BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of Proposed Modifications to the Missouri Universal Service Fund

File No. TO-2019-0346

ORDER DIRECTING FILING

Issue Date: June 19, 2019

Effective Date: June 19, 2019

On May 15, 2019, the Commission opened this case to consider the Missouri Universal Service Fund ("USF") support amount and assessment. The Commission did so at the request of its Staff, and the Commission has received stakeholder comments. The Commission will now order its Staff to report on the probable impact on the USF of certain scenarios.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The Staff of the Commission shall report on the likely impact on the Missouri Universal Service Fund of a Commission decision granting Staff's recommendation of increasing the support amount as listed in Staff's May 10, 2019 recommendation in combination with no change in the assessment rate.

2. The Staff of the Commission shall also report on the likely impact on the Missouri Universal Service Fund of a Commission decision granting Staff's recommendation of increasing the support amount as listed in Staff's May 10, 2019 recommendation in combination with reducing the assessment rate at both 25% of the level and 50% of the level recommended in Staff's May 10, 2019 recommendation.

- 3. The Staff of the Commission shall file its report, or alternative pleading, no later than July 8, 2019.
 - 4. Any other party wishing to respond shall do so no later than July 15, 2019.
 - 5. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

Ronald D. Pridgin, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 19th day of June, 2019.

STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 19th day of June 2019.



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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,

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Morris L. