OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Joint Application of Now		
Acquisition Corporation and NOW Communica-		
tions, Inc., for Authority to Transfer Certain	Case No. XM-2	2004-0065
Assets of NOW Communications, Inc., to		
Now Acquisition Corporation.		

ORDER CANCELING CERTIFICATES OF SERVICE AUTHORITY AND CLOSING CASE

Issue Date: May 4, 2006 Effective Date: May 14, 2006

On October 2, 2003, the Missouri Public Service Commission issued an order approving the transfer of assets from NOW Communications, Inc. to Now Acquisition Corporation. To facilitate cancellation of NOW Communications' certificates and tariffs, the Commission directed the parties to notify the Commission upon completion of the transfer. On May 4, 2006, the parties filed a notice informing the Commission that the transaction has been completed.

The Commission granted NOW Communications a certificate to provide basic local telecommunications service in Case No. TA-98-390 and a certificate to provide interexchange service in Case No. TA-98-502. The Commission also approved tariffs to reflect the company's services. Having transferred its assets and customers to Now Acquisition, NOW Communications no longer has a need for its certificates and tariffs.

Section 392.410.5, RSMo 2000, states: "Any 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 " The Commission has reviewed

the official file and finds that the Certificates of Service Authority and the accompanying tariffs, granted to NOW Communications in case numbers TA-98-390 and TA-98-502, shall be canceled.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- 1. The Certificate of Service Authority to provide basic local telecommunications services, granted to NOW Communications, Inc. in Case No. TA-98-390, is canceled.
- 2. The Certificate of Service Authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services, granted to NOW Communications, Inc. in Case No. TA-98-502, is canceled.
 - 3. NOW Communications, Inc.'s tariff, Mo. P.S.C. Tariff No. 1, is canceled.
 - 4. NOW Communications, Inc.'s tariff, MO. P.S.C. Mo. 2, is canceled.
 - 5. This order shall become effective on May 14, 2006.
 - 6. This case may be closed on May 15, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

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Kennard L. Jones, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 4th day of May, 2006.