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Missouri Public
Service Commission

The Hamilton Telephone Company

Company Name

(Provide the full name of the company as certificated or registered with the Missouri Public Service Commission. Do not abbreviate; include any Commission approved d/b/a or fictitious name, if applicable.)

**TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY OR IVOLP PROVIDER
ANNUAL REPORT
TO THE
MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

For the Calendar Year of
January 1 - December 31, 2015

Please select how the company is certificated or registered with the Commission under the Company Name as shown above (check all that apply):

- ☐ Incumbent Local Telecommunications Company (not competitively classified ILEC)
- ☐ Incumbent Local Exchange Telecommunications Company (competitively classified ILEC)
- ☐ Competitive Local Exchange Telecommunications Company (CLEC)
- ☒ Interexchange Telecommunications Company (IXC)
- ☒ Local Non-switched Telecommunications Provider (classified in EFIS as IXC)
- ☐ Interconnected Voice over Internet Protocol Service Provider (IVoIP)

If more than one certificate or registration is held by the company then keep in mind that you must file an annual report in the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS) based on each certificate or registration. In such situations, we anticipate the annual reports to be identical; however please verify the following:

- ☒ The various annual reports filed in EFIS are identical.
- ☐ The various annual reports filed in EFIS are different.
- ☐ Not applicable (Company only has one certificate or registration; therefore only one annual report was filed in EFIS.)

Please choose one of the following filing options to indicate the security level of the filing:

- ☐ Public submission (NOT Proprietary or Highly Confidential)
- ☒ Non-Public submission (Highly Confidential or Proprietary)
(See instructions for special requirements.)

Please review the instructions document on the previous page before proceeding.

Public

Annual Report of The Hamilton Telephone Company

for the calendar year of January 1 - December 31, 2015

1. State in full the company's information below:

1001 12th St
Company Street Address

(402) 694-5101
Telephone Number

Company Mailing Address (if different from street address)

(402) 694-2848
Fax Number

Aurora NE 68818
City State Zip

info@hamiltontel.com
E-Mail Address

2. This company is currently a (check appropriate box):

- ☒ Corporation ☐ Sole Proprietorship ☐ LP
☐ Partnership ☐ LLC ☐ Other - Explain

3. Annual Report Contact Information:

List the contact information of the person completing the form, whether an employee or a third-party preparer.
This may differ from the address in Item No. 1.

Jerry Petermann
Name

(402) 694-5101
Telephone Number

1001 12th St
Street Address

(402) 694-2848
Fax Number

Mailing Address

jerry.petermann@hamiltontel.com
E-mail Address

Aurora NE 68818
City State Zip

4. Identify the principal or general officers of the company at the end of the year. Please include an additional sheet, if enough space is not provided on this page, to completely provide the requested information.

Title of General Officer
<u>President</u>
<u>Vice President</u>
<u>Vice President</u>
<u>Secretary/Treasurer</u>

Name of Person Holding Office
<u>John Nelson</u>
<u>Phillip C. Nelson</u>
<u>Dan Molliconi</u>
<u>Betty Van Luchene</u>

5. Please provide a list of all mergers, consolidations, and reorganizations involving the registered or certificated company and completed during the last year. Do not include internal company reorganizations or personnel issues.

