BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Cancellation of its Certificate of Service Authority and Tariff of Nations Broadband, Inc.

Case No. XD-2007-0493 Tracking No. JX-2003-0774

ORDER CANCELING CERTIFICATE AND ACCOMPANYING TARIFF

Issue Date: September 27, 2007 Effective Date: October 7, 2007 On June 27, 2007, the Staff of the Commission filed a motion asking the Commission to cancel the certificate of service authority and tariff of Nations Broadband, Inc. to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunication service in Missouri.

In Case Number TA-96-157, the Commission granted Nations Bell, Inc. a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications service. Nations Bell's tariff, P.S.C. Mo. No. 1, was also approved. In the same case, the Commission authorized the use of the fictitious name "NationsTel." In Case No. TO-2002-454, the Commission approved a name change to Nations Broadband Inc. The company's tariff was amended to show the name change.

Staff's motion states that the counsel for Nations asked the Commission to cancel its certificate of service authority because it was no longer operating in Missouri. According to the Missouri Secretary of State's Office, the company's authority to do business in the State of Missouri was revoked on February 23, 2004 because the company failed to maintain a registered agent.

Staff's Motion indicates Nations owes no annual reports or assessments. No formal complaints have been filed against the company since the commencement of the Electronic Filing and Information System.

Because Nations has requested cancellation of its certificate; it's not providing telecommunications service in Missouri; and it no longer has authority to transact business in the state, 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 Broadband, Inc. shall be canceled.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications service, granted to Nations Broadband, Inc. in Case Number TA-96-157, is canceled.

2. Nations Broadband's tariff, P.S.C. Mo. No. 1, is canceled.

3. This order shall become effective on October 7, 2007.

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4. This case may be closed on October 8, 2007.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale Secretary

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Colleen M. Dale, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri on this 27th day of September, 2007.