

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

In the Matter of the Application of                 )  
dPi Teleconnect, LLC for Designation as         )  
an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier         )     File No. CO-2010-0054

**ORDER DIRECTING FILING**

Issue Date: May 24, 2010

Effective Date: May 24, 2010

On August 7, 2009, dPi Teleconnect, LLC (hereafter “dPi”) applied for designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC) throughout the exchanges of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, L.P. d/b/a AT&T Missouri. Staff filed its Recommendation on March 5, 2010. dPi and Staff have exchanged several rounds of pleadings, the latest of which is a Staff Status Report dated May 17, 2010.

Staff stated that on April 19, 2010, it requested until May 17, 2010 to review dPi’s application. Staff now asks for additional time to review dPi’s filings, which include a tariff that has an effective date of June 9, 2010<sup>1</sup>. Staff asks that the Commission allow it until June 1, 2010 to file its Recommendation.

The Commission finds Staff’s request for additional time reasonable. But it cannot accommodate a request for a June 1, 2010 Staff Recommendation due to the Commission’s Agenda schedule. Thus, the Commission will grant Staff until May 28, 2010 to file its Recommendation.

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<sup>1</sup> Because dPi filed its tariff separately from the instant case, the Regulatory Law Judge was unaware of the tariff until Staff’s May 17, 2010 Status Report.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Staff of the Commission shall file a Recommendation no later than May 28, 2010.
2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Steven C. Reed  
Secretary

( S E A L )

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2010.