BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Net Talk.com, Inc.)
for a Certificate of Service Authority to Provide) File No. TA-2011-0166
Basic Local Telecommunications Services in the)
State of Missouri and for Competitive Classification)

RESPONSE TO ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

COMES NOW Net Talk.com, Inc. ("Net Talk"), Applicant herein, by and through counsel, and as its Response to the *Order to Show Cause* issued by the Commission in this matter on January 18, 2011, states as follows:

- Undersigned counsel has entered his appearance in this matter as counsel of record on behalf of Applicant, Net Talk.com, Inc.
- 2. Applicant believes this entry of appearance addresses the issue raised by the Commission in its *Order to Show Compliance* of January 4, 2011 and its *Order to Show Cause* of January 18, 2011.
- 3. Applicant, through undersigned Missouri counsel, plans to file further amendments to the application in this matter at the earliest possible opportunity.
- 4. Since Missouri counsel has entered his appearance on behalf of Applicant as required by the Commission's rules, Applicant urges the Commission not to dismiss the application in this matter, but rather to provide undersigned counsel an opportunity to file such further amendments to the Application.

WHEREFORE, Applicant, Net Talk.com, Inc., respectfully submits its Response to Order to Show Cause and requests that the Commission forbear from dismissal of the application, pending the filing of further amendments to the Application herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the undersigned has caused a complete copy of the attached document to be electronically filed and served on the Commission's Office of General Counsel (at gencounsel@psc.mo.gov) and the Office of Public Counsel (at opcservice@ded.mo.gov) on this 21st day of January 2011.

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