BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the Certificate of Service Authority of Tennessee Telephone Service, LLC d/b/a Freedom Communications USA, LLC, to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications Service in the State of Missouri

File No. LD-2013-0328

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE

Issue Date: December 10, 2012 Effective Date: December 10, 2012 On December 6, 2012, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission filed a motion requesting Tennessee Telephone Service, LLC, d/b/a Freedom Communications USA, LLC ("Freedom Communications") certificate of service authority and accompanying tariff to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunication service in the State of Missouri be cancelled. The Commission granted Freedom Communications a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunication service in the State of Missouri in File Number LA-2010-0104.

The Commission need not hold a hearing, if, after proper notice and opportunity to intervene, no party requests such a hearing.¹ Therefore, if no request for a hearing or objection to Staff's motion is received, the Commission may cancel the certificate based on Staff's motion.

The Commission finds that proper persons shall be allowed 10 days from the issuance of this order to file a motion for hearing.

¹ State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Enterprises, Inc. v. Public Service Commission, 776 S.W.2d 494 (Mo. App. W.D. 1989).

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. Any party wishing to file an objection or request a hearing shall do

so by filing a pleading no later than December 20, 2012, with:

Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission Post Office Box 360 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

or via the Commission's Electronic Information and Filing System (EFIS) at: <u>www.psc.mo.gov</u>.

2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION

Steven C. Reed Secretary

(SEAL)

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri on this 10th day of December, 2012.