.

3. This case may be closed on January 25, 2008.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Davis, Chm., Murray, Clayton,
and Jarrett, CC., concur.
Clayton, C., concur, with
concurring opinion to follow.

Dale, Chief Regulatory Law Judge