

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
JEFFERSON CITY
June 30, 1998**

CASE NOS: TA-98-568, TA-98-572, TA-98-575, TA-98-565 & TA-98-577

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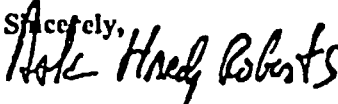
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Enclosed find certified copy of ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

Uncertified Copy:

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Z-Tel Communications, Inc.
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Tampa, FL 33602

MCImetro Access Transmission Services
1801 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20006

LD Network Services, Inc.
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ICG Telecom Group, Inc.
161 Inverness Drive West
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To all interexchange and local exchange telecommunications companies

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

**NOTICE OF APPLICATIONS
FOR INTRASTATE CERTIFICATES OF SERVICE AUTHORITY
AND OPPORTUNITY TO INTERVENE**

YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT each applicant listed in the schedules accompanying this notice has applied to the Commission for a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate telecommunications services. The certificate requested may be for provision of: 1) interexchange, 2) nonswitched local exchange, or 3) basic local exchange telecommunications services, or a combination thereof under Sections 392.410 through 392.455.¹ Each applicant has requested competitive classification and either filed a proposed tariff with a 45-day effective date or requested a temporary waiver of 4 CSR 240-2.060(4) (H).

The Commission must find that the grant of service authority is in the public interest. § 392.440. Applications for authority to provide basic local services must comply with Section 392.455. The Commission may classify a company as competitive if it finds that all the telecommunications services the company offers are competitive services. § 392.361.3. If the Commission's Staff makes a favorable recommendation and no request for hearing is filed, the Commission may act upon a verified application without hearing. State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer v. Public Service Commission, 776 S.W.2d 494 (Mo. App. 1989). The Commission ordinarily waives the application of the statutes and Commission rules listed below for competitive companies.

WAIVERS FOR COMPETITIVE BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS:

<u>Statutes</u>	<u>Commission Rules</u>
392.210.2	4 CSR 240-10.020
392.270	4 CSR 240-30.040
392.280	4 CSR 240-35
392.290.1	
392.300.2	
392.310	
392.320	
392.330	
392.340	

¹ Statutory references are to the Revised Statutes of Missouri 1994 with the exception of Sections 392.330 and 392.455 found in the 1997 Supplement.

**SCHEDULE OF APPLICANTS FOR BASIC LOCAL AND NONSWITCHED
LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE AUTHORITY
Missouri Public Service Commission
June 30, 1998**

INTERVENTION DEADLINE: July 30, 1998

Case No. TA-98-568
Regulatory Law Judge: Randles
Applicant:
Suretel, Inc.
5 North McCormick
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73127-6620

Tariff Effective: Waiver Requested

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Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide basic local exchange telecommunications services in exchanges served by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, GTE Midwest Incorporated, and Sprint Missouri, Inc. Applicant requests classification as a competitive company and the standard waivers.

Case No. TA-98-572
Regulatory Law Judge: Dippell
Applicant:
Z-Tel Communications, Inc.
777 South Harbour Island Boulevard
Suite 990
Tampa, Florida 33602

Tariff Effective: Waiver Requested

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Applicant requests a certificate of service authority to provide basic local exchange telecommunications services in exchanges served by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, GTE Midwest Incorporated, and Sprint Missouri, Inc. Applicant requests classification as a competitive company and the standard waivers. Applicant also requests waiver of the following: 4 CSR 240-30.010(2)(C), 4 CSR 240-30.060(5)(B), 4 CSR 240-32.030(1)(B) and (C), 4 CSR 240-32.030(2), 4 CSR 240-32.050(3)-(6), 4 CSR 240-32.070(4), 4 CSR 240-33.030, and 4 CSR 240-33.040(5); and Sections 392.240(1) and 392.290.

Case No. TA-98-575
Regulatory Law Judge: Harper
Applicant:
MCImetro Access Transmission
Services, LLC
1801 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20006

Tariff Effective: **

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** Applicant states that it intends to adopt tariffs now on file with the Commission for MCImetro Transmission Services, Inc. and makes

Case No. TA-98-577
Regulatory Law Judge: Randles
Applicant:
ICG Telecom Group, Inc.
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Englewood, Colorado 80112

Tariff Effective: 8/7/98

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Applicant requests certificates of service authority to provide interexchange and nonswitched local exchange telecommunications services and classification as a competitive company with the standard waivers. Local exchange authority will be limited to providing dedicated, nonswitched local exchange private line services.

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

**I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and
I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.**

**WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City,
Missouri, this 30th day of June, 1998.**

Dale Hardy Roberts

**Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**