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To: Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File
Tariff File No. 0000281 Case No. TM-99-381

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Subject: Staff Recommendation to Approve Revised Tariff and the Addition of TresCom Services and Rates

Date: 10/14/99

I. Filing

On September 27, 1999, Primus Telecommunications, Inc (Company or Primus) filed revised tariff sheets, submitted original tariff sheets to add **TresCom services and rates**, and enclosed for filing pursuant to the May 21, 1999 Order approving the pro forma internal reorganization of Primus and TresCom U.S.A, Inc (TresCom). The filing is a revision to PSC MO No. 1 and adds Section 6- TresCom Service and Rate Description, Section 7- TresCom Miscellaneous Services, Section 8- TresCom Promotions, and Section 9- TresCom Contract Services.

Primus's revised and submission of original added section filing of TresCom service and rates is in anticipation of the imminent consummation of the approved merger on May 21, 1999 Order between Primus and TresCom.

II. Background

On October 5, 1999 Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission), issued a **Second Supplemental Order Regarding Merger** of Primus and TresCom. The Commission ordered:

1. That the certificate of service authority and tariffs of TresCom be cancelled on October 27, 1999, rather than on October 8, 1999, as previously ordered.
2. That Primus and TresCom advise the Commission of the status of their merger by a pleading to file in Case No. TM-99-381 on October 22, 1999.
3. That the Second Supplemental Order Regarding Merger of Primus and TresCom become effective on October 15, 1999.

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III. Staff Recommendation

The Telecommunications Department Staff (Staff) has examined Primus's filing and has determined that it is in conformance with the Missouri Public Service Commission Second Supplemental Order Regarding Merger of Primus and TresCom. Therefore, Staff recommends that the proposed revised tariff sheets and submission of original tariff sheets; be approved to become effective October 27, 1999. Staff is not aware of any other filings, which would affect or be affected by, this tariff proposal

The specific sheets recommended for approval are:

P.S.C. Mo. No. 1, Second Revised Sheet 3 and Original Sheets 49 through Original Sheet 69.

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