BEFORE THE MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NUVOX COMMUNICATIONS)	
OF MISSOURI, INC., et al.,)	
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V.)	Case No. TC-2004-0600
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SOUTHWESTERN BELL)	
TELEPHONE, L.P. D/B/A)	
SBC MISSOURI.)	

MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT

COME NOW NuVox Communications of Missouri, Inc. ("NuVox"), Victory Communications, Inc. ("Victory"), Socket Telecom, LLC, ("Socket"), McImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC ("McImetro"), The Pager Company d/b/a The Pager & Phone Company ("PagerCo"), Birch Telecom of Missouri, Inc. ("Birch"), Xspedius Communications, LLC ("Xspedius"), AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc. ("AT&T"), TCG St. Louis, Inc. and TCG Kansas City, Inc. ("TCG")(collectively herein "Joint CLECs"), pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.080(16) and for their Motion for Expedited Treatment state to the Commission as follows:

- Joint CLECS herein have filed a Complaint against Southwestern Bell Telephone,
 L.P. d/b/a SBC Missouri ("SBC"). It is incorporated herein by this reference.
- 2. An expedited decision herein is essential given the negative impacts of SBC's threatened actions on Joint CLECs' ability to provide services to customers as described in the Complaint. There will be no negative effects from expedited action by the Commission to preserve the status quo.
- 3. Joint CLECs submit that it would be in the their best interest and well as the interest of its customers and the general public if the Commission acts as soon as possible and grants the immediate relief requested in the Complaint. In particular, Joint CLECs request the Commission to:

- (1) immediately serve this Complaint and its notice upon SBC, directing SBC to answer this Complaint within five (5) business days;
- (2) immediately (and prior to June 15, 2004) preserve the status quo by issuing an expedited order without notice or hearing directing SBC not to take any steps to alter or terminate the provision of any unbundled network element services to Joint CLECs (including a directive to continue processing of any new or change orders in due course), or to change the prices for such elements, until such time as the FCC or this Commission affirmatively determines that a UNE need no longer be provided or successor interconnection agreements are filed with and approved by the Commission, whichever occurs first;
- (3) promptly set a prehearing conference and a deadline to file a procedural schedule, so that this case may proceed to hearing;
- (4) after further proceedings herein, determine that SBC must continue to full its obligations under the M2A to provide UNEs at TELRIC prices; and
- (5) grant such other and further relief to Joint CLECs as the Commission deems just and proper in the premises.
 - 4. Joint CLECs have filed their pleadings as soon as possible under the circumstances.

WHEREFORE, Joint CLECs respectfully request the Commission to expedite its handling of the Complaint in this case and issue its orders in this case as soon as possible, including an order to preserve the status quo by June 15, 2004.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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