

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

In the Matter of the Nullification of the )  
Certificate of Service Authority of Ozarks ) **Case No. CD-2007-0476**  
Telecom, LLC )

## ORDER NULLIFYING CERTIFICATE

Issue Date: August 23, 2007

Effective Date: September 2, 2007

On June 8, 2007, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission filed a motion requesting the Commission nullify the certificate of service authority of Ozarks Telecom, LLC, a company that has been authorized to provide basic local telecommunications services by the Commission.

In Case Number CA-2006-0083, the Commission granted Ozarks Telecom a certificate of service authority to provide basic local telecommunications services in the State of Missouri. The company never had a Commission-approved tariff in effect.

Because Ozarks Telecom is a limited liability company, it is not required to submit routine reports to the Missouri Secretary of State's Office. However, records from the Secretary of State's Office indicate that on October 26, 2006, the company, as well as Internet, LLC, merged with Ozarks Broadband, LLC. Ozarks Broadband was the sole survivor. Neither Internet nor Ozarks Broadband is regulated by this Commission.

Staff's motion states that Ozarks Telecom's phone number provided to the Commission, is no longer in service. Staff has been unable to contact the company via telephone or U.S. Mail. Although the mail has not been returned as undeliverable, Staff

has received no reply from the company. Ozarks Telecom has not submitted its calendar year 2006 annual report to the Commission. The company owes no assessments. Staff recommends that the Commission nullify the company's certificate of service authority to provide basic local telecommunications services.

The Commission has the authority to cancel a certificate and tariff pursuant to Section 392.410.5, RSMo, which states, in part, "[a]ny certificate or service authority may be altered or modified by the commission after notice and hearing, upon its own motion or upon application of the person or company affected."

Having reviewed Staff's motion and the supporting documents, the Commission finds that the certificate of service authority granted to Ozarks Telecom, LLC shall be nullified.

**IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. The certificate of authority to provide basic local telecommunications services granted to Ozarks Telecom, LLC, in Case Number CA-2006-0083, is nullified.
2. This order shall become effective on September 2, 2007.
3. This case may be closed on September 3, 2007.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

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Colleen M. Dale, Chief Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri  
on this 23rd day of August, 2007.