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The Honorable Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge
Missouri Public Service Commission
301 West High Street, Floor 5A
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**Missouri Public
Service Commission**

In re: In the matter of the Application of Navigator
Telecommunications, LLC., to Amend its Certificate
of Service Authority to provide Basic Local and
Local Exchange Telecommunications Service in
portions of the State of Missouri
Case No. TA-2000-243

Dear Judge Roberts:

Enclosed please find an original and fourteen copies of a
Response of Navigator Telecommunications, LLC., to the Order
Granting Intervention and Directing Filing of Procedural Schedule
dated November 9, 1999. Please cause the enclosed to be filed in
the above-referenced matter.

Thanking you in advance, I am,

Very truly yours,

MILLAR, SCHAEFER, HOFFMANN & ROBERTSON

By *Gregory F. Hoffmann*
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Enclosure
cc: Mr. Mike McAlister

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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**RESPONSE OF NAVIGATOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC. TO THE
COMMISSION'S NOVEMBER 9, 1999 ORDER**

Comes now Navigator Telecommunications, LLC. (hereinafter referred to as
"Navigator"), by and through its attorneys, and for its Response to the Commission's
November 9, 1999 Order states as follows:

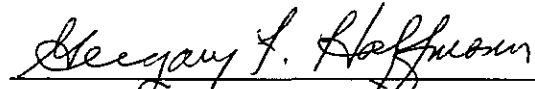
1. On November 9, 1999, the Commission entered its Order Granting
Intervention and Directing Filing of Procedural Schedule. In Ordered Paragraph 2, the
Commission directed the parties to file either a procedural schedule or dates for the filing
of the stipulation and agreement and suggestions in support by November 30, 1999.

2. In response to the Commission's Order, Navigator drafted and circulated
amongst the parties a Stipulation and Agreement designed to resolve this case without the
need for a formal procedural schedule or hearing. Navigator's proposed stipulation and
agreement follows the general format of Stipulations previously approved by the
Commission and other certification cases involving competitive local exchange carriers.
Although not all the parties have yet responded to Navigator's proposed stipulation and
agreement, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company has indicated that the proposed
stipulation and agreement is acceptable.

3. Since Navigator believes that this proceeding can be resolved by stipulation without the need for a formal procedural schedule or a formal hearing, Navigator respectfully suggests that the Commission set a date for filing a stipulation and agreement and suggestions in support. Navigator further respectfully suggests that the Commission direct the parties to file their executed stipulation and agreement and suggestions in support by Tuesday, December 7, 1999.

WHEREFORE, Navigator Telecommunications, LLC. respectfully requests the Commission to set December 7, 1999 as the date for filing an executed stipulation and agreement and suggestions in support resolving this case.

Respectfully submitted,



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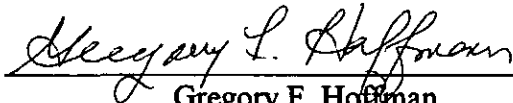
ATTORNEYS FOR APPLICANT,

NAVIGATOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I have this 16th day of November, 1999, served the following parties in the foregoing matter with a copy of the attached document by depositing same in the U.S. Mail properly addressed, with adequate postage thereon:

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