BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

| In the Matter of the Application of Conversant |) |
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| Technologies, Inc. for a Certificate of Service |) |
| Authority to Provide Competitive Intrastate |) File No. XA-2009-0442 |
| Interexchange Telecommunications Services, |) Tariff No. YX-2009-0864 |
| including Operator Services, within the State |) |
| of Missouri |) |

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") further extend the deadline for filing the Staff Recommendation to no earlier than September 15, 2009.

1. On July 27, 2009, the Commission issued an Order in which it directed the Staff to file its recommendation on or before August 5, 2009. As of the date of this filing, the Application remains incomplete. The Company has extended its tariff effective date to September 30, 2009, to allow it to complete its application. Anticipating that the application could be granted and the tariffs approved at the September 23, 2009 Agenda Session, the Staff would anticipate filing its recommendation no later than September 15, 2009.

WHEREFORE, the Staff requests that the deadline for filing its Staff Recommendation be extended.

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 6th day of August, 2009.