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VIA EFIS

Mr. Steven C. Reed
Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
200 Madison Street, Suite 100
P. O. Box 360
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

RE: **Case No.**

Re Application of Cincinnati Bell Any Distance Inc. for Certificate of Service Authority to Provide Basic Local Exchange and Non-Switched Local Exchange Telecommunications Services in the State of Missouri and to Classify said Services and the Company as Competitive

Dear Secretary:

This letter is being filed for the purpose of securing a case number for the *Application for Certificate of Service Authority to Provide Basic Local Exchange and Non-Switched Basic Local Exchange Telecommunications Services and for Competitive Classification* of Cincinnati Bell Any Distance Inc., for electronic filing with the Commission. The actual *Application* will be filed after the designation of a case number for this matter in EFIS.

Thank you for your assistance in processing this filing. Copies are being served electronically on the General Counsel's office and the Office of the Public Counsel. Please contact me at 659-8672 or by email at wds@wdspc.com if there are any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ William D. Steinmeier

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