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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Service Commission

In the matter of the Application of)	
Spectra Communications Group, LLC)	
for approval of its Interconnection and)	Case No. TK-2003-0306
Reciprocal Compensation Agreement with)	
WWC License LLC under 47 U.S.C. § 252	.)	

NOTICE OF SUBMISSION OF REVISED PAGES OF INTERCONNECTION AND RECIPROCAL COMPENSATION AGREEMENT

Spectra Communications Group, LLC ("Spectra") hereby files revised pages to the Interconnections and Reciprocal Compensation Agreement between Spectra and WWC License LLC ("Western Wireless"), previously submitted in this matter as an attachment to the Application for Approval filed herein on February 27, 2003. The revised pages, attached hereto under correspondence from Western Wireless to Senior Counsel Marc Poston dated April 23, 2003, are facsimile copies and original pages will be filed in these case papers as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I do hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document has been hand-delivered, transmitted by e-mail or mailed, First Class, postage prepaid, this 24x day of April, 2003, to:

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April 23, 2003

Via Facsimile and E-Mail

Marc D. Poston Senior Counsel - Missouri PSC Missouri Public Service Commission 200 Madison Street Jefferson City, MO 65102

Dear Mr. Poston:

As requested by staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission, attached are the revised pages of the Interconnection and Reciprocal Compensation Agreement between Spectra Communications Group, LLC ("Spectra") and WWC License LLC ("Western Wireless"). These pages include page 6 with the additional language in Section 3.2 to cover Third Party Provider traffic, page 8 with the additional indemnification language in Section 5.1.4, and page 23 with corrected references to Spectra. A new signature page dated April 23, 2003 is also attached with the signatures of Spectra and Western Wireless.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 425-586-8055.

Respectfully submitted,

Gene DeJordy, Esq.

Western Wireless Corporation

Enclosures

cc: Larry Dority, Spectra

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any way constitute a waiver or limitation of Spectra's rights under Section 251(f)(1) or 251(f)(2) of the Act. Accordingly, Spectra expressly reserves the right to assert its right to an exemption or waiver and modification of Section 251(c) of the Act, in response to other requests for interconnection by WESTERN WIRELESS or any other carrier.

TRAFFIC INTERCHANGED.

3.1 The traffic subject to this Agreement shall be that Local Traffic which originates from a subscriber on the network of one Party and is delivered to a subscriber on the network of the other Party. Spectra agrees that WESTERN WIRELESS's NPA-NXX codes within the MTA will be local calls for Spectra's subscribers wherever the assigned rate center is within the Spectra local calling area (or EAS area) of the calling party. Such traffic includes that traffic which is delivered via a third party Tandem Switch. Terms and conditions for the interchange of traffic between the Parties via Type I Wireless Interconnection are governed by Spectra's applicable local tariff.

3.2 Tandem Switched Services

Spectra may provide to WESTERN WIRELESS Tandem Switching to another Spectra End Office or non-Spectra End Office that subtends the Spectra access tandem.

Spectra will recognize WESTERN WIRELESS NPA-NXXs that have a rate center located in Spectra's exchange or EAS calling area as Local Traffic. Calls to such NPA-NXXs will be rated no less favorably than calls by Spectra customers to other NPA-NXXs with the same rate center. Local Traffic originated by Spectra will be delivered directly to WESTERN WIRELESS at POI by Spectra.

WESTERN WIRELESS agrees that if traffic is sent to Spectra for termination on a Third Party Provider's network, then WESTERN WIRELESS shall negotiate a reciprocal compensation or interconnection agreement with such Third Party Provider.

4. FACILITIES.

Each Party shall construct, equip, maintain and operate its network in accordance with good engineering practices for telephone systems and in compliance with all applicable rules and regulations, as amended from time-to-time, of any regulatory body empowered to regulate any aspect of the facilities contemplated herein. Where appropriate and consistent with industry practices and upon reasonable notice, each Party shall make the necessary arrangements to assure the other Party access to the point of physical interconnection for testing, maintenance, repairing and removing facilities.

