

MEMORANDUM

To: Missouri Public Service Commission Official Case File
Case No. **TO-2008-0347**
Party: Mark Twain Rural Telephone Company
Type of Carrier:
 ILEC
 CLEC
 Wireless

Party: United States Cellular Corporation
Type of Carrier:
 ILEC
 CLEC
 Wireless

From: Walt Cecil, Telecommunications Department

William L. Voight / 5/14/2008 Dennis Frey / 5/14/2008
Utility Operations Division/Date General Counsel Office/Date

Subject: Staff Recommendation for Approval of Interconnection Agreement or
Amendment to Interconnection Agreement

Date: May 14, 2008

Date Filed: April 22, 2008 **Staff Deadline:** May 23, 2008

The Telecommunications Department Staff (Staff) recommends the Parties be granted approval of the submitted:

- Interconnection Agreement
- Amendment not previously approved

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.

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):

The Company is not delinquent in filing an annual report and paying the PSC assessment.

The Company is delinquent. Staff recommends the Commission grant the requested relief/action on the condition the applicant corrects the delinquency. The applicant should be instructed to make the appropriate filing in this case after it has corrected the delinquency.

(No annual report Unpaid PSC assessment. Amount owed:)

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

Application of Mark Twain Rural)
Telephone Company for Approval of an)
Amendment to a Traffic Termination)
Agreement under the Telecommunications)
Act of 1996)

Case No. TO-2008-0347

AFFIDAVIT OF WALT CECIL

STATE OF MISSOURI)
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COUNTY OF COLE)

Walt Cecil, being of lawful age and after being duly sworn, states that he is employed by the Missouri Public Service Commission as a Regulatory Economist in the Telecommunications Department. Mr. Cecil states he has participated in the preparation of the accompanying memorandum and further states the facts and such matters therein are true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Walt Cecil
Walt Cecil

Subscribed and affirmed before me this 14th day of May 2008



SUSAN L. SUNDERMEYER
My Commission Expires
September 21, 2010
Callaway County
Commission #06942086

Susan L. Sundermeyer
NOTARY PUBLIC