

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Nationwide)
Long Distance Service, Inc., for a Certificate of)
Service Authority to Provide Interexchange)
Telecommunications Services)

Case No. XA-2006-0409

ORDER GRANTING LEAVE TO APPEAR

Issue Date: April 24, 2006

Effective Date: April 24, 2006

On April 20, 2006, in a petition accompanying the application of Nationwide Long Distance Service, Inc., for a certificate of service authority, Lance J. M. Steinhart requests leave to appear on behalf of Nationwide before the Commission. Mr. Steinhart is a member in good standing of the bar in Georgia and New York. He is not, however, admitted to practice in Missouri. The petition designates Judith A. Rau, a member of the Missouri bar, as associate counsel. A receipt indicating payment of the fees required by Missouri Supreme Court rule was attached to the motion.

The request for leave to appear complies with the requirements of 4 CSR 240-2.040(3)(C), and Missouri Supreme Court Rules 6.01(m) and 9.03. Mr. Steinhart will be allowed to appear on behalf of Nationwide Long Distance Service, Inc.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The petition by Lance J. M. Steinhart for leave to appear on behalf of Nationwide Long Distance Service, Inc., is granted.

2. This order shall become effective on April 24, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Steven C. Reed, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant
to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 24th day of April, 2006.