When ordered by WESTERN WIRELESS, Spectra shall provide interconnection circuits of a quality comparable to that provided to any other interconnected Local Exchange Carrier or to private branch exchanges between the Spectra switching center and the POI located in Spectra's local exchange serving area. Spectra and WESTERN WIRELESS will jointly determine the interconnection circuit design and routing as well as the selection of the switching center from which service will be provided.

End Office Company at rates defined in Section 3 of Attachment I.

4. Transiting

For WESTERN WIRELESS's Local Traffic that is transported to non-Spectra End Offices via a Spectra Tandem Switch, WESTERN WIRELESS will compensate Spectra for the tandem switched traffic between WESTERN WIRELESS and the non-Spectra end office company at rates defined in Section 3 of Attachment 1. WIRELESS agrees that if traffic is sent to Spectra for termination on a non-Spectra End Office Company's network, then WESTERN WIRITLESS shall negotiate a reciprocal compensation or interconnection agreement with such non-Spectra End Office Company. By transporting traffic to non-Spectra End Offices via a Spectra Tandem Switch, Spectra shall not be liable for compensation to the non-Spectra End Office Company, and WESTERN WIRELESS agrees to indemnify and hold Spectra hamiless against any charges or claims for compensation from non-Spectra End Office Compunies for such traffic.

- The charges for Interconnection Facilities shall be determined by Spectra's applicable tariff for such facilities. Where Interconnection Facilities are used for two-way traffic, the applicable recurring charges (if any) will be reduced by a percentage equal to the percentage of traffic on such Interconnection Facilities that originates on Spectra's network and terminates on WESTERN WIRELESS's network. This percentage is referred to as the Land to Mobile Traffic Factor on Attachment I Section 2. This percentage is also referred to, from time to time, in this Agreement, as the Traffic Factor or Traffic Usage Factor. Facilities, within Spectra's exchange area purchased from a third party, if any, will be billed by the ordering Party to the other Party at the appropriate Land to Mobile Traffic Factor percentage for the applicable recurring and non-recurring charges. The Parties agree that, at either Party's request, they will review the initial percentages based on actual usage after the initial six (6) months and after each six month period thereafter and will revise the percentage at that time based on actual traffic patterns during the preceding six (6) months. Any change to the Land to Mobile Traffic Factor will be effective at the beginning of the then current six-month period.
- 5.3 Each Party shall compensate the other for transport and termination of Local Traffic at the reciprocal local network usage rates set forth in Section 3 of Attachment I. Traffic that originates on either Party's network and terminates on the other Parties' network will be charged at the Local Network usage rates set forth in Section 3 of Attachment I.
- 5.4 The Parties will exchange billing information on a monthly basis. If WESTERN WIRELESS does not bill Spectra for eall termination, it can request to be compensated by Spectra for Interconnection Facilities and Local Traffic Usage by using a Reciprocal Compensation Credit until such time WESTERN WIRELESS can provide a billing consistent with OBF industry standards. Spectra will prepare its bill in accordance with its existing CABS billing systems. WESTERN WIRELESS will prepare its bill in accordance with the now current CABS industry standards. The Parties will make an effort to conform to current and future OBF (CABS BOS)

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SIGNATURE PAGE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each Party has executed this Agreement to be effective of the latest date reflected by the signing parties.

WWC License LLC

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Attachment I Rates and Factors'

1. Interconnection Facilities Appropriate tariff. 2. Traffic Factor

Land-to-Mobile 30% Mobile-to-Land 70%

3. Local Network Usage

Reciprocal Compensation

Each party agrees to compensate the other for terminating local service area calls originated on its network.

Rate per terminated MOU¹ \$ 0.012 per minute of use Local Tandem Switching² Tandem switching \$ 0.008562 per minute of use Local transport Termination \$ 0.0012910 per minute of usc Facility \$ 0.0002620 per minute per mile

This rate is a combined transport and termination rate applicable to traffic exchanged between the parties as described in Paragraph 3.1. This traffic may be exchanged via a Type 2 facility or via a third party Tandem Switch.

Spectra may provide transiting of local traffic which is tandem switched and transported by Spectra on behalf of WESTERN WIRELESS to a non-Spectra end office that subtends the Spectra tandem switch. Spectra will be compensated for this transit function at the Local Tandem switching, Transport Termination, and Transport Facility rates.