# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the	)	
Certificate of Service Authority	)	File No. DD-2020-0399
Granted to T5 Telecom. Inc.	)	

## ORDER CANCELLING CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY

Issue Date: June 16, 2020 Effective Date: July 16, 2020

On June 5, 2020,<sup>1</sup> the Staff of the Public Service Commission filed a pleading recommending the Commission cancel the interconnected voice over internet protocol (iVoIP) service registration of T5 Telecom, Inc. (the Company). Staff stated the Company notified the Commission it no longer wishes to retain its registration to provide iVoIP services in Missouri. On June 5, the Commission issued its Order Establishing Time to Respond setting June 15 as the deadline for responses to Staff's recommendation or requests for a hearing. None was received. The Commission need not hold a hearing, if, after proper notice and opportunity to intervene, no party requests such a hearing.<sup>2</sup> If no request for a hearing or objection to Staff's motion is received, the Commission may cancel the service registration based on Staff's recommendation and the company's request.

The Commission finds it granted T5 Telecom, Inc. a registration of authority to provide iVoIP service on April 18, 2017, in File No. DA-2017-0262. Per Rule 20 CSR 4240-28.011(3), a company's notice of cancellation must comply with the following requirements: (A) The company should submit written notice to the commission, as in a

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> All date references will be to 2020 unless otherwise indicated.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Enterprises, Inc. v. Public Service Commission, 776 S.W.2d 494 (Mo. App. W.D. 1989).

letter, containing the following information: (1) a statement requesting cancellation of a company's certification or registration and citing the specific certificates of service authority and/or registrations; (2) If the company also has a currently effective tariff, then the letter should also request cancellation of the tariff; (B) The letter can be signed by a company official and does not need to be signed or filed by an attorney; and (C) The letter should be electronically filed in EFIS. The Commission finds the Company's request for cancellation complies with 20 CSR 4240-28.011(3). The Commission finds, further, the Company has no currently effective tariff and had no customers or operations in Missouri as of December 31, 2019. The Commission will issue its order canceling T5 Telecom, Inc.'s registration to provide iVoIP service in Missouri.

### THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

- 1. The certificate of service authority of T5 Telecom, Inc. to provide iVolP service in Missouri is cancelled.
  - 2. This order shall be effective on July 16, 2020.

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Secretary

Paul T. Graham, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri on this 16<sup>tht</sup> day of June, 2020.

# 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 16<sup>th</sup> day of June 2020.

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

# MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION June 16, 2020

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Recipients listed above with a valid e-mail address will receive electronic service. Recipients without a valid e-mail address will receive paper service.