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Case No. TT-98-420

## ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

VarTec Telecom, Inc. (VarTec) submitted to the Missouri Public Service Commission revised tariff sheets bearing an effective date of May 2, 1998, designed to add a New DimeLine® Service, modify the existing DimeLine® Service to reflect subscriber qualifications, reduce TollSaver® II Service InterLATA rates, and revise tariff text to clarify current offerings. The company requested expedited approval of the proposed tariff sheets.

The Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) reviewed the proposed tariff sheets and filed a memorandum on April 9. Staff stated that it had no objection to the tariff sheets and that it had no objections to expedited treatment because "this filing will primarily establish rate decreases." Staff recommended that the Commission approve the tariff sheets. Both Staff's memorandum and VarTec's cover letter indicate that the tariffs should become effective on May 1, however, the effective date on the tariff sheets is May 2.

Having considered VarTec's proposed tariff sheets and Staff's recommendation, the Commission determines that the company's proposed tariff sheets are reasonable. The proposed tariff sheets submitted on April 2, 1998, should be approved to become effective on May 2, 1998.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. That the tariff sheets filed by VarTec Telecom, Inc., on April 2, 1998, are approved to become effective on May 2, 1998. The tariff sheets approved are:

MO. P.S.C. Schedule No. 3

Tenth Revised Page No. 4 Canceling Ninth Revised Page No. 4  
Tenth Revised Page No. 5 Canceling Ninth Revised Page No. 5  
Third Revised Page No. 42 Canceling Second Revised Page No. 42  
Second Revised Page No. 52.1 Canceling First Revised Page No. 52.1  
Second Revised Page No. 60 Canceling First Revised Page No. 60  
Fifth Revised Page No. 65 Canceling Fourth Revised Page No. 65

2. That this order shall become effective on May 2, 1998.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



**Dale Hardy Roberts**  
**Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge**

(S E A L)

Nancy Dippell, 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 20th day of April, 1998.

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