OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Petition by CD Telecommunications, LLC for)	
Arbitration of an Interconnection Agreement with)	
CenturyTel, Inc., CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC, and)	Case No. XO-2005-0277
pectra Communications, LLC, Pursuant to Section)	
252(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as)	
Amended, and Missouri Law	j	

ORDER DIRECTING PARTIES TO FILE PROGRESS REPORT

Issue Date: July 26, 2005 Effective Date: July 26, 2005

At the request of the parties, the procedural schedule for this arbitration has been suspended to allow time for the parties to negotiate toward a settlement. So that the arbitrator may be kept aware of the progress of those negotiations, the parties will be ordered to file a progress report. The parties are reminded that the deadline for the completion of this arbitration is set for August 10. If the parties believe that they will be unable to complete their negotiations by that date, they should file a motion to extend the deadline.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the parties shall file a progress report no later than August 1, 2005.

2. That this order shall become effective on July 26, 2005.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Morris L. Woodruff, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 26th day of July, 2005.