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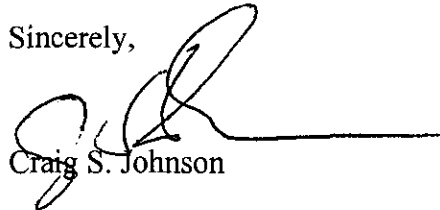
Re: **KAMO Electric Cooperative/Application for Certificate of Service Authority**

Dear Mr. Roberts:

Enclosed for filing please find an original and 14 copies of KAMO Electric Cooperative's Application for Certificates of Authority to provide and resale interexchange and nonswitched local telecommunications service. Also attached to the Application are the initial proposed tariffs for KAMO, with an issue date of September 10, and an effective date of October 26, 46 days after the proposed issuance date.

If any questions or concerns arise with respect to approval of the tariffs and this request for authority, please have the appropriate staff personnel contact me.

Sincerely,


Craig S. Johnson

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Enclosure

cc: Tim McCracken

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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Missouri Public
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In the Matter of the Application of)
KAMO Electric Cooperative, Inc.)
for Certificates of Authority to Provide)
Interexchange and Nonswitched Local)
Telecommunications Services)
within the State of Missouri.)

Case No. TA-2000-224

APPLICATION

Comes now KAMO Electric Cooperative, Inc., pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.060 and submits this Application. Applicant hereby applies for competitive classification of itself and its services, and requests Certificates of Service Authority to provide and resell interexchange and nonswitched local telecommunications services within the state of Missouri, and requests the standard waiver of statutes and rules granted competitive companies and services. In support of this Application, Applicant states the following:

1. Applicant is an Oklahoma corporation doing business as a rural electric cooperative, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Oklahoma. Applicant is authorized to do business in the state of Missouri, as shown in the certificate from the Missouri Secretary of State, attached as Exhibit 1 hereto.

2. Applicant's registered agent, principal office and place of business is:

Registered Agent:

Chris Hoberock
123 North Main
P. O. Box 287

Nevada, Mo 64772

Principal Office and Place of Business:

KAMO Electric Cooperative, Inc.
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P.O. Box 577
Vinita, OK 74301

3. Communications, pleadings, and correspondence pertaining to this Application should be addressed and delivered to:

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4. Applicant hereby requests certificates of service authority to provide interexchange and nonswitched local telecommunications services, including the resale thereof, within the state of Missouri pursuant to §§ 392.410, 392.420, and 392.430 RSMo.

5. Applicant hereby requests that it and its services be classified as competitive services pursuant to ' 392.361 RSMo. Applicant initially intends to provide fiber capacity and services on fiber facilities to other carriers and to end users, as well as assisting its member-owner rural electric

cooperatives in providing fiber capacity and technology to rural consumers and educational institutions.

6. Applicant hereby requests, pursuant to § 392.420 RSMo, the standard waivers of the following rules and statutory provisions regarding the regulation of Applicant as a competitive telecommunications carrier:

STATUTES

392.240 (1) RSMO	Rate
392.270 RSMo	Valuation of Property
392.280 RSMo	Depreciation
392.290 RSMo	Issuance securities
392.310 RSMo	Issuance securities
392.320 RSMo	Stock dividends
392.330 RSMo	Disposition stock proceeds
392.340 RSMo	Reorganization

RULES

4 CSR 240-10.020	Income on Deprec Invest
4 CSR 240-30.010 (2) (C)	Rate schedules
4 CSR 240-30.040	Uniform system of accounts
4 CSR 240-32.030 (1) (B)	Exchange maps
4 CSR 240-32.030 (1) (C)	Applications
4 CSR 240-32.030 (2)	Records
4 CSR 240-32.050 (3-6)	Records
4 CSR 240-32.070 (4)	Coin telephone
4 CSR 240-33.030	Minimum charges
4 CSR 240-33.040 (5)	Delinquent charges

7. Applicant files herewith as Exhibit 2 its initial tariffs with a proposed effective date 45 days after the filing of this Application.

8. Applicant possesses sufficient technical, financial, and managerial resources and

abilities to provide the interexchange and nonswitched local telecommunications services for which certification is requested. Applicant is a generation and transmission rural electric cooperative providing power in the states of Oklahoma and Missouri for over 50 years, with assets in excess of \$ 300,000,000 and more than 100 employees.

9. Applicant will comply with all applicable Commission rules and regulations for which waiver is not granted.

10. The granting of this application is in the public interest, as it will increase the number of suppliers, technologies available, and customer choices for interexchange and local services in Missouri.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that the Commission grant Applicant the certificates of service authority requested, the waivers of statutes and rules requested, and approve the tariffs filed herewith, together with such other and further relief that the Commission deems appropriate.

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ATTORNEYS FOR APPLICANT

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true copy of the foregoing was mailed first class, postage prepaid this 9th day of September, 1999, to MoPSC Staff General Counsel, and to the Office of Public Counsel.



Craig S. Johnson

State of Oklahoma)

) SS.

County of Craig)

Comes now Tom Hayes, being of lawful age and duly sworn, swears and affirms that:

1. My name is Tom Hayes. I am the Director of Construction, Right of Way, Contracts, and Attorney in Fact for KAMO Electric Cooperative Inc. In that capacity I am authorized to apply for certificates of service authority for KAMO Electric Cooperative Inc. to provide nonswitched local and interexchange telecommunications services within the state of Missouri.

2. The information contained in this Application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

3. KAMO Electric Cooperative Inc. has authorized Craig S. Johnson and the firm of Andereck, Evans, Milne, Peace, and Baumhoer, LLC to file and prosecute this application before the Missouri Public Service Commission.

Tom Hayes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Sept
1999.

Betty B. Layley
Notary Public

My Commission expires 2-6-2007

STATE OF MISSOURI



Rebecca McDowell Cook
Secretary of State

CORPORATION DIVISION

CERTIFICATE OF CORPORATE GOOD STANDING - FOREIGN CORPORATION

I, REBECCA McDOWELL COOK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE RECORDS IN MY OFFICE AND IN MY CARE AND CUSTODY REVEAL THAT

KAMO ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

USING IN MISSOURI THE NAME

KAMO ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC.

AN OKLAHOMA CORPORATION FILED ITS EVIDENCE OF INCORPORATION WITH THIS STATE ON THE 26TH DAY OF MAY, 1941, AND IS IN GOOD STANDING, HAVING FULLY COMPLIED WITH ALL REQUIREMENTS OF THIS OFFICE.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE SET MY HAND AND IMPRINTED THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, ON THIS, THE 1ST DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1999.


Secretary of State

