BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the Certificate of Service Authority and Tariff of Texas HomeTel, Inc. d/b/a 877-Ring-Again

Case No. CD-2007-0420

ORDER CANCELING CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY AND TARIFF

Issue Date: May 18, 2007

Effective Date: May 28, 2007

On April 30, 2007, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission filed a motion to cancel the certificate of service authority granted to Texas HomeTel, Inc. d/b/a 877-Ring-Again. Staff states that the Commission granted Ring-Again a certificate of service authority to provide basic local telecommunications services on March 29, 2001, in Case No. TA-2001-380, and subsequently approved the company's tariff.

Staff further states that the company has requested that its certificate of service authority be canceled because it has no customers in the state of Missouri. Staff adds that according to the Secretary of State's website, the company's authority to do business in the state was revoked on April 25, 2005 because the company failed to file its Annual Registration Report

Under Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(15) parties shall not be allowed more than ten days in which to file a responsive pleading. More than ten days have expired since Staff filed its motion and Ring-Again has not responded.

Section 392.410.5, RSMo 2000, states: "Any certificate of service authority may be altered or modified by the commission after notice and hearing, upon its own motion or upon application of the person or company affected...." The Commission has reviewed Staff's motion and finds that granting the motion is reasonable. The Commission will therefore cancel the certificate of service authority granted to Ring-Again in Case No. TA-2001-380 and the company's tariff.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The certificate of service authority to provide basic local telecommunications services granted to Texas HomeTel, Inc. d/b/a 877-Ring-Again, in Case No. TA-2001-380 is canceled.

2. The tariff, Missouri PSC No. 1, approved for Texas HomeTel, Inc. d/b/a 877-Ring-Again is canceled.

- 3. This order shall become effective on May 28, 2007.
- 4. This case shall be closed on May 29, 2007.

BY THE COMMISSION

Colleen M. Dale Secretary

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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 18th day of May, 2007.