

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

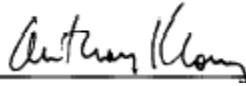
NuVox Communications of Missouri, Inc.,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. XC-2003-0421
	)	
Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a	)	
SBC Missouri	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

**SBC MISSOURI'S REQUEST FOR MEDIATION**

COMES NOW Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P., d/b/a SBC Missouri, and pursuant to the Missouri Public Service Commission's April 17, 2003 Notice of Complaint, hereby requests that this case be referred to a neutral third-party mediator for voluntary mediation of the complaint.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing document were served on counsel for all parties below by first-class postage prepaid, U.S. Mail on May 2, 2003.

  
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