NONE

6. Please provide the following information concerning the company's revenues for this calendar year:

Row	Revenues	MO Jurisdictional (Column A)	Total Company ¹ (Column B)
I. RETAIL			
1.	Local Service Revenues include tariffed revenues attributed to local telecommunications services, extended area service, secondary features such as call forwarding, caller ID, local operator services, directory-related services, etc. and for IVoIP service.		
2.	Interexchange Revenues include revenues attributed to interexchange telecommunications services such as toll services, 800 services, interexchange operator services and interexchange IVoIP services.		
3.	Non-Switched Telecommunications Service Revenues include revenues attributed to retail local and interexchange private line services (but not special access or private line services provided to other telecommunications carriers).		
4.	Bundled or Packaged Revenues include any revenues whereby the company is providing voice services in combination with multiple services whereby revenue can not be easily attributed to local, interexchange or non-switched categories. If such bundles includes Internet, video or some non-regulated service then the company's revenue shall be based on the company's rate offer for solely voice services. The excess revenue associated with the bundled service which is over the amount related to revenue associated with voice only service shall be recorded in the Total Company column. If voice service is only offered as part of a bundled service, the company shall identify all revenue associated with the bundle of services in the Missouri Jurisdictional column.		
5.	Retail Uncollectible Revenues from telecommunications revenues. (This amount is generally a negative number.)		
6.	RETAIL TOTAL (This amount should equal the total of Rows 1 - 5 above and should also match your Missouri Universal Service Fund Net Jurisdictional Revenue Report amount.)		
II. OTHER			
7.	Wholesale Revenues include intrastate switched, special access service revenues, carrier billing and collection revenues, and any other revenues derived from other telecommunications carriers.		
8.	Miscellaneous Revenues² associated with non-retail services , such as, advertising revenues, rent revenues, corporate operations revenues, special billing arrangements, customer operations, plant operations, other incidental regulated revenues, and other revenue settlements. (NOTE FOR ILEC ONLY: refer to FCC account #s: 5230, 5240, 5250, 5261, 5262 5263 5264 5269 and 5270.)		
9.	Other Uncollectible Revenues from other revenues. (This amount is generally a negative number.)		
10.	High-Cost Federal USF Revenues include all revenues received as support from the Universal Service Fund for the High-Cost program.	N/A	
11.	Other Federal USF Revenues include all revenues received as support from the Universal Service Fund for the following programs: Low Income, Schools and Libraries, and Rural Health.	N/A	
12.	State USF Revenues include all revenues received as support from the Universal Service Fund.		
13.	TOTAL REVENUES (This amount should equal the total of Rows 6 - 12 above.) Total MO Jurisdictional Revenue (Column A) should match Total Gross Intrastate Operating Revenue on the Statement of Revenue .		

"Telecommunications Service" as defined by Missouri Revised Statutes Section 386.020(54).

"Interconnected Voice over Internet Protocol service" as defined by Section 386.020(23) RSMo.

¹ List total regulated revenue and IVoIP revenue provided by a registered company and, if applicable, non-regulated revenue for company name as listed at the top of this page.

Do not include revenues for any company NOT listed at the top of the page.

² If you have miscellaneous revenue related to retail telecommunications services, then enter it in Row 1.

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For use when filing under seal.

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¹ See instructions for additional clarification about filling out this page.

² **Exchange** refers to areas as listed in ILEC tariffs. (Exchanges are not always the same as rate centers, wire centers and central offices.)

³ **Wholesale to Non-registered Nomadic IVoIP Providers** refers to arrangements where your company is providing wholesale services for a nomadic IVoIP provider who is not registered with the Missouri PSC. (Do not use this column for retail line quantities or if your company sets the end user's rates.)

for the calendar year of January 1 - December 31, 2015

Relay Missouri Annual Billing, Collections and Retention

8. Any ILEC, CLEC or VoIP provider must submit information in the table below.¹
 (The table should be completely filled-in. The only exception is if a company is reporting "0" line quantities on page 4 whereby insert \$0 in the total row for each of the three columns.)

Month	Relay Missouri Revenue Collected (collected or received, according to your record-keeping methods)		Relay Missouri Retention Amount (of the amount collected)		Relay Missouri Revenue Remitted to Commission (of the amount collected)	
	**	**	**	**	**	**
January						
February						
March						
April						
May						
June						
July						
August						
September						
October						
November						
December						
Total						

9. Please indicate the per line value of the Relay Missouri Surcharge applied to your customers in December.

10. If your firm did not impose the Relay Missouri Surcharge, please explain:

¹ Companies classified in the MoPSC's EFIS system solely as IXC's are not expected to complete this page.

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VERIFICATION

The foregoing report must be verified by the oath of the President, Treasurer, General Manager or Receiver of the company. The oath required may be taken before any person authorized to administer an oath (Notary Public) by the laws of the State in which the same is taken.

