BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the matter of the Application of)		
S-GO Leasing Company for a)		
Certificate of Service Authority to)		
Provide Basic Local Telecommunications)	Case No.	
Services in Portions of the State of)		
Missouri and to Classify Said Services and)		
the Company as Competitive.	Ś		

APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE AND FOR COMPETITIVE CLASSIFICATION

Comes now S-GO Leasing Company d/b/a S-GO Local ("Applicant" or "S-GO"), by its undersigned counsel, and hereby applies pursuant to Sections 392.361, 392.410, 392.420, and 392.430, 392.440, 392.450, 392.451 and 392.455 RSMo, the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, 4 CSR 240-2.060 and 4 CSR 240-3.510, for a certificate of service authority to provide basic local telecommunications service in portions of the state of Missouri and to classify said service and company as competitive. S-GO has previously obtained certificates of service authority from the Commission to provide interexchange and nonswitched local exchange telecommunications services in Case No. XA-2005-0412. In this application, S-GO seeks authority to provide basic local telecommunications service in the service territories of Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a AT&T Missouri; Embarq Missouri, Inc.; CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC; and Spectra Communications Group, LLC. Additionally, S-GO requests that its basic local service be classified as competitive and that certain statutes and regulations be waived. In support of its application, S-GO states as follows:

- 1. Applicant is a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Missouri. A copy of Applicant's certificate of good standing is attached hereto as **Appendix A**. Applicant proposes to do business under the fictitious name of "S-GO Local," a copy of Applicant's registration of fictitious name filed with the Missouri Secretary of State is attached here as **Appendix B**.
- 2. All inquiries, correspondence, communications, pleadings, notices, orders and decisions relating to the case should be addressed to:

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3. By this Application, Applicant seeks authority to offer and provide basic local telecommunications service on a facilities-based and resold basis to customers throughout all the exchanges currently served by: (a) Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a AT&T Missouri (AT&T Missouri); (b) Embarq Missouri, Inc. (Embarq); (c) CenturyTel of Missouri, LLC (CenturyTel); and (d) Spectra Communications Group, LLC d/b/a CenturyTel (Spectra). The specific AT&T Missouri, Embarq, CenturyTel and Spectra exchanges within which Applicant proposes to offer service are listed in the local exchange tariffs of the respective incumbent local exchange providers, and will be listed in Applicant's initial proposed tariff. Applicant's proposed service areas will follow the

respective exchange boundaries of the stated incumbent LECs and shall be no smaller than an exchange as required by Section 392.455(3) RSMo.

- 4. Pursuant to this Application, Applicant proposes to offer and provide all forms of basic local telecommunications service, including (but not limited to): (a) Basic Exchange Services, including local exchange flat rate; (b) Custom and Class Features, including call waiting, caller ID, call forwarding, etc.; and (c) Ancillary Services such as 911, directory listing, and directory assistance.
- S-GO continues to possess the technical and managerial expertise and experience necessary to provide the services it proposes. See Case No. XA-2005-0412.
 S-GO has been successfully providing service in the state of Missouri since 2005.
- 6. S-GO has demonstrated that it possesses the necessary financial resources and abilities to provide the services it proposes as required by Section 392.455(1), RSMo, as evidenced by the S-GO annual reports filed with this Commission since 2005. S-GO has access to the necessary capital to conduct its proposed operations in Missouri.
 - 7. Applicant seeks classification of itself and its services as competitive.
- 8. Applicant will offer basic local telecommunications service as a separate and distinct service in accordance with applicable law. Applicant will give consideration to equitable access for all Missourians, regardless of where they might reside or their income, to affordable telecommunications services in the proposed service areas in accordance with applicable law.
- 9. Applicant will comply with all applicable Commission rules other than those that are waived by the Commission and is willing to meet all relevant service standards. Additionally, S-GO agrees that, pursuant to Section 392.455(3) & (4) RSMo

2000, its service area shall be no smaller than an exchange. Consistent with the Commission's treatment of other certificated competitive local exchange telecommunications companies, S-GO requests the following statutes and regulations be waived for S-GO and its basic local exchange services offerings.

<u>Statutes</u>	Missouri Public Service Commission Rules
392.210.2	4 CSR 240-3.550(4)
392.240(1)	4 CSR 240-3.550(5)(A)
392.270	4 CSR 240-3.550(5)(C)
392.280	4 CSR 240-10.020
392.290	4 CSR 240-30.040
392.300	4 CSR 240-32.060
392.310	4 CSR 240-32.070
392.320	4 CSR 240-32.080
392.330	4 CSR 240-33.040(1)-(3) and (5)-(10)
392.340	4 CSR 240-33.045
	4 CSR 240-33.080(1)
	4 CSR 240-33.130(1), (4), and (5)

- 10. S-GO requests a temporary waiver of 4 CSR 240-3.510(1)(C), which requires that an application for a certificate of service authority to provide basic local exchange service shall include a proposed tariff with a 45-day effective date, but allows applicants the option of postponing tariff submittal. S-GO needs to complete the process of obtaining an approved interconnection agreement before formally submitting a finalized tariff with rates, terms and conditions of service. S-GO will file such a tariff in a manner consistent with the Commission's practices in similar cases before providing basic local service.
- 11. S-GO submits that the public interest will be served by Commission approval of this application because S-GO's proposed services will create and enhance competition and expand customer service options consistent with the legislative goals set

forth in the federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 and Chapter 392 RSMo. Prompt approval of this application also will expand the availability of innovative, high quality and reliable telecommunications services within the State of Missouri.

- 12. S-GO submits, notwithstanding the provisions of Section 392.500 RSMo, as a condition of certification and competitive classification, S-GO agrees that, unless otherwise ordered by the Commission, S-GO's originating and terminating switched exchange access rates will be no greater than the lowest Commission-approved corresponding access rates in effect for each ILEC within those service area(s) S-GO seeks authority to provide service. Additionally, pursuant to the Commission's Report and Order in Case No. TO-99-596, S-GO agrees that if the ILEC in whose service area S-GO is operating decreases its originating and/or terminating access service rates, S-GO shall file an appropriate tariff amendment to reduce its originating and/or terminating access rates within thirty (30) days of the ILEC's reduction of its originating and/or terminating access rates in order to maintain the cap on switched exchange access rates.
- 13. S-GO does not have 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 a judgment, or decision has occurred within three years of the date of this application. S-GO does not have any overdue annual reports or assessment fees.

WHEREFORE, S-GO respectfully requests that the Commission grant it a certificate of service authority to provide basic local telecommunications services as herein requested, classify S-GO and its proposed services as competitive, and grant a waiver of the aforesaid statutes and regulations.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document has been mailed, U.S. Mail postage prepaid, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile, or emailed this 20th day of November, 2008, to the following parties:

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VERIFICATION

STATE OF MISSOURI)
COUNTY OF Newton
Vice
I, W. Jay Mitchell, being first duly sworn, depose and state that I am the President
of S-GO Leasing Company, the Applicant in the subject proceeding; that I have read the
foregoing Application and know the contents thereof; and that the same is true and
correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief
W. Jay Mitchell President S-GO Leasing Company
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Oct., 2008.
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My Commission Expires:

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Notary Public - Notary Seal
State of Missouri
Commissioned for Newton County
My Commission Repires: February 10, 2012
Commission Number: 08382857