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Secretary of the Commission Missouri Public Service Commission Data Center – 1st Floor 200 Madison Street Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

RE: TC-2002-57, et al.

Dear Judge Roberts:

Enclosed please find an original and nine (9) copies of a Motion to Compel to be filed on behalf of the various Verizon Wireless entities who are Respondents in this proceeding. Please file this Motion in your usual manner and return the extra enclosed copy with the date of filing stamped thereon directly to the undersigned in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope at your first opportunity. If you have any questions with respect to this filing, please contact me. Thank you for your attention to and assistance with this matter.

Very truly yours,

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Northeast Missouri Rural Telephone Company		
and Modern Telecommunications Company, et al.		
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vs.		
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MOTION TO COMPEL

COME NOW, Ameritech Mobile Communications, Inc., Ameritech Cellular, CMT Partners, and Verizon Wireless (collectively "Verizon Wireless") and, pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.090(8), hereby request the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") to order and compel Complainants Mid-Missouri Telephone Company, Alma Telephone Company, Northeast Missouri Rural Telephone Company, Modern Telecommunications Company, Mo-Kan Dial, Inc. and Chariton Valley Telephone Company (collectively "Complainants") to respond to certain data requests and requests for production of documents propounded upon them by Verizon Wireless. In support of this Motion to Compel, Verizon Wireless states as follows:

1. On May 2, 2002, Verizon Wireless served data requests and requests for production of documents upon each of the Complainants.

2. On or about May 10, 2002, Complainants timely served their objections to certain of the data requests and requests for productions of documents upon Verizon Wireless' counsel.

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3. On May 30, 2002, pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.090(8)(B), counsel for Complainants and counsel for Verizon Wireless participated in a telephone conference with Judge Thompson at which such time Judge Thompson entertained arguments from Verizon Wireless' counsel as to why the objections of Complainants should be overruled, and arguments from Complainants' counsel on why said objections should be sustained. In said telephone conference, Judge Thompson stated he would overrule all of Complainants' objections to said data requests and requests for production of documents.

4. Despite said statements, in a follow-up e-mail on May 30, 2002, counsel for Complainants notified Verizon Wireless' counsel that it would not follow Judge Thompson's statements made earlier that day on the discovery objections.

5. The objections which Verizon Wireless seeks to overturn, and questions which Verizon Wireless seeks the commission to compel Complaints to respond, are attached to this Motion as Exhibit A, and by this reference made a part hereof.

6. The data requests and requests for production of documents which have been objected to by Complainants seek certain financial information of the Complainants brought into issue by Complainants through the direct testimony of Messrs. David Jones, Don Stowell and Oral Glasco.

7. At pages 17 and 18 of Mr. Jones' Direct Testimony filed on or about April 10, 2002, Mr. Jones alleges that as a result of the wireless carriers' failure to pay access rates to the Complainants for the termination of intra-MTA traffic upon the Complainants' respective

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networks, that the Complainants will have to shift collection of these revenues to its local customers. Verizon Wireless' Data Requests Nos. 21 through 25 each seek financial information which, because of the allegations made by Mr. Jones, Verizon Wireless is entitled to obtain through the discovery process in order to substantiate Mr. Jones' claims concerning the impact of the Commission's failure to adopt the proposed solution upon Complainants' local customers. Mr. Jones' testimony has "opened the door" with respect to the type of information Verizon Wireless seeks (which, a review of the data requests will establish, is not onerous, burdensome or will require the expenditure of any material time for Complainants to compile), and if Mr. Jones desires to place the financial aspects of a decision by the Commission in issue (as he has done through his Direct Testimony) Verizon Wireless is certainly entitled to explore the underpinnings of those statements as well as other information which may tend to rebut Mr. Jones' statements.

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8. In addition, certain of the Complainants have alleged financial distress regarding the failure of the wireless carriers to pay access (see Stowell Direct, p. 7, lines 10-11; Glasco Direct, p. 7, lines 3-5). The data requests to which Verizon Wireless seeks answers are nothing more than Verizon Wireless' attempt to explore background information concerning same.

9. These data requests do not constitute a "fishing expedition" or an abuse of the discovery process. Rather, these data requests and requests for production of documents represent clear, concise and limited attempts to gain access to information directly relevant to matters placed into issue by Complainants which Verizon Wireless would then be in a position to determine whether to present to the Commission in order to rebut the allegations made in the Direct Testimony of the Complainants. However, without access to the information, Verizon

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Wireless is in no position to be able to effectively explore the validity of such statements, much less formulate ways to rebut same.

WHEREFORE, Verizon Wireless respectfully requests the Commission to order and compel Complainants to answer each and every data request objected to, as set forth on Exhibit A, and produce the documents requested as set forth on Exhibit A.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that on this $\underline{n^{\prime\prime}}$ day of June, 2002, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was faxed to:

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36. For each item of expense or expenditure identified in Petitioner's response to Data Request #35, identify the amount of the expense or expenditure (in U.S. Dollars) and how the item of expense or expenditure is related to wireless traffic being terminated on Petitioner's network.

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24. For each item of expense or expenditure identified in Petitioner's response to Data Request #23, identify the amount of the expense of expenditure (in U.S. Dollars) and how the item of expense or expenditure is related to wireless traffic being terminated on Petitioner's network.

Objection: See objection to # 23.

25. How much revenue form the termination of wireless traffic was estimated in the construction of Petitioner's current rate design?

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9. Petitioner's Missouri access tariff in effect on February 1, 1998, and all amendments thereto to date.

Objection: Petitioner's access rates are tariffed. The tariffs reflecting rates and dates are a matter of public record available to Respondent.

10. All documents which Petitioner intends to use at the hearing.

Objection: The information of what documents Petitioner intends to use at hearing is work product information privileged from discovery.

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Objections of Alma Telephone Company to May 2, 2002 Data Requests and Requests for Production of Documents from Ameritech Mobile Communications Inc., and CMT Partners

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First Set of Data Requests

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