

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Petition of Grand River)
Mutual Telephone Corp. for Suspension) File No. TO-2004-0456
And Modification of the FCC's Requirement)
To Implement Number Portability)

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), through the undersigned counsel, and hereby respectfully requests that the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") extend the deadline for filing the Staff Recommendation to no earlier than January 18, 2011.

On December 28, 2010, representatives of the Staff met with representatives of Grand River Mutual Telephone Corp. ("Company"). At that time, it became clear that both Staff and the Company needed to do additional legal research concerning whether the Company was in compliance with both the Commission mandates contained in its Order, as well as federal law requirements. In light of the holidays, it has been difficult for both parties to contact internal stakeholders whose participation is necessary in forming their respective positions.

At that meeting, it was agreed that the Staff would file a request for extension of time on behalf of both parties. No operation of law date or other requirement necessitates that this matter be resolved by a date certain.

WHEREFORE, the Staff requests that the deadline for filing responses to the Company's status report be extended to no earlier than January 18, 2011, and that such extension shall apply to any interested party who chooses to file a response, not just the requesting parties.

Respectfully submitted,



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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 30th day of December, 2010.

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