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Colleen M. Dale
Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
200 Madison Street
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**Missouri Public
Service Commission**

Re: Fifth Extension of Tariff Effective Dates

Adoption of Tariffs of LEC Long Distance, Inc., d/b/a CassTel Long Distance by ST Long Distance, Inc., d/b/a FairPoint Communications Long Distance; and

Adoption of Tariffs of Cass County Telephone Company, L.P. by FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc. d/b/a FairPoint Communications

Case No. TM-2006-0306

Tariff File Nos.:

YX-2006-0903

YI-2006-0904

YI-2006-0905

YI-2006-0906

YI-2006-0907

YI-2006-0908

YI-2006-0909; and

YI-2006-0910

Dear Ms. Dale:

Referencing my previous correspondence in these matters of June 30, July 6, July 13 and July 19, 2006, the closing of the transaction addressed in Case No. TM-2006-0306 will not occur on July 24, 2006.

Accordingly, ST Long Distance, Inc., d/b/a FairPoint Communications Long Distance and FairPoint Communications Missouri, Inc., d/b/a FairPoint Communications

hereby further extend the effective dates of the above-referenced subject tariff sheets from July 24, 2006 to July 26, 2006.

Please feel free to contact me regarding any questions you may have concerning this notice of extension of effective dates.

Very truly yours,



Larry W. Dority

cc: Office of the Public Counsel
Counsel of Record in Case No. TM-2006-0306
Hon. Morris L. Woodruff, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge