

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

In the Matter of the Application by Telecom	)	
Management, Inc., d/b/a Pioneer Telephone,	)	
and Broadwing Communications, LLC, for	)	<b><u>Case No. XM-2009-0104</u></b>
Approval of Asset Purchase Agreements	)	

**ORDER DIRECTING FILING**

Issue Date: September 22, 2008

Effective Date: September 22, 2008

This order directs the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission to notify the Commission when it will file a Recommendation.

On September 18, 2008, Telecom Management, Inc., d/b/a Pioneer Telephone, (hereafter "Pioneer") and Broadwing Communications, LLC (hereafter "Broadwing") asked the Commission to approve a transfer of certain assets from Broadwing to Pioneer. The assets consist of approximately 1,948 residential and 985 small medium enterprise customers in Missouri.

Staff is directed to file either a recommendation or a status report notifying the Commission of the date it expects to file its recommendation.

**IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. The Staff of the Commission shall file a pleading as described above no later than October 22, 2008.

2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

( S E A L )

Ronald D. Pridgin, Senior Regulatory  
Law Judge, by delegation of authority  
under Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2008.