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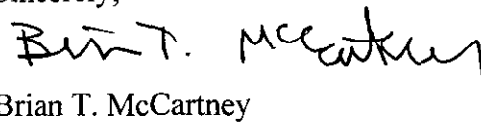
**Re: Case No. TC-2002-57**

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter, please find an original and eight copies of Kingdom Telephone Company's Response to Commission Order Directing Filing.

Please see that this filing is brought to the attention of the appropriate Commission personnel. Copies of the enclosed document are being provided to counsel of record. I thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,



Brian T. McCartney

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Northeast Missouri Rural Telephone Company  
and Modern Telecommunications Company,

Petitioners,

vs.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company,  
Southwestern Bell Wireless (Cingular),  
Voicestream Wireless (Western Wireless),  
Aerial Communications, Inc., CMT Partners  
(Verizon Wireless), Sprint Spectrum LP,  
United States Cellular Corp., and Ameritech  
Mobile Communications, Inc.,

Respondents.

Case No. TC-2002-57

**KINGDOM TELEPHONE COMPANY'S**  
**RESPONSE TO COMMISSION ORDER DIRECTING FILING**

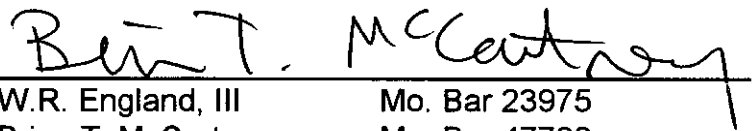
Comes now Kingdom Telephone Company (Kingdom) and for its Response to Commission Order Directing Filing states as follows:

1. On April 9, 2002, Kingdom filed its Notice of Dismissal with respect to all Respondents named in Kingdom's Complaint with the exception of Western Wireless.
2. On May 9, 2002, Kingdom filed its Motion for Leave to Dismiss Western Wireless. On May 14, 2002, the Commission granted Kingdom's Motion and issued its Order Dismissing Kingdom's Complaint against Western Wireless. The Commission's Order also directed Kingdom to advise the Commission in writing whether or not it is now asserting any claim or claims in this matter against any remaining Respondent or whether Kingdom should be dismissed as a party to this case.

3. Now that Kingdom's Complaint against Western Wireless has been dismissed, Kingdom is no longer asserting any claim or claims in this matter against any remaining Respondent. Accordingly, Kingdom should be dismissed as a party to this case.

WHEREFORE, Kingdom respectfully requests that the Commission dismiss Kingdom as a party to this case and grant such other action as is appropriate in the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brian T. McCartney". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath the name.

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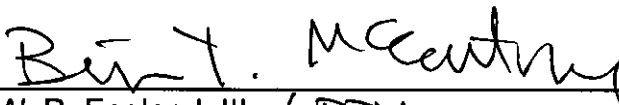
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