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Mr. Dale Roberts Chief ALJ and Executive Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission 200 Madison Street, Suite 100 Jefferson City, MO 65102

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Re:

Covista, Inc.

Case No. CA-2003-0479

Missouri Public

Dear Mr. Roberts:

On behalf of the company, I hereby withdraw, without prejudice, the application in the above-referenced case.

I have also enclosed an extra copy of this letter to be date stamped and returned to me in the self-addressed, postage-prepaid envelope. If you have any questions, or if I may provide you with any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attorney for Covista Communications, Inc.

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Frank Pazera