OATH

State Of Nebraska }
 County Of Hamilton } ss:

John Nelson makes oath and says that
 Name of Affiant (Company Official/Representative)

s/he is President
 Official Title of the Affiant (Company Official/Representative)

of The Hamilton Telephone Company
 Exact Legal Title or Name of the Respondent (Certificated Company Name)

and is located at 1001 12th St, Aurora, NE 68818 (402) 694-5101
 Address and Telephone Number of the Affiant (Company Official/Representative)

that s/he has 1) examined the foregoing report; to the best of his or her knowledge, information, and belief, all statements of fact contained in the said report are true and the said report is a correct statement of the business and affairs of the above-named respondent, and 2) examined (and updated as applicable) the company's contact information in EFIS; to the best of his or her knowledge, information, and belief, all listed contacts are correct.

from January 1, 2015, to and including December 31, 2015
 Month/Day Year Month/Day Year

[Signature]
 Signature of Affiant (Company Official/Representative)

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, in and for the State and County above named,

this 17th day of April, 2016

My Commission expires February 20, 2018



[Signature]
 Signature of Notary Public

Missouri Revised Statutes § 392.210 or §393.140

When filing this form electronically, electronic signatures are acceptable. See the instructions for details.

BEFORE THE MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

FILED

APR 18 2016

Request of The Hamilton Telephone Company)
That Redacted Total Company Revenue)
on the Annual Report be for Public)
Inspection)

Missouri Public
Service Commission

REQUEST FOR MATERIAL TO BE FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION

The Hamilton Telephone Company ("Hamilton"), as part of a response to the request to file the Telecommunications Company or IVolP Provider Annual Report ("Annual Report") to the Missouri Public Service Commission, has supplied redacted financial information ("Total Company Revenue") that Hamilton requests should be treated for public inspection ("Public Version"). In support of this request Hamilton represents to the Missouri Public Service Commission the following;

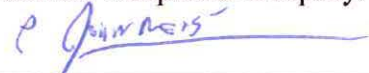
1. Hamilton has submitted redacted financial information of Hamilton, ("Public Version") in the Annual Report to the Missouri Public Service Commission. The Public Version has been marked as required for Public disclosure.
2. The redacted financial information of Hamilton, the Public Version, if released, would give advantage to competitors and serve no public purpose. In support of this statement, Hamilton has filed the affidavit of John Nelson, President of The Hamilton Telephone Company.
3. Hamilton believes that the Public Version of the Annual Report should be allowed for public inspection.
4. The undersigned can be contacted regarding any questions concerning this request or to request additional information.

Hamilton requests that the Missouri Public Service Commission grant this request and notify Hamilton when the Missouri Public Service Commission has acted upon this request.

Date: April 8, 2016

Respectfully submitted,

The Hamilton Telephone Company.

By: _____

John Nelson, President
1001 12th Street
Aurora, NE 68818
(402) 694-5101
Email: john.nelson@hamiltontel.com

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Affidavit In Support
of Request

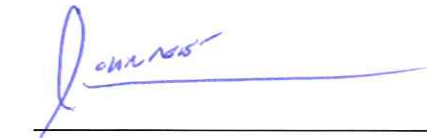
AFFIDAVIT OF JOHN NELSON

STATE OF NEBRASKA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF HAMILTON)

Affiant, John Nelson, being first duly sworn on his oath, states as follows:

1. I am over twenty-one (21) years of age and have personal knowledge of the following:
2. I am President with The Hamilton Telephone Company. ("Hamilton").
3. Hamilton, as part of a response to the request to file the Telecommunications Company or IVoIP Provider Annual Report ("Annual Report") to the Missouri Public Service Commission, has supplied redacted financial information ("Total Company Revenue") that Hamilton requests should be for public inspection ("Public Version").
4. I have reviewed the material that has been marked as the Public Version of the Annual Report and submitted to the Missouri Public Service Commission and believe that this material consists of redacted confidential financial information of Hamilton. The redacted material is financial information and, if released, would give advantage to competitors and serve no public purpose.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAITH NOT.



(John Nelson)

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me, a Notary Public, this 11th day of April
2016.



Notary Public





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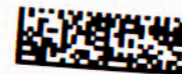
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