BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Cancellation of the Certificate of Service Authority and Accompanying Tariffs of Nations Bell, In. d/b/a MTS/Communicall

File No. XD-2009-0334 Tracking No. JX-2003-0713

ORDER CANCELING CERTIFICATE AND ACCOMPANYING TARIFF

Issue Date: March 30, 2009 Effective Date: April 9, 2009

On March 12, 2009, the Staff of the Commission filed a motion asking the Commission to cancel the certificate of service authority and tariff of Nations Bell, Inc. d/b/a MTS/Communicall to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications service in Missouri.

In File Number TA-96-157, the Commission granted Nations Bell, Inc. d/b/a Nations Tel and Nations Bell, Inc. d/b/a MTS/Communicall a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications service. MTS/Communicall's tariff, P.S.C. Mo. No. 1, was also approved.

On June 27, 2007, Staff filed a *Motion to Cancel Certificate of Service Authority and Accompanying Tariff.* Staff recommended the Commission cancel the company's certificate and tariff and mentioned the company's fictitious name "Nations Tel." Staff's motion did not mention the fictitious name "MTS/Communicall." On September 27, 2008, the Commission canceled the certificate of Nations Broadband, Inc. (originally Nations Bell, Inc. d/b/a Nations Tel) and the accompanying tariff. Staff's motion in the present matter states that the counsel for the company again asked the Commission to cancel its certificate of service authority because it was no longer operating in Missouri. Staff's motion indicates at the time of the 2007 motion to cancel the company's certificate sand tariffs, the company owed no annual reports and currently owes no assessments.

Because MTS/Communicall has requested cancellation of its certificate and is no longer providing telecommunications service in Missouri, Staff recommends that the Commission cancel the company's certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications service and its accompanying tariff.

The Commission has the authority to cancel a certificate pursuant to Section 392.410.5, RSMo, which states, in part, "[a]ny certificate of service authority may be altered or modified by the commission after notice and hearing, upon its own motion or upon application of the person or company affected."

Based on the request from the company's counsel and Staff's motion and recommendation, the Commission finds that the certificate of service authority and accompanying tariff granted to Nations Bell, Inc. d/b/a MTS/Communicall shall be canceled.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications service, granted to Nations Bell, Inc. d/b/a MTS/Communicall in Case Number TA-96-157, is canceled.

2. Nations Bell, Inc. d/b/a MTS/Communicall's tariff, P.S.C. Mo. No. 1, is canceled.

3. This order shall become effective on April 9, 2009.

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4. This case may be closed on April 10, 2009.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale Secretary

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Nancy Dippell, Interim Chief Regulatory, Law Judge by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri on this 30th day of March, 2009.