

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

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the
Registration to Provide Interconnected
Voice over Internet Protocol Services to
Tekscape, Inc.

File No. DD-2024-0012

MOTION TO CANCEL REGISTRATION OF SERVICE AUTHORITY

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Staff”) and moves for the Missouri Public Service Commission (“Commission”) to cancel the certificate of service authority to provide Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) service in the State of Missouri of Tekscape, Inc., (“Company”) and states:

1. The Commission previously granted a certificate of service authority to the Company to provide VoIP service authority in exchanges in the State of Missouri in Case No. DA-2019-0020, effective August 20, 2018.

2. According to the Company's July 24, 2023 filing in the above-captioned cause, the Company "has no customers in Missouri" and "is ceasing to exist as a VoIP provider."

3. The Company therefore requests the Commission cancel its authority to provide VoIP service “immediately or no later than ... August 23, 2023.”

4. The Commission has the authority to cancel a telecommunications certificate, or registration, pursuant to § 392.410.5, RSMo, which provides “[a]ny 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.”

5. The Commission need not hold a hearing, if, after proper notice and opportunity to intervene, no party requests such a hearing. *State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Enterprises, Inc. v. Public Service Commission*, 776 S.W.2d 494 (Mo.App. W.D. 1989).

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, Staff respectfully recommends the Commission cancel the certificate of service authority to provide VoIP service in the State of Missouri of Tekscope, Inc., and to grant such other and further relief as is just and reasonable under the circumstances.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served by electronic mail, or First Class United States Postal Mail, postage prepaid, on this 16th day of August, 2023, to all counsel of record.

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