

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC d/b/a                     )  
CenturyLink and Spectra Communications            )  
Group, LLC d/b/a CenturyLink,                     )  
Complainants,   )  
v.   )  
Sprint Communications Company, LP                 )  
Respondent.   )

File No. TC-2014-0263

**PETITION FOR LEAVE TO ENTER APPEARANCE AND  
REPRESENT COMPLAINANTS**

COMES NOW Kevin K. Zarling, Associate General Counsel with CenturyLink, pursuant to Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") Rule 4 C.S.R. 240-2.040(3)(C) and Missouri Supreme Court Rules 6.01(m) and 9.03 and respectfully petition the Commission to permit Petitioner to appear and represent CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC d/b/a CenturyLink and Spectra Communications Group LLC d/b/a CenturyLink, in addition to other local counsel, in this matter. In support of this petition, Petitioner states and certifies as follows:

1. Kevin K. Zarling is an attorney employed by CenturyLink, 400 West 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 315, Austin, Texas, 78701. Mr. Zarling is a member in good standing of the bar and the courts of the State of Texas (TX Bar No. 22249300). Mr. Zarling has not been disqualified from practicing in any court.

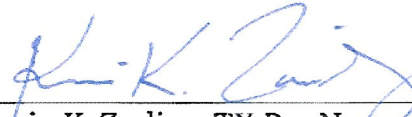
2. Attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit A is a copy of the receipt issued by the Clerk of the Supreme Court of Missouri

acknowledging receipt of the \$410.00 fee required by Rule 6.01(m) for Petitioner to appear for the above-referenced parties in connection with this proceeding.

3. Petitioner hereby designates Becky Owenson Kilpatrick (MO Bar No. 42042), CenturyLink, 625 Cherry Street, Columbia, Missouri 65201, as associate counsel for purposes of this petition and by her signature, she accepts such designation.

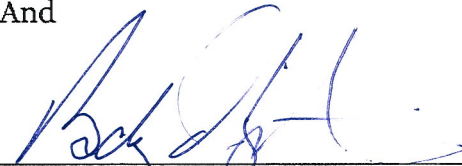
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Respectfully submitted,



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### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Petition was served by U.S. Mail, facsimile, hand-delivery, or electronic mail, on April 22, 2014 to the following:

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*This will hereby acknowledge receipt of \$410 as required by Rule 6.01(m) for Kevin K. Zarling, appearing in Century Tel of Missouri, LLC d/b/a CenturyLink and Spectra Communications Group, LLC d/b/a CenturyLink v. Spring Communications Company, LP, Case No. TC-2014-0263, before the Circuit Court of Missouri Public Service Commission, State of Missouri.*

*Bill L. Thompson*

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