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Dear Secretary:

Enclosed please find an original and eight copies of the Notice of Withdrawal of Opposition to Agreement.

Thank you for seeing this filed.

Sincerely

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of the Application of ICG Telecom)	
Group, Inc., for Approval of Amendments to Its)	
M2A Interconnection Agreement with Southwestern)	Case No. CK-2004-0200
Bell Telephone Company Pursuant to Section 252(e))	
of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.	

Notice of Withdrawal of Opposition to Agreement

COMES NOW the Missouri Independent Telephone Company Group (MITG)¹ and for their Notice of Withdrawal of Opposition to the Agreement between ICG Telecom Group, Inc. ("ICG") and Southwestern Bell Telephone L.P. d/b/a SBC Missouri ("SBC") states to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) as follows:

- 1. ICG has represented to the MITG in its Joint Statement filed on November 25, 2003, that ICG "will not originate traffic and send it through SBC Missouri under the amended Agreement for termination to any member of either STCG or MITG."
- 2. SBC has represented to the MITG in its Joint Statement filed on November 25, 2003, that SBC "will not originate traffic and send it through ICG under the amended Agreement for termination to any member of either the Small Telephone Company Group ("STCG") or the Missouri Independent Telephone Company Group ("MITG").
- 3. Based on these representations the MITG at this time are willing to withdraw their opposition to the approval of the Agreement between SBC and ICG, and to withdraw their request for hearing.

¹ Alma Communications Co., Chariton Valley Telephone Corp., Choctaw Telephone Co., Mid-Missouri Telephone Company, MoKan Dial Inc., and Northeast Missouri Rural Telephone Co.

WHEREFORE, on the basis of the foregoing, the MITG hereby withdraw their previously stated opposition to this Agreement and request for hearing.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was mailed, U. S. Mail, postage pre-paid, this 2 day of <u>lecember</u>, 2003, to:

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