

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

Alma Communications Company, d/b/a
Alma Telephone Company; Chariton Valley
Telephone Corporation; Chariton Valley
Telecom Corporation; Choctaw Telephone
Company; Mid-Missouri Telephone Company,
a Corporate Division of Otelco, Inc.; and
MoKan Dial, Inc.,

Complainants,

v.

Halo Wireless, Inc.,

Respondent.

File No. IC-2011-0385

BPS Telephone Company, Citizens Telephone
Company of Higginsville, Mo., Craw-Kan Telephone
Cooperative, Inc., Ellington Telephone Company,
Farber Telephone Company, Fidelity Communica-
tions Services I, Inc., Fidelity Communications
Services II, Inc., Fidelity Telephone Company,
Goodman Telephone Company, Granby Telephone
Company, Grand River Mutual Telephone Corpora-
tion, Green Hills Telephone Corporation, Green Hills
Telecommunications Services, Holway Telephone
Company, Iamo Telephone Company, Kingdom
Telephone Company, K.L.M. Telephone Company,
Lathrop Telephone Company, Le-Ru Telephone
Company, Mark Twain Rural Telephone Company,
Mark Twain Communications Company, McDonald
County Telephone Company, Miller Telephone
Company, New Florence Telephone Company,
New London Telephone Company, Northeast
Missouri Rural Telephone Company, Orchard Farm
Telephone Company, Oregon Farmers Mutual
Telephone Company, Ozark Telephone Company,
Peace Valley Telephone Company, Inc., Rock Port
Telephone Company, Seneca Telephone Company,
Steelville Telephone Exchange, Inc., and Stoutland

Telephone Company,)	
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v.)	<u>File No. TC-2011-0404</u>
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Halo Wireless, Inc.,)	
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Respondent.)	

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Company; Mid-Missouri Telephone Company,)	
a Corporate Division of Otelco, Inc.; and)	
MoKan Dial, Inc.,)	
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Complainants,)	
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v.)	<u>File No. TO-2012-0035</u>
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Halo Wireless, Inc., and Southwestern Bell)	
Telephone Company, d/b/a AT&T Missouri,)	
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Respondent.)	

ORDER INDEFINITELY STAYING FILING DEADLINES

Issue Date: August 16, 2011

Effective Date: August 16, 2011

Halo Wireless, Inc. has filed suggestions in bankruptcy in all three of these actions. Deadlines were previously set requiring various party responses to pleadings, and a deadline of September 12, 2011 is set for parties to file a legal analysis as to whether these actions may proceed before the Commission or if these actions are automatically stayed pursuant to the Bankruptcy Code as is alleged by Halo.

On August 16, 2011, Alma Communications, et al. filed a motion In File Number IC-2011-0385 requesting that all current response deadlines, except for the September

12, 2011 deadline, be stayed indefinitely until it can be determined if the bankruptcy code's automatic stay of commencement or "continuation" of certain proceedings applies to these actions. BPS Telephone, et al. filed a similar motion in File Number TC-2011-0404. The Commission finds the requests to be reasonable and will grant them. Because all three captioned matters could be affected by the bankruptcy action, the Commission will stay any filing or procedural deadlines in all three matters.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. All procedural and filing deadlines currently set in these matters, with the exception of the September 12, 2011 deadline for filing a legal analysis of Halo Wireless, Inc.'s suggestions of bankruptcy, are indefinitely stayed.
2. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

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Harold Stearley, Senior Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 16th day of August, 2011.