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Re:

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December 21, 1998

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The Honorable Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge Missouri Public Service Commission P.O. Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

Case No. TO-99-227

FILED DEC 2 1 1998

Missouri Public Service Commission

Dear Judge Roberts:

Please find enclosed for filing in the referenced matter an original and fourteen copies of an Application to Intervene of Show Me Competition, Inc.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this filing. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

NEWMAN, COMLEY & RUTH P.C.

By: Mark W. Comley

MWC:ab Enclosure cc: Office of Public Counsel Diane Miller All parties of record

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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Missouri Public Service Commission

In the matter of the application of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company to Provide Notice of Intent to File an Application for Authorization to Provide In-region InterLATA Services Originating in Missouri Pursuant to Section 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Case No. TO-99-227

<u>APPLICATION TO INTERVENE</u> OF SHOW ME COMPETITION, INC.

COMES NOW SHOW ME COMPETITION, INC. (hereinafter Show Me) and for its Application to Intervene states the following to the Commission:

1. Show Me is a Missouri not-for-profit corporation, the members of which include consumer groups, competitive basic local and interexchange telecommunications companies, and telecommunication industry associations. Its purposes include generally to promote and engender competition in local exchange telecommunications. The members of Show Me are identified on

Appendix A.

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2. All communications and pleadings in this docket should be directed to:

Diane Miller Show Me Competition 112 East High Street Jefferson City, MO 65101 573-761-1466 phone 573-761-4285 fax hrimiller@computerland.net

Mark W. Comley Newman, Comley & Ruth P.C. 601 Monroe Street, Suite 301 P.O. Box 537 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0537 573-634-2266 573-636-3306 (FAX) comleym@ncrpc.com

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3. On November 20, 1998, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (SWBT) filed an Application for authorization to provide in-region, interLATA services originating in Missouri pursuant to §271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Thereafter , on December 9, 1998, the Commission entered its procedural order which provided for filing of interventions no later than December 21, 1998. This request for intervention is timely.

4. Show Me seeks to appear in this proceeding because the Commission's decision herein will directly affect the interests of its members, either as consumers of telecommunications services or as competitors of SWBT or any of its affiliates. Therefore, its interests are different from those of the general public.

5. Furthermore, Show Me's appearance in this proceeding is in the public interest because of its interest in enhancing competition, and because of its representative experience in the telecommunications industry.

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WHEREFORE, Show Me respectfully requests the Commission to issue its order allowing

Show Me to intervene in this proceeding.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Mark W. Comley #28847 NEWMAN, COMLEY & RUTH P.C. 601 Monroe Street, Suite 201 P.O. Box 537 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0537 (573) 634-2266 (573) 636-3306 Attorneys for Show Me Competition, Inc.

ATTORNEY VERIFICATION

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STATE OF MISSOURI

COUNTY OF COLE

I, Mark W. Comley, being first duly sworn, do hereby certify, depose and state that I am the attorney for Show Me Competition, Inc. which seeks intervention in the above captioned proceeding before the Missouri Public Service Commission; that I have read the above and foregoing Application to Intervene and the allegations therein contained are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief; and I further state that I am authorized to verify the foregoing application by the above said applicant.

Mark W. Comley

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, on this 21st day of December, 1998.

Unnette M-Borghardt Notary Public

My Commission expires:



Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was sent by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, on this 21st day of December, 1998, to:

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MCI Telecommunications Corporation 100 South Fourth Street St. Louis, MO 63102 James M. Fischer 101 West McCarty Street, Suite 215 Jefferson City, MO 65101

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Carl J. Lumley Leland B. Curtis Curtis, Oetting, Heinz, Garrett & Soule 130 S. Berniston, Suite 200 Clayton, MO 63105

All the companies listed on Appendix B.

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k.A. Conley Mark W. Comley

APPENDIX A

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SHOW ME COMPETITION, INC. MEMBERS

Citizen Action 11340 Hammack Drive Bridgeton, MO 63044

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COMPTEL-MO c/o CGI 6950 West 56th Mission, KS 66202

Telecommunication Resellers Assn. Harbor Consulting Group, Inc. 4312 92nd Avenue Northwest Gig Harbor, WA 98335

MO Telecommunications Coalition c/o AT&T 101 W. McCarty Street, Suite 216 Jefferson City, MO 65101

MO Cable Telecommunications Assn. 705 N.W. 44th Street Kansas City, MO 64116

City Utilities of Springfield Springfield, MO

McLeod USA 6400 C Street SW PO Box 3177 Cedar Rapids, IA 52406-3177

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Certificated Missouri Competitive Local Exchange Companies

CLECs:

American Communications Services
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131 Nat'l Business Pkwy.
Suite 100
Annapolis Junction, MD 20701

Ameritech Communications International 9525 W. Bryn Mawr, Suite 600 Rosemont, IL 60018

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Atlas Communications, Ltd. 482 Norristown Rd., Suite 200 Blue Bell, PA 19422

BellSouth BSE, INC. 2727 Paces Ferry Road Atlanta, GA 30339

Birch Telcom of Missouri, Inc. 1004 Baltimore Ave., Suite 900 Kansas City, MO 64105

Broadspan Communications, Inc. 11756 Borman Drive Suite 101 St. Louis, MO 63146

Brooks Fiber Communications of Missouri One Brooks Center Parkway Town & Country, MO 63017

BTI 4300 Six Forks Rd, Suite 400 Raleigh, NC 27609

Dial & Save of Missouri, Inc. 8750 N. Central Expressway, Suite 1500 Dallas, TX 75231 Dial US 333 Park Central E Suite 926 Springfield, MO 65806

