1	STATE OF MISSOURI
2	PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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6	TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS
7	Prehearing Conference
8	November 7, 2007 Jefferson City, Missouri
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12	Complaint of Charter Fiberlink- ) Missouri, LLC Seeking Expedited )
13	Resolution and Enforcement of ) Interconnection Agreement Terms ) Case No. LC-2008-0049
14	Between Charter Fiberlink-Missouri,) LLC and CenturyTel of Missouri, )
15	LLC )
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17	CHERLYN D. VOSS, Presiding,
18	REGULATORY LAW JUDGE.
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- 1 PROCEEDINGS
- JUDGE VOSS: Good afternoon. We're here
- 3 for a prehearing conference in Commission Case No.
- 4 LC-2008-0049, in the matter of the complaint of Charter
- 5 Fiberlink-Missouri, LLC seeking expedited resolution and
- 6 enforcement of interconnection agreement terms between
- 7 Charter Fiberlink-Missouri, LLC and CenturyTel of
- 8 Missouri, LLC.
- 9 My name is Cherlyn Voss. I'm the
- 10 Regulatory Law Judge assigned to hear this case, and I'll
- 11 be presiding over this prehearing conference. We're going
- 12 to begin with entries of appearance, beginning with
- 13 Charter Fiberlink-Missouri.
- 14 MR. COMLEY: Thank you, Judge Voss. Let
- 15 the record reflect the entry of appearance of Mark W.
- 16 Comley, Newman, Comley & Ruth, 601 Monroe Street,
- 17 Suite 301, Jefferson City, Missouri.
- 18 And also let me introduce Carrie L. Cox who
- 19 is sitting to my right, along with Lawrence G. Christopher
- 20 and Clifford K. Williams. They have business address of
- 21 12405 Powers Court Drive, St. Louis, Missouri. Also --
- 22 and Clifford Williams is on the phone today, but also on
- 23 the phone is Mr. K.C. Halm of Davis Wright Tremaine, 1919
- 24 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Suite 200, Washington, D.C. 2006
- 25 (sic) is the zip code. And to the extent that they will

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- 1 be appearing, motions for pro hoc vice will be filed
- 2 shortly. I wanted them to be introduced to the
- 3 Commission. We're all appearing on behalf of Charter
- 4 Fiberlink-Missouri, LLC.
- 5 JUDGE VOSS: CenturyTel of Missouri?
- 6 MR. DORITY: Well, Judge, we're clearly
- 7 outnumbered this afternoon, but let the record reflect on
- 8 behalf of CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC, Larry W. Dority
- 9 with Fischer & Dority, PC. Our address is 101 Madison,
- 10 Suite 400, Jefferson City, Missouri 65101.
- 11 And also participating by telephone is
- 12 Tyler Peters and Christopher J. Sherman with Payne and
- 13 Jones, Chartered. Their address is 11000 King, P.O.
- Box 25625, Overland Park, Kansas 66210. And written
- 15 entries of appearance have been provided to the court
- 16 reporter.
- 17 JUDGE VOSS: Thank you. The Commission
- 18 Staff?
- 19 MR. BAKER: Blane Baker on behalf of the
- 20 Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, P.O.
- 21 Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102.
- JUDGE VOSS: The office of the Public
- 23 Counsel?
- MR. DANDINO: Thank you, your Honor.
- 25 Michael Dandino, Office of the Public Counsel, Post Office

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- 1 Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, representing the
- 2 Office of the Public Counsel and the public.
- JUDGE VOSS: Thank you. The primary
- 4 purpose of the prehearing is to get the parties together
- 5 and discuss any discovery issues, any possibilities of
- 6 settlement and, if necessary, to work out a procedural
- 7 schedule.
- 8 To that effect, the order that scheduled
- 9 this prehearing conference originally set November 14th as
- 10 a deadline to file a proposed procedural schedule. With
- 11 the number of parties involved and other cases going on,
- 12 if there is a conflict and you need additional time, I
- 13 would entertain a motion for additional time.
- 14 And basically, is there anything else that
- 15 I need to address before going off the record?
- MR. DORITY: I don't think so, Judge.
- JUDGE VOSS: Hearing none -- actually, one
- 18 question first. Do you guys have a copy of the Commission
- 19 calendar? Do you want me to go up and grab one? I meant
- 20 to bring one down and I didn't.
- 21 MR. COMLEY: I think that would be helpful.
- JUDGE VOSS: I'll bring one down. All
- 23 right. Hearing nothing else, we will conclude the
- 24 on-the-record portion of the prehearing conference and
- 25 I'll be back shortly with the calendar.

1	CERTIFICATE
2	STATE OF MISSOURI ) ) ss.
3	COUNTY OF COLE )
4	I, Kellene K. Feddersen, Certified
5	Shorthand Reporter with the firm of Midwest Litigation
6	Services, and Notary Public within and for the State of
7	Missouri, do hereby certify that I was personally present
8	at the proceedings had in the above-entitled cause at the
9	time and place set forth in the caption sheet thereof;
10	that I then and there took down in Stenotype the
11	proceedings had; and that the foregoing is a full, true
12	and correct transcript of such Stenotype notes so made at
13	such time and place.
14	Given at my office in the City of
15	Jefferson, County of Cole, State of Missouri.
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17	Kellene K. Feddersen, RPR, CSR, CCR Notary Public (County of Cole)
18	My commission expires March 28, 2009.
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