

STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

At a Session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office
in Jefferson City on the 1st
day of May, 1996.

In the Matter of the Request of the Public Service)
Commission Staff for Cancellation of Certificate) CASE NO. TD-96-331
of Service Authority to Provide Telecommunications)
Services Granted to American Communications, Inc.)

ORDER CANCELING SERVICE AUTHORITY

On July 28, 1987, the Commission granted a certificate of service authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services to American Communications Inc. (ACI). On April 4, 1996, the Staff of the Commission (Staff) filed a memorandum recommending that the Commission cancel ACI's certificate of service authority and tariffs. Although no formal request has been filed by ACI, Staff based its recommendation on its belief that ACI violated the terms of its certificate.

In its memorandum, Staff stated that ACI failed to file an Annual Report or Statement of Revenue for 1994 and that the 1995 Statement of Revenue form which the Commission mailed to ACI was returned by the post office with no forwarding address. Staff attempted to contact ACI, but discovered that ACI's telephone number has been disconnected and directory assistance did not have a new number for ACI. Staff contacted the Missouri Secretary of State's office and was advised that, as a result of ACI's failure to file an annual report, the Secretary of State's office had officially dissolved ACI as a corporation on November 13, 1995. Staff recommended that the Commission cancel ACI's certificate of service authority and tariffs based on Staff's belief that ACI had violated the

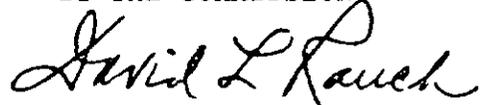
terms of its certificate by its failure to keep the Commission informed of its current address and telephone number and its failure to file annual reports and Statement of Revenue forms.

Upon review of Staff's recommendation, the Commission finds that ACI has violated the terms of its certificate of service authority. Thus, the Commission finds that ACI's certificate of service authority and tariffs should be canceled.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the certificate of service authority and tariffs of American Telecommunications, Inc. are hereby canceled.
2. That this Order shall become effective on May 14, 1996.

BY THE COMMISSION



David L. Rauch
Executive Secretary

(S E A L)

Zobrist, Chm., Kincheloe, Crumpton,
and Drainer, CC., Concur.
McClure, C., Absent.