

# BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Modern Dial                     )  
Tone for Registration to Provide Interconnected                     )  
Voice Over Internet Protocol Service                                     )       **File No. DA-2016-0127**

## **ORDER REJECTING FILING**

Issue Date: December 24, 2015

Effective Date: December 24, 2015

On November 24, 2015, Modern Dial Tone filed an affidavit related to an application for registration to provide interconnected voice over Internet protocol (“IVoIP”) service with the Missouri Public Service Commission indicating its intention to offer and provide IVoIP services in the State of Missouri. The Commission must reject the filing made on November 24, 2015.

The affidavit filed with the Commission was not sufficient as an application. The filing was not signed by at least one attorney of record authorized to practice law in Missouri, as required by Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(2). In addition, the affidavit failed to provide the exchanges in which the company proposes to provide IVoIP service, pursuant to §392.550.3(2), RSMo.

On December 10, 2015, the Commission issued a Notice of Deficiency allowing the company to correct the deficiencies by December 21, 2015. No response was filed. Thus, the affidavit filing will be rejected by the Commission.

### **THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The affidavit filed by Modern Dial Tone on November 24, 2015, is rejected.
2. This order shall become effective upon issuance.

3. This case may be closed.



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

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 24th day of December, 2015.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary