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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Determination of Prices of     ) **Case No. TO-2002-397**  
Certain Unbundled Network Elements                 )

**ORDER DIRECTING FILING**

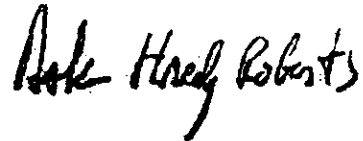
The Commission notes that in February 2003, the Federal Communications Commission issued a press release and comments regarding its new rules concerning incumbent local exchange carriers' obligations to make elements of their networks available on an unbundled basis to new entrants. Although the FCC has not yet released its actual order, the Commission will direct the parties to file preliminary briefs regarding the effect of the FCC's February 2003 action on the nature and scope of this case. The parties should also address any recent court cases that affect this case.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

1. That no later than May 1, 2003, the parties shall file briefs as noted above.
2. That any party may file a response to these briefs no later than 4:00 p.m. on May 9, 2003.

3. That this order shall become effective on April 26, 2003.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



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

( S E A L )

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Vicky Ruth, Senior Regulatory Law  
Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant  
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 16th day of April, 2003.

**STATE OF MISSOURI**

**OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and  
I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City,  
Missouri, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of APR. 2003 .



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



**MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

April 16, 2003

**Case No. TO-2002-397**

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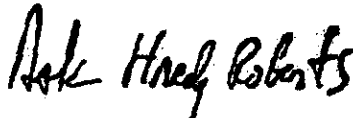
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Enclosed find a certified copy of an ORDER in the above-numbered case(s).

Sincerely,



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