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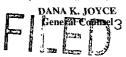
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RE: Case No. TO-2000-619

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case are an original and eight (8) conformed copies of a STAFF RECOMMENDATION.

This filing has been mailed or hand-delivered this date to all counsel of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Bruce H. Bates

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cc: Counsel of Record

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Master Network)	•
Interconnection and Resale Agreement of)	
Sprint Missouri, Inc., d/b/a Sprint, and DSLnet Communications, LLC.)	Case No. TO-2000-619
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STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff") and for its Recommendation states:

In the attached *Memorandum*, which is labeled *Appendix A*, Staff recommends that the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") grant Sprint Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Sprint and DSLnet Communications, LLC approval of an interconnection, resale agreement, pursuant to the terms of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, for the reasons stated therein.



Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed or hand-delivered to all counsel or parties of record as shown on the attached service list this 10th day of May 2000.

Brice H. Bate

MEMORANDUM

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Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File

Case No. TO-2000-619

Parties: Sprint Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Sprint and DSL net

Communications, LLC

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Walt Cecil, Telecommunications Department

Hility Operations Division/Date General Counsel Office/Date

Subject:

Staff Recommendation for Approval of Interconnection Agreement

Date:

05/10/00

Date Filed:

04/04/00

Staff Deadline: 06/11/00

The Telecommunications Department Staff (Staff) recommends the Parties be granted approval of the submitted (may check more than one)

Resale Agreement
Facilities-based Interconnection Agreement
Wireless Interconnection Agreement

The Parties submitted the proposed Agreement to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) pursuant to the terms of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Act). Staff has reviewed the proposed Agreement and believes it meets the limited requirements of the Act. Specifically, the Agreement: 1) does not appear to discriminate against telecommunications carriers not party to the Agreement and 2) does not appear to be against the public interest, convenience or necessity.

Is there an attachment to this recommendation indicating any recommendations or special considerations? Yes No

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Interconnection Agreement Review Items

\boxtimes	No applications to intervene filed
	Terms and rates in Agreement similar to those contained in approved Interconnection Agreement, i.e., Sprint Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Sprint and Dakota Services Limited, Case No. TO-2000-102.
\boxtimes	Agreement signed by both Parties

Staff recommends the Commission direct the Parties to submit any modifications or amendments

Service List for Case No. T0-2000-619 May 10, 2000

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