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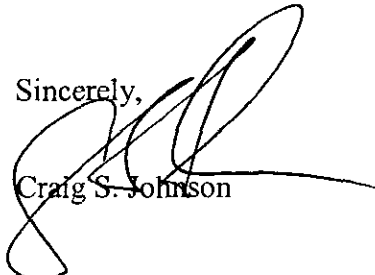
Re: Chariton Valley Telecom/Southwestern Bell Traffic Termination Agreement,
Request for Approval

Dear Secretary:

Enclosed please find the original and three copies of the Certificate of Good Standing and the Application Verification page for Chariton Valley Telecom's Application for Approval of a Traffic Termination Agreement with Southwestern Bell Telephone. When originally filed, the Application Verification page and the Certificate of Good Standing were fax copies, and it was noted that the originals would be submitted upon receipt.

Thank you for seeing this filed.

Sincerely,


Craig S. Johnson

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Matt Blunt
Secretary of State

CORPORATION DIVISION
CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

I, MATT BLUNT, Secretary of the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the records in my office and in my care and custody reveal that

CHARITON VALLEY TELECOM CORPORATION
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was created under the laws of this State on the 24th day of September, 2001, and is in good standing, having fully complied with all requirements of this office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have set my hand and an imprinted the GREAT SEAL of the State of Missouri, on this, the 28th day of October, 2003

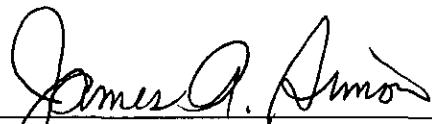

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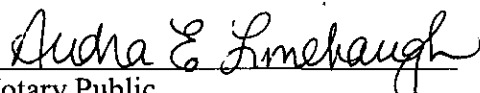
VERIFICATION

I, James A. Simon, Assistant General Manager of Chariton Valley Telecom Corp., hereby swear and affirm that I am authorized to speak on behalf of Applicant Chariton Valley Telecom Corp., and attest to the veracity of the statements contained in this application.


James A. Simon

STATE OF MISSOURI)
) ss
COUNTY OF MACON)

I, Audra Linebaugh, a Notary Public do hereby certify that on this 27th day of October, 2003, personally appeared before me James A. Simon, who declared that the information contained herein above is true, to the best of his knowledge and belief.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

AUDRA E. LINEBAUGH
Notary Public - Notary Seal
STATE OF MISSOURI
Chariton County
My Commission Expires: May 27, 2006