

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
JEFFERSON CITY
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CASE NO: TA-2000-829

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Enclosed find certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,



**Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Cypress)
Communications Operating Company, Inc. for a)
Certificate of Service Authority to Provide)
Basic Local Telecommunications Services) Case No. TA-2000-829
Throughout the State of Missouri and to)
Classify Said Services and the Company as)
Competitive.)

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

On June 19, 2000, Cypress Communications Operating Company, Inc. (Cypress) filed an application requesting the Commission grant it a certificate of service authority to provide basic local telecommunications services within the state of Missouri and to classify the company and its services as competitive.

Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.060(1)(K) requires that all applications include:

"A statement indicating whether the applicant has any pending action or final unsatisfied judgments or decisions against it from any state or federal agency or court which involve customer service or rates, which action, judgment or decision has occurred within three (3) years of the date of the application."

In addition, Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.060(1)(L) requires that all applications provide a statement that "no annual report or assessment fees are overdue." Neither of these statements was included in Cypress' application.

Cypress' application fails to comply with Commission rules 4 CSR 240-2.060(1)(K) and (1)(L) and is, therefore, deficient. Cypress shall be directed to comply with Commission rules 4 CSR 240-2.060(1)(K) and (1)(L), or seek a variance of the rules.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That Cypress Communications Operating Company, Inc., shall comply with Commission rules 4 CSR 240-2.060(1)(K) and (1)(L) no later than 4 p.m. on or before July 20, 2000.
2. That this order shall become effective on July 17, 2000.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(S E A L)

Shelly A. Register, Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of
authority pursuant to 4 CSR
240-2.120(1) (November 30, 1995)
and Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 5th day of July, 2000.

**STATE OF MISSOURI
OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and
I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City,
Missouri, this 5th day of July 2000.

Dale Hardy Roberts

**Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**

