

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of TCO Network, Inc. for a)	
Certificate of Service Authority to Provide Interexchange)	<u>Case No. XA-2008-0098</u>
Telecommunications Services and to Classify Such)	Tariff No. YX-2008-0215
Services and the Company as Competitive)	

ORDER GRANTING LEAVE TO APPEAR

Issue Date: October 11, 2007

Effective Date: October 11, 2007

This order grants Lance J.M. Steinhart leave to appear as counsel for TCO Network, Inc. ("TCO") in this matter.

On October 5, 2007, Lance J.M. Steinhart filed an Entry of Appearance as counsel on behalf of TCO in this matter. Because Mr. Steinhart is not admitted to the Missouri Bar, the Commission will treat this document as a request for leave to appear and participate in this case as a visiting attorney under Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.040(3)(C).

The Entry of Appearance indicates that Mr. Steinhart is a member in good standing of the State Bars of Georgia and New York, and that neither he nor any member of his law firm has been disqualified to appear in any court. Simultaneous with Mr. Steinhart's entry of appearance, Judith A. Rau, who is a member of the Missouri Bar, also entered her appearance for TCO in this case. Mr. Steinhart has designated Ms. Rau to serve as associate counsel for purposes of this case.

Mr. Steinhart has also submitted a September 18, 2007 letter from the Clerk of the Missouri Supreme Court showing Mr. Steinhart's compliance with Missouri Supreme Court Rule 6.01(m) with regard to this case.

The Commission finds that Mr. Steinhart has substantially complied with Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.040(3)(C) and Missouri Supreme Court Rule 6.01(m). Accordingly, his request for leave to appear and participate in this case on behalf of TCO as a visiting attorney is granted.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. Lance J.M. Steinhart's request for leave to appear and participate in Case No. XA-2008-0098 as a visiting attorney representing TCO Network, Inc. under Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.040(3)(C) is granted.
2. This order shall become effective on October 11, 2007.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Benjamin H. Lane, Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
under Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 11th day of October, 2007.