Digital Teleport, Inc. 11111 Dorsett Road St. Louis, MO 63043

Dobson Wireless, Inc. 13439 N. Broadway Ext. Suite 200 Oklahoma City, OK 73114

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EZ Talk Communications, L.L.C. 4727 South Main Stafford, TX 77477

Fast Connections, Inc. 2200 Ross Ave., Suite 3838 Dallas, TX 75201

Frontier Telemanagement Inc. 180 S. Clinton Rochester, NY 14646

GE EXCHANGE 6540 Powers Ferry Road Atlanta, GA 30339

Green Hills Communications, Inc. 7926 NE State Route M Breckenridge, MO 64625

Group Long Distance, Inc. 6455 E. Johns Crossing Suite 285 Duluth, GA 30097



ICG Telecom Group, Inc. 161 Inverness Drive West Englewood, CO 80112

Intermedia Communications Inc. 3625 Queen Palm Drive Tampa, FL 33619

Kansas City Fiber Network, LP 1111 Main St., Suite 300 Kansas City, MO 64105

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Micomm Services, Inc. 4001 McEwen Drive, Suite 200 Dallas, TX 75244

Microwave Services, Inc. 3 Bala Plaza East, Suite 502 Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004

Midwestern Tel 3809 Castelman Ave. Suite 100 St. Louis, MO 63110

Miller Telephone Co 209 East Main Miller, MO 65707

Missouri Comm South, Inc. 101 Randol Mill, Suite 108 Arlington, TX 76011

Navigator Telecommunications, LLC 212 Center St., Suite 1100 Little Rock, AR 72201

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Preferred Carrier Services, Inc. 500 Grapevine Hwy., Suite 300 Hurst, TX 76054

Omniplex Communications Group 743 Sprint 40 Park, Suite 250 Chesterfield, MO 63005

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Quintelco, INC. 1 Blue Hill Plaza Pearl River, NY 10965

Reconex 9620 S.W. Barur Blvd., Suite 330 Portland, OR 97219

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Tel-Save, Incorporated of Pennsylvania 6805 Route 202 New Hope, PA 18938

Teligent, Inc. 8065 Leesburg Pike, Suite 400 Vienna, VA 22182

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USN Communications Southwest, Inc. 10 S. Riverside Plaza, Suite 401 Chicago, IL 60606

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Z-Tel Communications, Inc. 777 S. Harbour Island Blvd. Suite 990 Tampa, FL 33602

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Birch Telecom of Missouri, Inc. 1004 Baltimore Ave., Suite 900 Kansas City, MO 64105

Bourbeuse Telephone Company 64 N. Clark Sullivan, MO 63080

BPS Telephone Company P.O. Box 669 Malden, MO 63863

Cass County Telephone Company P.O. Box 647 Peculiar, MO 64078

Chariton Valley Telephone Corporation P.O. Box 407 Bucklin, MO 64631

Choctaw Telephone Company P.O. Box 82 221 West Main Halltown, MO 65664

Citizens Telephone Co. of Higginsville, Missouri, Inc. 1905 Walnut P.O. Box 737 Higginsville, MO 64037

Comcast Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a Comcast Long Distance 211 South Gulph Road King of Prussia, PA 19406 Craw-Kan Telephone Cooperative 200 N. Ozark P.O. box 100 Girard, KS 66743

Digital Broadcast Network Corp. 977 Charter Commons Chesterfield, MO 63017

Ellington Telephone Company P.O. Box 400 201 College Ellington, MO 63638

Farber Telephone Company Main & Linn Farber, MO 63345

Fidelity Telephone Company 64 North Clark Ave. Sullivan, MO 63080

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Granby Telephone Company Box 209 Granby, MO 64844

Grand River Mutual Telephone Company 1001 Kentucky Ave Princeton, MO 64673

Green Hills Telephone Corporation P.O. Box 227 Breckenridge, MO 64625

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GTE Midwest Incorporated 601 Monroe Street, Suite 304 Jefferson City, MO 65101





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Iamo Telephone Company P.O. Box 368 104 Crook St. Coin, IA 51636

Kingdom Telephone Company P.O. Box 97 211 S. Main Auxvasse, MO 65231

KLM Telephone Company P.O. Box 30 Rich Hill, MO 64779

Lathrop Telephone Company P.O. Box 167 Princeton, MO 64673

Le-Ru Telephone Company, Inc. P.O. Box 147 Stella, MO 64867

Mark Twain Rural Telephone Company P.O. Box 68 Hurdland, MO 63547

McDonald County Telephone Company P.O. Box 207 Pineville, MO 64856

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New Florence Telephone Company 192 West Broadway P.O. Box 526 Peculiar, MO 64078

New London Telephone Company 501 S. Main St. P.O. Box 369 New London, MO 63459

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Peace Valley Telephone Company, Inc. P.O. Box 9 7101 State Hwy W Peace Valley, MO 65788

Rock Port Telephone Company 107 Opp St. P.O. Box 147 Rock Port, MO 64482

Seneca Telephone Company P.O. Box 329 Seneca, MO 64865

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company General Counsel-Missouri One Bell Center, Room 3520 St. Louis, MO 63101

Sprint 5454 West 110th St Overland Park, KS 66211

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TCG Kansas City, Inc. 233 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 2100 Chicago, IL 60606

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Missouri Companies With Pending Applications for Authority to Provide Competitive Local Exchange Telecommunications in Missouri as of December 2, 1998

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BarTel Communications, Inc. 14 Clif-side Glendale, MO 63122

Camarato Distributing, Inc. 900 Camarato Drive Herrin, IL 62948

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The Pager Company 5321 E. 9th St. Kansas City, MO 64124

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