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In the Matter of the Request for Community                   )  
Optional Service from GTE Midwest Incorporated's         )  
Belgrade Exchange to GTE Midwest Incorporated's         )  
Potosi Exchange.   )

Case No. TO-98-30

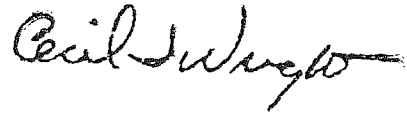
The Commission received a petition on July 23, 1997, requesting Community Optional Service (COS) from the Belgrade exchange served by GTE Midwest Incorporated (GTE) to GTE's Potosi exchange.

Because intraLATA dialing parity has been mandated by the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, all Missouri COS issues are currently under review. The Commission must consider how intraLATA dialing parity and the development of a competitive intraLATA toll market will affect COS service, and whether continued provision of COS will require changes in the service. These issues are being considered in Case No. TW-97-333. Therefore, the Commission will not direct the preparation of calling studies in this case and will stay any further proceedings pending the outcome of TW-97-333.

1. That all proceedings in this case are stayed pending the outcome of Case No. TW-97-333.

2. That this order shall become effective on the date hereof.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Cecil I. Wright", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

**Cecil I. Wright  
Executive Secretary**

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Zobrist, Chm., Crumpton, Murray,  
Lumpe and Drainer, CC., concur.

ALJ: George