BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the Registration)
of Lightyear Network Solutions, LLC to) File No. DD-2014-0145
Provide Interconnected Voice over)
Internet Protocol Service in the State of Missouri)

ORDER CANCELING REGISTRATION

Issue Date: December 31, 2013 Effective Date: December 31, 2013

On December 17, 2013, Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission filed a motion requesting Lightyear Network Solutions, LLC ("Lightyear") registration to provide Interconnected Voice over Internet Protocol service ("IVoIP") in the State of Missouri be cancelled.

In File Number DA-2009-0385, the Commission granted Lightyear its statewide IVoIP registration in the State of Missouri.

Staff states in its motion that the company requested the Commission cancel the Company's registration due to because Lightyear transferred its assets and customers to Birch Telecom of Missouri Inc., d/b/a Birch Missouri. Staff requested expedited treatment of the cancellation with an effective date of December 31, 2013 to ensure the Company will not be required to file a calendar year 2014 annual report.

On December 19, 2013, the Commission issued an Order Directing Notice allowing any parties to file an objection or request a hearing to do so no later than December 30, 2013. No objections or requests for a hearing were filed.

The Commission need not hold a hearing, if, after proper notice and opportunity to intervene, no party requests such a hearing.¹

Based on Staff's motion, the Commission finds that the IVoIP registration granted to Lightyear Network Solutions, LLC shall be canceled.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- The registration to provide Interconnected Voice over Internet Protocol services granted to Lightyear Network Solutions, LLC, in File Number DA-2009-0385, is canceled.
 - 2. This order shall become effective on December 31, 2013.
 - 3. This case may be closed on January 1, 2014.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri on this 31st day of December, 2013.

¹ State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Enterprises, Inc. v. Public Service Commission, 776 S.W.2d 494 (Mo. App. W.D. 1989).