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Missouri Public Service Commission

Re: In the Matter of the Application of Sho-Me Technologies, LLC for a Certificate of Authority to Provide Basic Local Telecommunications Service in the Service Areas of Southwestern Bell, CenturyTel, Sprint, Spectra and ALLTEL

Dear Dale:

Enclosed please find an original and eight copies of a Revised Application in the above referenced proceeding. Pursuant to discussions with Adam McKinney, this revised application withdraws ALLTEL as an ILEC in whose exchanges Sho-Me Technologies requests CLEC certification.

In this revised application, the caption, introduction, and paragraph 5 have been modified by removing ALLTEL.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know.

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CC: Mike Dandino Dan Joyce Adam McKinney John Richards/Kevin Hopper

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Case No. CA-2005-0175

REVISED APPLICATION

Comes now Sho-Me Technologies, LLC, (hereinafter "Applicant"), a Missouri limited liability corporation, pursuant to § 392.410 RSMo 2003, § 392.420-.450 RSMo 2000, § 392.361 RSMo 2000, 4 CSR 240-2.060(1) and (4), and 4 CSR 240-3.510, and files this verified application requesting that the Missouri Public Service Commission (hereinafter "Commission") issue an order granting to Applicant a certificate of authority to provide basic local telecommunications service in the service areas of Southwestern Bell Telephone Compay (SBC), CenturyTel of Missouri (Century), Sprint Missouri Inc., (Sprint), and Spectra Communications (Spectra).

In support of its request, Applicant states that:

1. Applicant is a Missouri limited liability corporation with its principal office and place of business at 301 W. Jackson, P.O. Drawer D, Marshfield, Missouri, 65706. A certificate of good standing is attached hereto. Applicant is authorized to do business in the State of Missouri. Applicant has previously been issued certificates of authority to provide interexchange and non-switched local service within the state of Missouri, and is currently providing service. 2. All communications, notices, orders and decisions respecting this Application and

proceeding should be addressed to:

Craig S. Johnson Andereck, Evans, Milne, Peace & Johnson, L.L.C. 700 E. Capitol P. O. Box 1438 Jefferson City, MO 65102 (573) 634-3422 (573) 634-7822 fax email: <u>cjohnson@aempb.com</u>

with a copy to:

John Davis General Manager Sho-Me Technologies, LLC 301 W. Jackson P.O. Drawer D Marshfield, Missouri, 65706 (417) 468-2615 (417) 468-2611 fax

3. Applicant is requesting competitive telecommunications company status, and requests that its services rendered pursuant to the service authority requested herein be classified as competitive, as are its current services. Applicant hereby requests the relief that it be granted Competitive Classification status pursuant to 392.361 RSMo, 392.420 RSMo, and 4 CSR 240-3.510 for purposes of the service authority requested herein, as it is currently classified.

4. Pursuant to 392.361 RSMo, Applicant requests waiver of the following statutes

and rules as a competitive alternative local exchange company:

Statutory Provisions

§ 392.210.2	uniform system of accounts
§ 392.240.1	rates-rentals-service & physical connections
§ 392.270	valuation of property (ratemaking)
§ 392.280	depreciation accounts

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§ 392.290	issuance of securities
§ 392.300.2	acquisition of stock
§ 392.310	stock and debt issuance
§ 392.320	stock dividend payment
§ 392.330	issuance of securities, debts and notes
§ 392.340	reorganization

Commission Rules

4 CSR 240-10.020	depreciation fund income
4 CSR 240-3.545(2)(c)	posting of tariffs
4 CSR 240-30.040	uniform system of accounts
4 CSR 240-3.550(5)(c)	exchange boundary maps
4 CSR 240-33.030	minimum charges
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5. Applicant will provide basic local service pursuant to tariffs. However Applicant has not yet obtained approved interconnection agreements with SBC, Century, Sprint, or Spectra, upon which any such tariffs must be structured. Prior to being able to provide service in the exchanges of those companies, this Application will have to be granted, and interconnection agreements will have to be adopted, negotiated, and approved. Applicant can then file tariffs applicable to basic local telecommunications service, assuming favorable interconnection agreement results. It is impractical for Applicant to submit tariffs with proposed terms and rates at this time. Therefore Applicant avails itself of the option found at 4 CSR 240-3.510(1)(C) to file the required tariff and any applicable interconnection agreements at a later time.

6. The character of the business anticipated to be performed by Applicant pursuant to the authority requested herein is the provision of basic local telecommunications service, and exchange access service, to customers within the state of Missouri located in non-rural ILEC exchanges, as a competitive or alternative local exchange company.

7. Applicant has no pending action, final unsatisfied judgments, or decisions against it from any state agency, federal agency, or court that involves customer service or rates. No such actions, judgments or decisions have occurred within three years of the date of this Application.

8. Applicant has no annual report or assessment fees which are overdue.

9. Applicant states that, in accordance with 392.450 and 392.455 RSMo, and Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-3.510(1)(C), it will file and maintain tariffs with the Commission in the same manner and form as required of the ILECs with whom Applicant seeks to compete, it will meet the minimum service standards required by the Commission of the ILECs with whom Applicant seeks to compete, it has sufficient technical, financial, and managerial resources and abilities to provide such service, it proposes to offer services in the geographic areas of the large non-rural ILECs, and such areas will follow the exchange boundaries of such large ILECs and be no smaller than an exchange, it will offer basic local service as a separate and distinct service, and that it will provide equitable access to affordable telecommunications service for all Missourians regardless of where they live or their income, subject to the terms of the certificates, interconnection agreements, and tariffs that Applicant will be required to adhere to.

10. Granting of this Application is in the public interest in that it increases competition and increases the number of available LECs in portions of Missouri, as well as increasing the variety of telecommunications service available.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that the Commission grant it a certificate or certificates of authority to provide basic local telecommunications service, and exchange access service, in the exchanges or service areas of the large non-rural ILECs being SBC, Century, Sprint, Spectra, and Alltel, along with the competitive classifications, waivers, and other relief requested above, together with any other relief necessary, incidental, or convenient to the consideration of this application.

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By:

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ATTORNEYS FOR APPLICANT

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was sent by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, or hand-delivered on this 23 day of ______, 2004, to the following parties:

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