

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Name Change Request of)	File No. XN-2011-0371
Associated Network Partners, Inc. to ANPI, LLC)	Tariff No. YX-2011-0570

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”), through the undersigned counsel, and hereby respectfully submits this Staff Recommendation.

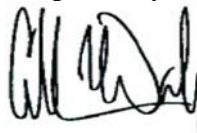
1. On May 13, the above-reference company filed a notice of a name change by filing a tariff adoption bearing an effective date of June 12, 2011. The company did not file a copy of the customer notice, as required by the rule, nor did it file documentation showing that its new name is registered with the Secretary of State.

2. As the attached Memorandum notes, the change in name does not appear to be so significant as to cause customer confusion; therefore, the Staff recommends that the name change be recognized by the Commission without requiring such notice. In addition, a check of the Secretary of State’s Web Site indicates that the new name is approved and active.

3. Rule 4 CSR 240-2.060 establishes filing requirements for certificated company name changes; with the exceptions noted above, the Company has complied with the rule. No entities intervened to oppose the name change. The Company is not delinquent in any required filings with the Commission. The filed tariff adoption sheets are compliant with Commission rules.

WHEREFORE, the Staff recommends the Commission recognize the name change and either approve the tariff adoption notice or allow it to take effect by operation of law.

Respectfully submitted,



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