

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

In the Matter of the Joint Application of	)	
GTC Broadband, Inc. for a Certificate of	)	
Service Authority to Provide Non-Switched Local	)	
Exchange and Intrastate Interexchange	)	Case No. XO-2013-0137
Telecommunications Services and Stouffer	)	
Communications, Inc. for Cancellation of Its	)	
Certificate of Service Authority	)	

**JOINT MOTION TO WITHDRAW REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT**

COME NOW GTC Broadband, Inc. (GTC Broadband) and Stouffer Communications, Inc. (Stouffer)(together “the Joint Applicants”) and respectfully file this motion with the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") to withdraw their request for expedited treatment and state to the Commission as follows:

1. The Joint Applicants requested expedited treatment in this matter, including a Commission Order on or before October 24 and tariffs approved on November 3, 3012.
2. The Commission’s October 9, 2012 Order Directing Notice, Setting Intervention Deadline, and Directing Staff to File Recommendation established a procedural schedule to accommodate the Joint Applicants’ request.
3. The Joint Applicants appreciate the Commission’s quick response and timely processing of their request.
4. It recently became evident that the closing of the proposed transaction between the two entities will require an additional two weeks to complete. The Joint Applicants have already communicated this change to Staff Counsel and the Telecommunications Staff.
5. Therefore, the Joint Applicants hereby withdraw their request for expedited

treatment and have filed on this same date substitute tariffs to extend the effective date to November 18, 2012 (placing this case on the normal 45-day tariff timeline). Under this schedule, a Commission order will not be necessary until November 8, 2012.

6. The Joint Applicants respectfully request that the Commission extend the current deadline for the Staff recommendation accordingly.

WHEREFORE, GTC Broadband and Stouffer Communications respectfully request that the Commission:

- (1) grant the Joint Applicants' request to withdraw their request for expedited treatment;
- (2) extend the deadline for the Staff recommendation accordingly;
- (3) approve the GTC Broadband adoption tariffs effective November 18, 2012,
- (4) cancel Stouffer Communications' certificates of service authority effective on November 18, 2012, and
- (5) grant such other relief as is necessary or appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

A copy of this document was served on the following parties by e-mail on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2012.

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