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RE: Case No. TD-2000-832

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case are an original and eight (8) conformed copies of a **STAFF RECOMMENDATION**.

This filing has been mailed or hand-delivered this date to all counsel of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
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In the Matter of the Application of KCI )  
Long Distance, Inc. to Cancel its )  
Certificate of Service Authority. )

Case No. TD-2000-832

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) and for its recommendation respectfully states:

1. In the attached Memorandum, which is labeled Appendix A, the Staff recommends that the Commission issue an order to cancel KCI Long Distance, Inc.'s certificate of service authority and accompanying tariff.

2. The Commission has the authority to cancel a telecommunications corporation certificate pursuant to Section 392.410, RSMo which provides:

Any 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.

However, 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. 1989).

WHEREFORE, Staff recommends that the Commission issue an order to cancel KCI Long Distance, Inc.'s certificate of service authority and accompanying tariff.

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Respectfully submitted,

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TO: Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File  
Case No. TD-2000-832  
KCI Long Distance, Inc.

FROM: Sherri Murphy  
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SUBJECT: Staff Recommendation to Cancel a Certificate of Service  
Authority to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications  
Services and the Accompanying Tariff

DATE: June 23, 2000

On June 20, 2000, KCI Long Distance, Inc. (KCI), a competitive telecommunications company, filed an Application to Cancel Certificate of Service Authority. KCI was certificated by this Commission to provide interexchange telecommunications services on November 19, 1997 in Case No. TA-98-105. KCI does not currently serve any interexchange customers in Missouri and has no plans to serve customers in the future.

The Telecommunications Department Staff (Staff) has no objections to KCI's application and recommends that the Commission issue an order to cancel KCI's certificate of service authority and accompanying tariff at its earliest convenience. The Staff is unaware of any other filing which affects or which would be affected by this proposal.

According to the application, KCI has no assessment fees due. Staff contacted the Internal Accounting Department and received confirmation that KCI does not owe any assessment.

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Appendix A

**Service List for  
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