

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

JACOR CONTRACTING, INC.,)	
)	
Complainant,)	
)	
v.)	
)	
NUVOX COMMUNICATIONS OF)	
MISSOURI, INC.,)	<u>Case No. CC-2009-0128</u>
)	
and,)	
)	
SOUTHWESTERN BELL COMMUNICATIONS)	
COMPANY D/B/A AT&T MISSOURI)	
)	
Respondents.)	

ORDER DIRECTING RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR MEDIATION

Issue Date: October 21, 2008

Effective Date: October 21, 2008

On October 9, 2008,¹ JACOR Contracting, Inc., (“JACOR”), filed a complaint with the Commission against NuVox Communications of Missouri, Inc. (“NuVox”) and Southwestern Bell Communications Company d/b/a AT&T Missouri (“AT&T Missouri”).

On October 21, AT&T Missouri filed a request for mediation, indicating its willingness to enter into third-party mediation. Also on October 21, NuVox filed a response to AT&T Missouri’s request indicating it was willing to mediate this dispute. Before proceeding further, the Commission will allow the Complainant an opportunity to indicate whether it is also willing to enter into mediation regarding the complaint.

¹ All dates throughout this order refer to the year 2008 unless otherwise noted.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. No later than November 3, 2008, JACOR Contracting, Inc. shall file a response to Southwestern Bell Communications Company's request for voluntary mediation, indicating whether it is willing to enter into such mediation.
2. The time allowed for Southwestern Bell Communications Company and NuVox Communications of Missouri, Inc. to file answers to the complaint is tolled until JACOR Contracting, Inc. has responded to the offer to mediate.
3. This order shall become effective immediately upon issuance.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Harold Stearley, Senior Regulatory Law Judge
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 21st day of October, 2008.