BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Duane Farrant,)	
Complainant,		
V.	File No. TC-2014-010	<u>)3</u>
)	
CenturyLink (Embarq Missouri),	j	
)	
Respondent.)	

ORDER DIRECTING COMPLAINANT TO FILE A RESPONSE TO CENTURYLINK'S MOTION TO DISMISS

Issue Date: April 15, 2015 Effective Date: April 15, 2015

Duane Farrant has filed this complaint against CenturyLink (Embarq Missouri). Both the Staff of the Commission and the company filed motions to dismiss, stating that the Commission does not have the power to grant the requested relief. CenturyLink has renewed its motion to dismiss and informs the Commission that Complainant has disconnected his service with CenturyLink. For this reason, CenturyLink asserts that the Commission no longer has jurisdiction over this complaint.

The Commission will direct Complainant to file a statement informing the Commission of whether he has disconnected his service with CenturyLink. If Complainant does not respond to this order, the Commission may assume that CenturyLink's assertion is correct and dismiss this complaint. Under the Commission's rules, ¹ this complaint may be dismissed for failing to respond to a Commission order.

¹ Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.116(3).

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- Duane Farrant shall file, no later than June 1, 2015, a statement informing the
 Commission of whether he has disconnected his service with CenturyLink
 - 2. This order shall be effective when issued.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Kennard L. Jones, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 15th day of April, 2015.