

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

In the Matter of the Application of Mercury Voice and	)	
Data Company for a Certificate of Service Authority	)	
to Provide Basic Local, Local and Interexchange	)	
Voice Service in Portions of the State of Missouri	)	<b><u>Case No. CA-2006-0483</u></b>
and to Classify Said Services and the Company as	)	
Competitive.	)	

**ORDER ESTABLISHING PROTECTIVE ORDER**

Issue Date: June 20, 2006

Effective Date: June 20, 2006

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

On June 16, 2006, Mercury Voice and Data Company filed a Motion for Protective Order. In its motion, Mercury requests that the Commission issue its standard protective order to protect highly confidential and proprietary information from disclosure during the course of these proceedings.

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

**IT IS ORDERED THAT:**

1. The protective order attached to this order (Attachment A) is adopted.

2. This order shall become effective on June 20, 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

( S E A L )

Cherlyn D. Voss, Regulatory Law Judge,  
by delegation of authority pursuant to  
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,  
on this 20th day of June, 2006.