BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the Certificate of Service Authority of Americatel Corporation

File No. XD-2016-____

MOTION TO CANCEL CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and moves for the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) to cancel the certificate of interexchange service authority in Missouri of Americatel Corporation ("the Company") and states as follows:

1. On March 13, 1998, the Commission granted a certificate of interexchange service authority pertaining to the Company in Case No. TA-98-315.

2. On July 23, 2015, the Staff was notified that the Company was no longer offering telecommunications services in Missouri (see BNIR-2015-0314).

3. The Commission has the authority to cancel a telecommunications certificate pursuant to Section 392.410.5 RSMo 2000, which provides "[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."

4. The Commission need not hold a hearing, if, after proper notice and opportunity to intervene, no party requests such a hearing. *State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Enterprises, Inc. v. Public Service Commission*, 776 S.W.2d 494 (Mo. App. W.D. 1989).

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WHEREFORE, the Staff respectfully recommends the Commission cancel the certificate of service authority to provide interexchange telecommunications service in Missouri of Americatel Corporation.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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 18th day of April, 2016.