

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of Access One, Inc.,)
for a Certificate of Service Authority to Provide)
Resold Basic Local Telecommunications Services in) **Case No. CA-2006-0357**
Portions of the State of Missouri and to Classify)
Such Services and the Company as Competitive.)

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER

Issue Date: March 21, 2006

Effective Date: March 21, 2006

This order grants the request for the Commission's standard protective order.

Access One, Inc., filed an application for authority to provide resold basic local exchange telecommunications services on March 16, 2006. On the same date, the company filed a Motion for Protective Order. Access One requested that proprietary financial information that it intends to file in support of its application be subject to a protective order. Specifically, protection is requested for financial statements for Access One, a privately held company that is not subject to public reporting requirements. The motion states that the information to be protected is not known outside of Access One and that disclosure of the information would cause material damage to the company's competitive and financial position, in that it would provide the company's competitors with sensitive data respecting Access One's sales, customer usage, and financing strategies.

Upon review of the company's motion, the Commission finds that there is a need to protect confidential information and the request for a protective order is reasonable. The Commission has previously recognized the need to protect confidential information, and the

issuance of protective orders has helped to minimize disputes in past cases. Therefore, the Commission concludes that a protective order shall be granted.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Motion for Protective Order filed by Access One, Inc., on March 16, 2006, is granted, and the protective order attached to this order (Attachment A) adopted.
2. This order shall become effective on March 21, 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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Nancy Dippell, Deputy Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 21st day of March, 2006.