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January 7, 2026

The Honorable Nancy Dippell
Missouri Public Service Commission
200 Madison Street
Jefferson City, MO 65102-360

**RE: Request for Name Change from Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, LLC to
Fidium Enterprise Services, LLC and Adoption of Assumed Business Name**

Dear Judge Dippell:

Pursuant to 20 CSR 4240-28.011(2), Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, LLC (“the “Company”) respectfully requests that the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”) acknowledge the Company’s change in name from Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, LLC to Fidium Enterprise Services, LLC.¹ The Company is authorized by the Commission to provide competitive local exchange services² and interexchange services and was previously formed as a Delaware corporation.³ The Company subsequently converted to a Delaware limited liability company.⁴

The Company’s name change to Fidium is part of our ongoing efforts to align our corporate identity with our strategic direction. The new name reflects our growth and evolving business focus, while maintaining the same legal entity and corporate structure. In addition, the Company has adopted an assumed business name of *Consolidated Communications*.

¹Link to Press Release issued September 22, 2025 is provided below.

[Consolidated Communications Becomes Fidium, Uniting All Services Under One Bold Identity](#)

²SureWest Kansas Inc. (“SureWest”) was authorized by the Commission to provide competitive local exchange services on January 1, 2014. *See In the Matter of the Name Change of SureWest Kansas Licenses, LLC to SureWest Kansas, Inc.*, Order Recognizing Name Change and Approving Tariffs, File No. CN-2014-0183 (January 1, 2014). Subsequently, on January 25, 2016, the Commission approved SureWest’s name change to Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, Inc. *See In the Matter of the Name Change of SureWest Kansas, Inc. to Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, Inc.*, Order Recognizing Name Change, File No. TN-2016-0153 (January 25, 2016).

³The Commission originally granted the certificate to provide interexchange services to Consolidated Communications Network Services, Inc. (“CCNS”). *See Application of Consolidated Communications Network Services, Inc. for a Certificate of Service Authority to Provide Competitive Intrastate Interexchange Telecommunications Service in Missouri*, Order Approving Interexchange Certificate of Service Authority and Order Approving Tariff, Case No. XA-2004-0020 (August 21, 2003). Subsequently, on February 27, 2009, the Commission approved CCNS’ name change to Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, Inc. *See Change of Name for Consolidated Communications Network Services, Inc. to Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, Inc.*, Order Recognizing Name Change and Approving Tariff Sheets, File No. XN-2009-0276 (February 27, 2009).

⁴*See Order In the Matter of the Name Change from Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, Inc. d/b/a Consolidated Communications to Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, LLC d/b/a Consolidated Communications* (April 18, 2025)

The name change will not affect the rates, terms or conditions of service provided by the Company. Customers will continue to receive invoices for services under the same contracts, rates, terms and conditions of service as before the name change.

A copy of the bill message that appeared on customers' October invoices is included as **Attachment A**. **Attachment B** is a copy of the registration of the name change with the Delaware Secretary of State. **Attachment C** is a copy of the registration of the name change with the Missouri Secretary of State. **Attachment D** is a copy of the registration with the Missouri Secretary of State reflecting the assumed business name.

A copy of the following adoption notices and revised tariff title sheets are being filed concurrently with this notice and are included as **Attachment E**. The proposed effective date for the adoption notices and title sheets is February 6, 2026.

PSC MO. No. 1, Basic Local Exchange Tariff
PSC MO. No. 2, Interexchange/Non-Switched Local Exchange Tariff
PSC MO. No. 3, Switched Access Services Tariff
PSC MO. No. 5, Wholesale Interexchange Telecommunications Services

Also, please note that the Company intends to withdraw PSC MO. No. 4 (wireless termination tariff) as there are no customers served by this tariff.

Please update all Commission records and authorities to reflect the Company's name change to Fidium Enterprise Services, LLC and the assumed business name of Consolidated Communications.

Please direct any questions regarding this filing to me at (207) 467-5890 or via email at carole.williamson@consolidated.com.

Sincerely,



Carole J. Williamson
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