

STATE OF MISSOURI                    )  
  )    SS.  
COUNTY OF JACKSON                )

**BEFORE THE MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P., d/b/a SBC Missouri's    )  
Petition for Compulsory Arbitration of Unresolved Issues    )    Case No. TO-2005-0336  
for a Successor Interconnection Agreement to the                )  
Missouri 271 Agreement ("M2A")                                        )

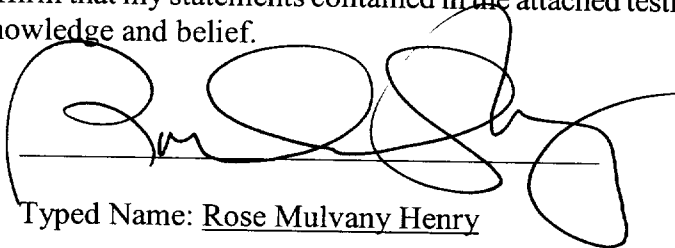
**AFFIDAVIT OF ROSE MULVANY HENRY**

COMES NOW Rose Mulvany Henry, of lawful age, sound of mind and being first duly sworn, deposes and states:

1.       My name is Rose Mulvany Henry. I am Vice President of Regulatory Affairs for Birch Telecom, Inc. and its operating subsidiaries Birch Telecom of Missouri, Inc. and ionex Communications, Inc.

2.       Attached hereto and made a part hereof for all purposes is my rebuttal testimony in the above-referenced case.

3.       I hereby swear and affirm that my statements contained in the attached testimony are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

  
Typed Name: Rose Mulvany Henry

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me, a Notary Public, this 18th day of



BARBARA P. FILLINGER  
Jackson County  
My Commission Expires  
June 6, 2008

  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

June 6, 2008