

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

In the Matter of the Tariff Filing of)	
McDonald County Telephone Company)	<u>File No. IT-2012-0467</u>
To Comply with the FCC's April 25, 2012)	Tariff No. YI-2012-0864
Second Order on Reconsideration)	

ORDER APPROVING EXPEDITED TARIFF

Issue Date: July 9, 2012

Effective Date: July 13, 2012

On June 29, 2012, McDonald County Telephone Company issued a tariff that will alter its state access tariff provisions regarding intrastate Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) traffic. Along with its tariff, the company filed a motion asking the Commission to approve the tariff to take effect on July 13. The company explains that the revised tariff will bring its rates into compliance with the requirements established by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) in a recent order. The FCC requires that the revised rates go into effect by July 13, so the company asks the Commission to approve the revised tariff to take effect on that date.

The Commission directed its Staff to file a recommendation regarding the tariff no later than July 6. The Commission also ordered that any other party wanting to file a recommendation regarding the tariff do so no later than July 6.

On July 3, the Commission's Staff filed its recommendation advising the Commission to approve the tariff to be effective on July 13 as requested. Staff explains that doing so will make the tariff consistent with federal law and will not have a negative effect on customers. No other party has filed a recommendation regarding the tariff

Based on the recommendation of its Staff, the Commission finds that the submitted tariff should be approved on less than thirty days' notice.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The proposed tariff sheet submitted under Tariff No. YI-2012-0864 by McDonald County Telephone Company is approved, effective on and after July 13, 2012.

The specific tariff sheet approved is:

P.S.C. MO No. 5
2nd Revised Sheet No. 14-3.1, Cancels 1st Revised Sheet No. 14-3.1

2. This order shall become effective on July 13, 2012.
3. This file shall be closed on July 14, 2012.

BY THE COMMISSION



Steven C. Reed
Secretary

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Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 9th day of July, 2012.