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Missouri Public Service Commission
Attn: Secretary of the Commission
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RE: Collocation Power Amendment to Interconnection Agreement (M2A) of Birch Telecom of Missouri, Inc.

Dear Judge Roberts:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission please find a Collocation Power Amendment to the Missouri 271 Interconnection Agreement ("M2A Amendment") between Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a SBC Missouri ("SBC Missouri") and Birch Telecom of Missouri, Inc.

The Collocation Power Amendment, attached hereto, is filed pursuant to Section 252(e)(1) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Copies of this cover letter are provided with each copy of this filing for the convenience of recipients.

Thank you for assistance in the processing of this filing. Copies are being served on the Commission's General Counsel and Office of the Public Counsel. Please contact me if there are any questions.

Very truly yours,

Enclosure

cc: General Counsel
Office of the Public Counsel