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The Honorable Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge Public Service Commission State of Missouri P.O. Box 360

Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

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Missouri Public Service Commission

Re: <u>Application for Certificate of Service Authority and for Competitive</u> Classification of Universal Telecom, Inc. TA-2000-598

Dear Judge Roberts:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission in the above-referenced Application is an original and eight (8) copies of Applicant Universal Telecom, Inc.'s Request for Extension of Time to Provide Financial Information. Please file stamp the extra copy and return it to me in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope. If this Request for Extension is insufficient or if my client is not given the additional time required to prepare and file its financial information, please contact me as soon as possible so that we may alert our client. Thank you for your assistance.

If you have any questions, please do not/hesitate to contact me at the above listed number.

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Enclosures

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## BEFORE THE STATE OF MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



In the Matter of the Application of	)	Missouri Public Service Commission
Universal Telecom, Inc., for	)	
A Certificate of Service Authority to	)	
Provide Prepaid Basic Local	)	
Telecommunications Services in the	)	Case No. TA-2000-598
State of Missouri and to Classify	)	
Said Services and the Company	)	
As Competitive	)	

## APPLICANT UNIVERSAL TELECOM, INC.'S REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL INFORMATION

COMES NOW Applicant Universal Telecom, Inc., ("UTI"), by and through its undersigned counsel, and respectfully requests an extension of time to provide certain financial information requested by the Financial Analysis Department of the Missouri Public Service Commission (the "Commission"). The financial information requested by the Commission is due June 1, 2000, and the failure to timely respond "could result in a rejection of [UTI's] application." UTI is making its best efforts to comply with the request and is in the process of obtaining and providing the information requested; however, UTI may not be able to provide such information within the time period allotted. Accordingly, UTI seeks an additional ten (10) days up to and including June 12, 2000 in order to provide the requested information. UTI further requests that its Application remain in effect during this extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that on this 25<sup>+</sup> day of May, 2000, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was mailed, first class, postage prepaid, to:

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