BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the Certificate)		
of Service Authority of Pacific South Telecom, Inc	.,)		
to Provide Competitive Intrastate Interexchange)	File No. XD-2012	
Telecommunications Services Including Operator)		
Services in Missouri)		

MOTION TO CANCEL CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff), by and through the undersigned counsel, and moves for the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) to cancel the certificate of service authority and associated tariff of Pacific South Telecom, Inc., (Pacific South or Company) and respectfully states as follows:

- 1. On April 13, 2008, the Commission granted Pacific South a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services including operator services in the state of Missouri in Case No. LO-2008-0294.
- 2. On November 25, 2011, the Commission received a letter from Pacific South requesting cancellation of its certificate of service authority, stating the Company has "....not done any business in Missouri...." and has "....decided not to pursue doing business there." See Attachment A.
- 3. Pacific South is current in the payment of its fiscal year assessments and the filing of annual reports with the Commission.
- 4. Because Pacific South has requested cancellation of its certificate, the Staff recommends that the Commission cancel the Company's certificate and associated tariff.
- 5. The Commission has the authority to cancel a telecommunications certificate pursuant to Section 392.410.5, RSMo (Supp. 2010), which provides "[a]ny certificate of service

authority may be altered or modified by the commission after notice and hearing, upon its own motion or upon application of the person or company affected."

6. The Commission need not hold a hearing if, after proper notice and opportunity to intervene, no party requests such a hearing. *State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Enterprises, Inc. v. Public Service Commission*, 776 S.W. 2d 494 (Mo. App. W.D. 1989).

WHEREFORE, the Staff recommends that the Commission cancel the certificate of service authority and associated tariff of Pacific South Telecom, Inc., to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services including operator services in the state of Missouri.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have provided a true and correct copy of the foregoing by First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, or electronic mail to: Pacific South Telecom, Inc., 3419 Westminster Ave., Suite 312, Dallas, TX 75205; and the Office of the Public Counsel at opcservice@ded.mo.gov this 6th day of December 2011.

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