

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service Commission held at its office in Jefferson City on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2015.

In the Matter of a Proposed Rescission and	)	
Consolidation of Commission Rules	)	<b><u>File No. TX-2015-0097</u></b>
Relating to Telecommunications	)	

**FINDING OF NECESSITY AND ORDER DIRECTING THAT PROPOSED  
RULES BE FILED FOR PUBLICATION**

Issue Date: April 1, 2015

Effective Date: April 1, 2015

The Commission has undertaken this rulemaking to revise its rules relating to telecommunications. The revisions will rescind the Commission's existing telecommunications rules found in Chapters 2, 3, 30, 32, and 33. Many of those rules will be eliminated entirely; those that remain necessary will be incorporated into a new Chapter 28. The Commission finds that the revisions are necessary to bring its rules in line with the changes that have occurred because of the substantial deregulation of the telecommunications industry in the last twenty years.

The Commission has discussed these amendments with interested stakeholders and will seek further comments during the rulemaking process.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The Secretary of the Commission shall file the proposed rule revisions with the Secretary of State for publication in the Missouri Register.

2. This order shall be effective when issued.



**BY THE COMMISSION**

*Morris L. Woodruff*

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Secretary

R. Kenney, Chm., Stoll, W. Kenney,  
Hall and Rupp, CC., concur.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory  
Law Judge