MEMORANDUM

| To: | Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File Case No. TK-2007-0052 Party: New Florence Telephone Company Type of Carrier: ILEC CLEC Wireless | |
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| | Party: Nextel West Corp. Type of Carrier: ILEC CLEC Wireless | |
| From: | Walt Cecil, Telecommunications Department | |
| | Natelle Dietrich/ August 30, 2006 Utility Operations Division/Date William K. Haas/ August 30, 2006 General Counsel Office/Date | |
| Subject: | Staff Recommendation for Approval of Interconnection Agreement or Amendment to Interconnection Agreement | |
| Date: | August 30, 2006 | |
| Date Filed: | August 7, 2006 Staff Deadline: September 8, 2006 | |
| The Telecomapproval of the | munications Department Staff (Staff) recommends the Parties be granted the submitted: | |
| | Interconnection Agreement | |
| | Amendment not previously approved | |
| Service Comm | ubmitted the proposed Agreement or Amendment to the Missouri Public mission (Commission) pursuant to the terms of the Telecommunications Act | |

The parties submitted the proposed Agreement or Amendment to the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) pursuant to the terms of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (Act). Staff has reviewed the proposed Agreement and believes it meets the limited requirements of the Act. Specifically, the Agreement: 1) does not discriminate against telecommunications carriers not party to the Agreement and 2) is not against the public interest, convenience or necessity. Staff recommends the Commission direct the Parties to submit any modifications or amendments to the Commission.

| The applicants have not submitted a serially numbered copy of the Agreement or Amendment. Staff recommends the Commission direct the Parties to submit a serially numbered copy of the Agreement or Amendment. | | | |
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| Staff has a serially numbered copy of the Agreement or Amendment. | | | |
| Additional Interconnection Agreement or Amendment Review Items | | | |
| No applications to intervene filed. | | | |
| Agreement or Amendment signed by both Parties. | | | |
| Additional recommendations or special considerations (if any): | | | |
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 \square The Company is not delinquent in filing an annual report and paying the PSC

assessment.

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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| Application of New Florence Telephone Company for Approval of an Interconnection and Reciprocal Compensation Agreement under the Telecommunications Act of 1996 |)) TK-2007-0052 | | |
| AFFIDAVIT OF WALT CECIL | | | |
| STATE OF MISSOURI))ss COUNTY OF COLE) | | | |
| • | souri Public Service Commission, being of a that he has participated in the preparation of a facts therein are true and correct to the best Walt Cecil | | |
| Subscribed and affirmed before me this 30 th day of August, 2006. I am commissioned as a notary public within the County of Cole, State of Missouri, and my commission expires on 2, 2,008. | | | |
| | NOTARY PUBLIC CARLA K. SCHNIEDERS Notary Public - Notary Seal State of Missouri County of Cole My Commission Exp. 06/07/2008 | | |