

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

Application of Talk America Inc., to Purchase the)
Stock of LDMI Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a)
LDMI Telecommunications and Long Distance of)
Michigan, Inc. d/b/a FoneTel.)

Case No. XM-2005-0492

**ORDER DIRECTING STAFF TO INDICATE WHEN IT CAN FILE A
RECOMMENDATION**

Issue Date: June 16, 2005

Effective Date: June 16, 2005

On June 14, 2005, Talk America Inc., filed an application requesting that the Commission approve a transaction whereby Talk America will purchase the stock of LDMI Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a LDMI Telecommunications and Long Distance of Michigan, Inc. d/b/a FoneTel. So that it will be aware of the pace of developments in this case, the Commission will direct its Staff to file a pleading indicating when it will be able to file its recommendation regarding the application.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the Staff of the Commission shall, no later than July 1, 2005, file a pleading advising the Commission when Staff will be able to file its recommendation regarding the application of Talk America, Inc.

2. That this order shall become effective on June 16, 2005.

BY THE COMMISSION

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

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Morris L. Woodruff, Senior Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 16th day of June, 2005.