

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Access Point, Inc.)	
for Expansion of Certificate of Service Authority to)	
Provide Basic Local Exchange Telecommunications)	<u>File No. TA-2010-0020</u>
Service in the State of Missouri and to Classify said)	Tariff No. YC-2010-0021
Service and the Company as Competitive)	

ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME AND SUSPENDING TARIFF

Issue Date: August 17, 2009

Effective Date: August 17, 2009

On July 14,¹ Access Point, Inc. ("API") filed an application requesting expansion of its certificate of service authority to provide competitive basic local exchange telecommunications throughout all of the exchanges of all Missouri incumbent local exchange companies. In conjunction with its application, API filed tariffs governing the provision of the proposed telecommunications services. Those tariffs bear the effective date of August 28.

On July 15, notice was issued and an intervention deadline was set for July 30. No requests for intervention were filed. Also on July 15, the Commission directed its Staff to file a recommendation no later than August 14.

On August 14, Staff requested an extension of time to file its recommendation stating that it lacked certain information from the company to complete its evaluation of the application. Staff requests an extension until August 28 to file its recommendation, the same date API's tariffs are set to go into effect. Although Staff did not request a tariff suspension, in order to grant its request the tariffs will have to be suspended.

¹ All dates throughout this order refer to the year 2009 unless otherwise noted.

Section 392.220.4 authorizes the Commission to suspend a tariff proposing any new telecommunications service for a maximum period of 30 days. The Commission shall grant Staff's request for an extension and shall suspend API's tariff.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Staff of the Missouri Public Commission's motion for an extension of time is granted.

2. No later than August 28, 2009, the Staff of the Missouri Public Commission shall file a recommendation regarding Access Point, Inc.'s application to expand its certificate of service authority to provide competitive basic local exchange telecommunications throughout all of the exchanges of all Missouri incumbent local exchange companies.

3. Access Point, Inc.'s tariff, assigned tracking number YC-2010-0021, submitted on July 14, 2009 and effective on August 28, 2009, is suspended until September 27, 2009, unless otherwise approved to take effect by the Commission. The tariff sheets suspended are:

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4. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

(S E A L)

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. Reed', written over a horizontal line.

Steven C. Reed
Secretary

Harold Stearley, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 17th day of August, 2009.