

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

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the Certificate )  
of Service Authority of Conversant Technologies, ) File No. XD-2012-\_\_\_\_\_  
Inc. )

## MOTION TO CANCEL CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY

**COMES NOW** the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), by and through the undersigned counsel, and moves for the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) to cancel the certificate of service authority of Conversant Technologies, Inc. (Conversant or Company) and states as follows:

1. On September 21, 2009, the Commission granted Conversant a certificate of service authority to provide competitive intrastate interexchange telecommunications services in the state of Missouri.

2. On August 12, 2011, the Commission received a Ceasing Operation Statement from the Company that requested the cancellation of its certificate of service authority. (See Attachment A).

3. Because the Company requested cancellation of its certificate and it is not providing services in Missouri to the best of the Staff's knowledge, information and belief, the Staff recommends that the Commission cancel the certificate.

4. 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.”

5. 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).

6. The Company is current on its fiscal year 2012 assessment and submission of its calendar year 2010 annual report.

**WHEREFORE**, the Staff respectfully recommends that the Commission cancel the certificate of service authority and associated tariff of Conversant Technologies, Inc., to provide competitive intrastate interexchange telecommunications services in the state of Missouri.

Respectfully submitted,

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed by first class prepaid United States Postal Service mail or electronically mailed to: Conversant Technologies, Inc, Legal Department, 6900 Alma Drive, Suite 180, Plano, TX 75075; Robin Norton, Consultant to Conversant Technologies, Inc., 2600 Maitland Center Parkway, Suite 300, Maitland, FL 32751; and the Office of the Public Counsel at [opcservice@ded.mo.gov](mailto:opcservice@ded.mo.gov) this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 2011.

**/s/Jennifer Hernandez**



August 12, 2011  
Filed Via EFIS

Mr. Stephen Reed, Executive Secretary & General Counsel  
Missouri Public Service Commission  
Office of the Public Counsel  
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**RE:    Conversant Technologies, Inc.  
         Withdrawal of Certification and Tariff  
         (File No. XA-2009-0442; Tariff No. YX-2009-0864)**

Dear Mr. Reed:

Enclosed for filing please find this letter submitted on behalf of Conversant Technologies, Inc. to request immediate cancellation of its certificate granted in the above referenced docket on September 30, 2009.

Conversant Technologies, Inc. does not currently provide service in Missouri, and no longer plans to operate in this jurisdiction.

Any questions you may have regarding this filing may be directed to my attention at (407) 740-3004 or via email to [Rnorton@tminc.com](mailto:Rnorton@tminc.com)

Sincerely,

Robin Norton  
Consultant to Conversant Technologies, Inc.

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