

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Petition of Holway
Telephone Company for Suspension
of the Federal Communications Commission
Requirement to Implement Number
Portability.)
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Case No. TO-2004-0403

DISSENTING OPINION OF COMMISSIONER CONNIE MURRAY

I am opposed to a two-year suspension of the FCC's wireline-to-wireless LNP requirements.

I would have reluctantly granted a firm six-month suspension to allow additional time to become LNP capable. Unfortunately, that is not the agreement the Commission was presented.

Therefore, I respectfully dissent.

Respectfully submitted,


Connie Murray, Commissioner

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 27th day of July, 2004.