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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the MoKan Dial, Inc. and)	
Choctaw Telephone Company Joint Request for)	
Clarification and Determination of Certain)	Case No. TO-98-379
Aspects as to the Continued Provisioning of)	
Metropolitan Calling Area Service)	

ORDER AND NOTICE

On March 9, 1998, MoKan Dial, Inc. and Choctaw Telephone Company filed an application to determine certain aspects of the continued provisioning of Metropolitan Calling Area (MCA) Service.

The application states that it is filed pursuant to the following authorities: Sections 392.240 and 392.250 RSMo, the statutes under which authority the Commission established MCA service; the terms of the MCA order in Case No. TO-92-306, recognizing the potential for rate changes in the future; Sections 392.200 and 392.230 RSMo, the statutes under which the Commission regulates service and rates; the federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, especially 47 USC 251(b)(3) and 253, the statutes covering interconnection and removal of barriers to entry; and the general regulatory authority of the Commission, which is authorized to entertain issues regarding the continued provisioning of a Commission-created service.

Proper parties should be given notice and an opportunity to intervene. The Records Department shall send a copy of this order to all interexchange and local exchange telecommunications companies.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That any interested party wishing to intervene in this case shall file an application to do so no later than June 3, 1999, with:

Dale Hardy Roberts, Secretary Missouri Public Service Commission Post Office Box 360 Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

and send copies to:

Craig S. Johnson Andereck Evans Milne Peace and Baumhoer, LLC 305 E. McCarty Street P. O. Box 1438 Jefferson City, MO 65102-1438

and

Office of the Public Counsel Post Office Box 7800 Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-7800

- 2. That the Records Department of the Commission be directed to send notice as herein stated.
 - 3. That this order shall become effective on May 14, 1999.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(SEAL)

Bill Hopkins, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.120(1), (November 30, 1995) and Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 4th day of May, 1999.