

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

In the Matter of the Revised Tariff Filing of            )  
Choctaw Telephone Company                                )  
File No. TR-2012-0298  
Tariff No. JI-2012-0441

**ORDER ESTABLISHING TIME TO RESPOND TO PUBLIC  
COUNSEL'S MOTION TO SUSPEND TARIFF**

Issue Date: March 19, 2012

Effective Date: March 19, 2012

On March 14, 2012, Choctaw Telephone Company filed tariff sheets that would change its approved rates for local telephone service. Choctaw's tariff carries a May 1 effective date. The Office of the Public Counsel filed a motion on March 16, asking the Commission to suspend that tariff to allow time to investigate whether the revised rates proposed by Choctaw will be just and reasonable. The Commission will allow interested parties until March 26 to respond to Public Counsel's motion.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Any party that wishes to respond to the Office of the Public Counsel's Objection and Motion to Suspend shall do so no later than March 26, 2012.
2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

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Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority  
under Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2012.