BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of YourTel)	
America, Inc., to Amend its Designation as an)	
Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in the)	File No. RA-2011-0376
State of Missouri)	

STAFF REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

COMES Now the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and for its request, states as follows:

- 1. On May 17, 2011, YourTel America, Inc. ("YourTel") filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission seeking to expand its designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") for the purpose of receiving federal universal service fund support for low income customers through Lifeline and LinkUp programs in certain new areas of the State of Missouri. YourTel was originally granted wireline ETC status in April 2003, and was granted wireless ETC status in March, 2009 for 35 exchanges, which it seeks in the present case to expand to statewide. During the time that YourTel has provided service as an ETC, the Staff has not received any information to indicate that the Company has not adhered to all of the requirements and regulations pertaining to that service. YourTel has been audited for compliance with the Commission's USF regulations by the Staff.
- 2. The Staff is in the process of preparing its recommendation, which is due on Friday, June 24. Staff counsel will be out of the office that day, and will not be able to file the recommendation until Monday, June 27.

WHEREFORE, the Staff requests that the Commission extend the time by which the Staff may file its recommendation until noon on Monday, June 26, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 21st day of June, 2011.