

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

In the Matter of the Application of Wholesale)
Carrier Services, Inc., for a Certificate of)
Service Authority to Provide Resold Facilities-)
Based/UNE Basic Local Telecommunications)
Services in Portions of the State of Missouri)
and to Classify Such Services and the Company)
As Competitive)

Case No. CA-2008-0135

STAFF'S STATUS REPORT FOR DATE TO FILE RECOMMENDATION

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff"), by and through counsel, and for its *Status Report for Date to File Recommendation* states the following:

1. On November 26, 2007, the Commission issued its *Order Directing Staff to File a Recommendation or Status Report* in which Staff was ordered to file either "a recommendation, or a status report regarding its recommendation no later than December 10, 2007," regarding Wholesale Carrier services, Inc.'s ("Company") application for certificates of service authority and competitive classification.

2. Staff has requested supplemental financial information from the Company to fairly evaluate the application. The Company has informed Staff that this information is being actively collected. Once this information has been received, Staff will review and then produce a Staff Recommendation.

3. Therefore, Staff respectfully asks the Commission to establish a Staff recommendation filing date of January 10, 2008.

WHEREFORE, the Staff respectfully requests the Commission establish a Staff recommendation filing date of January 10, 2008, regarding the Company's application for certificates of service authority and competitive classification.

Respectfully Submitted,

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I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 20th day of December 2007.

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