OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the matter of ExOp of Missouri, Inc., d/b/a)
Unite, Changing Name to ExOp of Missouri, Inc.,)
d/b/a FairPoint Communications.

Case No. CN-2008-0246 Tariff No. YX-2008-0446

Tariff No. YX-2008-0447

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: February 1, 2008 Effective Date: February 1, 2008

On January 28, 2008, ExOp of Missouri, Inc., d/b/a Unite (ExOp), filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission seeking approval to adopt the "doing business as" name FairPoint Communications and to operate under that name in Missouri.

The Commission would be aided in this matter by a recommendation from its Staff. Therefore, the Commission shall direct its Staff to file a recommendation as ordered below.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission shall file a recommendation no later than February 15, 2008.

2. This order shall become effective on February 1, 2008.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

(SEAL)

Cherlyn D. Voss, Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 1st day of February, 2008.