

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

In the Matter of the Application of Nexus )  
Communications, Inc., d/b/a TSI, for )  
Designation as a Telecommunications )  
Carrier Eligible for Federal Universal )  
Service Support Pursuant to Section 254 )  
of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 )

**Case No. CA-2006-0282**

**ORDER GRANTING LEAVE TO APPEAR**

Issue Date: January 12, 2006

Effective Date: January 12, 2006

This order grants Lance J. M. Steinhart leave to appear as counsel for Nexus Communications, Inc., d/b/a TSI.

On December 30, 2005, Lance J. M. Steinhart filed an Entry of Appearance as counsel on behalf of TSI. Mr. Steinhart is not admitted to the Missouri Bar and the Commission considers his entry of appearance a request to appear *pro hac vice* under Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.040.

Mr. Steinhart is a member in good standing of the State Bar of Georgia and the New York State Bar. Mr. Steinhart is also on inactive status with the State Bar of Maryland. Simultaneous with Mr. Steinhart's entry of appearance, Judith A. Rau also entered her appearance as local counsel for TSI. Ms. Rau is a member of the Missouri Bar. Mr. Steinhart has designated Ms. Rau as his local counsel for purposes of this proceeding.

Mr. Steinhart also submitted his receipt from the Clerk of the Supreme Court showing his compliance with Missouri Supreme Court Rule 6.01(m).

The Commission finds that the entry of appearance is in substantial compliance with the Commission's rule and should be granted.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. That the entry of appearance of Lance J. M. Steinhart on behalf of Nexus Communications, Inc., d/b/a TSI, is granted.
2. That this order shall become effective on January 12, 2006.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

( S E A L )

Nancy Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law  
Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 12th day of January, 2006.