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## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Missouri Public Service Commission
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In the Matter of the Proposed Change to	)		
ALLTEL Missouri, Inc.'s Local Exchange	)	Case No.	
Tariff, P.S.C. MoNo. 2, Section 27.	)	Tariff File No.	

## ALLTEL MISSOURI, INC.'S MOTION FOR EXPEDITED TREATMENT

COMES NOW ALLTEL Missouri, Inc.<sup>1</sup>, pursuant to Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") Rules 4 CSR 240-2.065(2) and 4 CSR 240-2.080(16), and respectfully requests the Commission to grant expedited approval of a tariff filing proposing to waive the installation and up to three months' charges for Call Forwarding Services<sup>2</sup> to aid customers impacted by the recent tornadoes and severe weather.

- 1. Attached as Exhibit A to this Motion is a filing letter and a proposed change to ALLTEL Missouri's Local Exchange Tariff, P.S.C. Mo.-No. 2, Section 27. The proposed tariff provides for waiver of up to three months' recurring rate and waiver of the non-recurring installation charge for Call Forwarding Services for those business and residential customers whose telephone service has been affected by the recent tornadoes and severe weather in Missouri and who order the services between May 14 and June 13, 2003.
- 2. ALLTEL Missouri requests immediate approval of the proposed tariff in order to provide a public service benefit to customers impacted by the recent storms. The availability of these features with a waiver of up to three months' recurring charge and a waiver of the installation charge would permit customers to arrange for calls to be forwarded to another number. These alternatives may be useful to business and residential customers whose service has been affected by the recent storms.

<sup>1</sup> ALLTEL Missouri, Inc. will be referred to in this pleading as "ALLTEL Missouri."

<sup>2</sup> Specifically, the services include Call Forwarding, Call Forwarding - Busy Line, Call Forwarding - No Answer, Preferred Call Forwarding, and Ring + ("Call Forwarding Services").

- 3. Given the immediate needs of the customers impacted by the recent storms, ALLTEL Missouri respectfully requests the Commission to act at its next regularly scheduled agenda meeting, and to approve the proposed tariff effective May 14, 2003. ALLTEL Missouri has filed this motion together with the proposed tariff in order to provide the benefits of these services to customers in the most expeditious fashion. There will be no negative effect on ALLTEL Missouri's customers or the general public, if the Commission acts by the date desired as expressed herein. This pleading was filed as soon as it could have been.
- 4. The Commission previously granted expedited treatment of a similar emergency offering of SBC Missouri on May 6, 2003, in Case No. IO-2003-0475.

WHEREFORE, for all the foregoing reasons, ALLTEL Missouri respectfully requests the Commission to consider this Motion for Expedited Treatment and to approve the proposed tariff to be effective on May 14, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **Certificate of Service**

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or e-mailed to the following parties this 9th day of May, 2003:

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Mr. Dale H. Roberts Chief Regulatory Law Judge/Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission Governor Office Building 200 Madison Street, Suite 100 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

Dear Mr. Roberts:

ALLTEL Missouri, Inc. is submitting for Commission approval an original and four (4) copies of the following tariff sheets:

Section

Title

Revision Original Sheet

27

Service Charges -

Connections, Moves & Changes

ALLTEL Missouri, Inc. will offer an emergency promotion beginning the effective date of this tariff filing through June13, 2003 for residence and business customers affected by the recent tornadoes. The promotion will waive the installation fee and up to three months' service charge for Call Forwarding, Call Forwarding - Busy Line, Call Forwarding - No Answer, Preferred Call Forwarding, and Ring. \*\*.

Due to the emergency nature of this offer, we are filing a Motion for Expedited Treatment that requests that the Commission make this filing effective on May 14, 2003.

Please call Stephanie Marsh at 501-905-7897 if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely.

Mike Gately

Attachments

CC:

Stephanie Marsh

Office of Public Counsel

EFFECTIVE: June 8, 2003

- 27. SERVICE CHARGES CONNECTIONS, MOVES AND CHANGES (Continued)
  - 27.3 Residential and Business Service Promotions (Continued)
    - C. Current Promotions (Continued)

Beginning the effective date of this tariff filing and continuing through June 13, 2003, the Company will offer a promotion to residence and business customers affected by the recent tornadoes. The promotion will waive the installation fee and up to three months' service charge for Call Forwarding, Call Forwarding - Busy Line, Call Forwarding - No Answer, Preferred Call Forwarding, and Ring +.