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RE: Final Orders of Rulemaking - withdrawals

#### Dear Daniel:

This office has received your Final Order of Rulemaking to withdraw the proposed rescission listed below.

- 4 CSR 240-29.010 The LEC-to-LEC Network
- 4 CSR 240-29.020 Definitions
- 4 CSR 240-29.030 General Provisions
- 4 CSR 240-29.040 Identification of Originating Carrier for Traffic Transmitted over the LEC-to-LEC Network
- 4 CSR 240-29.050 Option to Establish Separate Trunk Groups for LEC-to-LEC Telecommunications Traffic
- 4 CSR 240-29.060 Special Privacy Provisions for End Users Who Block Their Originating Telephone Number
- 4 CSR 240-29.080 Use of Terminating Record Creation for LEC-to-LEC Telecommunications Traffic
- 4 CSR 240-29.090 Time Frame for the Exchange of Records, Invoices, and Payments for LEC-to-LEC Network Traffic
- 4 CSR 240-29-100 Objections to Payment Invoices
- 4 CSR 240-29.120 -- Blocking Traffic Origination Carriers and/or Traffic Aggregators by Transiting Carriers
- 4 CSR 240-29.130 Requests of Terminating Carriers for Originating Tandem Carriers to Block Traffic of Originating Carriers and/or Traffic Aggregators
- 4 CSR 240-29.140 Blocking Traffic of Transiting Carriers by Terminating Carriers
- 4 CSR 240-29.150 Confidentiality
- 4 CSR 240-29.160 Audit Provisions
- 4 CSR 240-34.010 General Provisions

- 4 CSR 240-34.020 Definitions
- 4 CSR 240-34.030 Requirements for E-911 Service Providers
- 4 CSR 240-34.040 ETS Subscriber Record Information Requirements of Resellers
- 4 CSR 240-34.050 Subscriber Record Information and Service Order Standards for Facilities Based Companies
- 4 CSR 240-34.060 Telecommunications Facilities Standards
- 4 CSR 240-34.070 Repair of Telecommunication Facilities
- 4 CSR 240-34.080 Selective Routing Standards
- 4 CSR 240-34.090 Database Accuracy Standards
- 4 CSR 240-36.010 Definitions
- 4 CSR 240-36.020 Filing Procedures
- 4 CSR 240-36.030 Mediation
- 4 CSR 240-36.040 Arbitration
- 4 CSR 240-36.050 Commission Approval of Agreements Reached by Arbitration

Executive Order 17-03 requires this office's approval before state agencies release proposed regulations for notice and comment, amend existing regulations, rescind regulations, or adopt new regulations. After our review of this rulemaking, we approve the rule's submission to the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules and the Secretary of State.

Sincerely.

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Re: 4 CSR 240-34.060 Telecommunications Facilities Standards

Dear Secretary Ashcroft,

#### CERTIFICATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE RULE

I do hereby certify that the attached is an accurate and complete copy of the order of rulemaking lawfully submitted by the Missouri Public Service Commission.

Statutory Authority: section 386.040, 386.250, and 392.200, RSMo 2016

If there are any questions regarding the content of this order of rulemaking, please contact:

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**Enclosures** 

## Title 4 – DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Division 240 – Public Service Commission Chapter 34 – Emergency Telephone Service Standards

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#### ORDER OF RULEMAKING

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By the authority vested in the Public Service Commission under sections 386.040, 386.250, and 392.200 RSMo 2016, the commission withdraws a proposed rescission of a rule as follows:

# 4 CSR 240-34.060 Telecommunications Facilities Standards proposed rescission is withdrawn.

A notice of proposed rulemaking containing the proposed rule rescission was published in the *Missouri Register* on May 15, 2018 (43 MoReg 1005). This proposed rescission is withdrawn.

SUMMARY OF COMMENTS: The public comment period ended July 2, 2018, and the commission held a public hearing on the proposed rule on July 10, 2018. The commission received timely written comments from the staff of the commission, the Missouri Telecommunications Industry Association (MTIA), and from Windstream Missouri, LLC. Whitney Payne, representing the commission's staff, and Natelle Dietrich, on behalf of staff; Richard Telthorst, on behalf of MTIA; Leo Bub, representing AT&T Missouri; and Brian McCartney, representing the Missouri Small Telephone Company Group, appeared at the hearing and offered comments.

COMMENT #1: Staff explained the Emergency Telephone Service Standards in Chapter 34, of which this rule is a part, establish detailed guidance for emergency 911 call routing and service related to public safety answering points in Missouri. Staff suggested the rules are unnecessary and obsolete because they do not apply to wireless carriers. Representatives of the Local Exchange Carriers that would be affected by the standards offered comments strongly disagreeing with staff's view of the importance of the rule. They explained these rules make clear the obligations of participating carriers in routing 911 calls and in maintaining and updating the E-911 data base. They concede the rules have not been updated since 1999 and suggest a working case be opened to consider updating them, but they indicate the rules still work and should not be discarded.

**RESPONSE:** The commission agrees the Emergency Telephone Service Standards of Chapter 34 remain necessary. The Commission will withdraw the proposed rescission of this rule.

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