BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of) INTELCOM, INC. for a Certificate of) Service Authority to Provide Intrastate,) Interexchange Telecommunications Services) Case No. TA-99-606 Tariff No. 9901014

ORDER APPROVING INTEREXCHANGE CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY AND ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

INTELCOM, INC. (INTELCOM) applied to the Public Service Commission on June 23, 1999, for a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services in Missouri under Section 392.440, RSMo 1994¹. INTELCOM filed an Amended Application on June 24. INTELCOM asked the Commission to classify it as a competitive company and waive certain statutes and rules as authorized by Sections 392.361 and 392.420. Applicant is a Delaware corporation, with its principal office located at 5945 Wilcox Place, Suite B, Dublin, Ohio 43016-0205.

The Commission issued a Notice of Applications and Opportunity to Intervene on June 29, directing parties wishing to intervene to file their requests by July 14. The requirement for a hearing is met when the opportunity for hearing has been provided and no proper party has

¹All statutory references are to the Revised Statutes of Missouri 1994 unless otherwise indicated.

requested the opportunity to present evidence. <u>State ex rel. Rex</u> <u>Deffenderfer Enterprises, Inc. v. Public Service Commission</u>, 776 S.W.2d 494, 496 (Mo. App. 1989). Since no one has asked permission to intervene or requested a hearing, the Commission may grant the relief requested based on the verified application.

INTELCOM filed a proposed tariff in conjunction with its application and filed substitute sheets on June 24, July 22, July 23 and August 5. The tariff's effective date was extended at the request of INTELCOM and is now August 23. INTELCOM's tariff describes the rates, rules, and regulations it intends to use, identifies INTELCOM as a competitive company, and lists the waivers requested. INTELCOM intends to provide interexchange telecommunications services including 1+, 800/888/877, Debit Card and Travel Card services.

In its Memorandum filed on August 12, the Staff of the Commission (Staff) recommended that the Commission grant INTELCOM a certificate of service authority, competitive status, and waiver of the statutes and rules listed in the Notice. Staff recommended that the Commission approve the proposed tariff as amended to become effective on August 23.

The Commission finds that competition in the intrastate interexchange telecommunications market is in the public interest and INTELCOM should be granted a certificate of service authority. The Commission finds that the services INTELCOM proposes to offer are competitive and that INTELCOM should be classified as a competitive

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company. The Commission finds that waiving the statutes and Commission rules set out in the ordered paragraph below is reasonable and not detrimental to the public interest.

The Commission finds that INTELCOM's proposed tariff details the services, equipment, and pricing it proposes to offer. The Commission finds that the proposed tariff filed on June 23 shall be approved as amended to become effective on August 23.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That INTELCOM, INC. is granted a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services in the state of Missouri, subject to all applicable statutes and Commission rules except as specified in this order.

2. That INTELCOM, INC. is classified as a competitive telecommunications company. Application of the following statutes and regulatory rules shall be waived:

Statutes

392,240()	1) - ratemaking		
392.270	- valuation of property (ratemaking)		
392.280	- depreciation accounts		
392.290	- issuance of securities		
392.310	- stock and debt issuance		
392.320	- stock dividend payment		
392.340	- reorganization(s)		
392.330,	RSMo Supp. 1998 - issuance of securities, debts and notes		

Commission Rules

4	CSR	240-10.020	-	depreciation fund income
4	CSR	240-30.010(2)(C)	-	rate schedules
4	CSR	240-30.040	-	Uniform System of Accounts
4	CSR	240-32.030(1)(B)	-	exchange boundary maps

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4	CSR 240-32.030(1)(C)	 record keeping
4	CSR 240-32.030(2)	 in-state record keeping
4	CSR 240-32.050(3)	 local office record keeping
4	CSR 240-32.050(4)	- telephone directories
4	CSR 240-32.050(5)	- call intercept
4	CSR 240-32.050(6)	- telephone number changes
4	CSR 240-32.070(4)	- public coin telephone
4	CSR 240-33.030	- minimum charges rule
4	CSR 240-33.040(5)	- financing fees

3. That the tariff filed by INTELCOM, INC. on June 23, 1999, and assigned tariff number 9901014, is approved as amended to become effective on August 23, 1999. The tariff approved is:

MO. P.S.C. Tariff No. 1

4. That this order shall become effective on August 23,

1999.

5. That this case may be closed on August 24, 1999.

BY THE COMMISSION

Hole Hredy Roberts

Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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Morris L. Woodruff, 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 16th day of August, 1999.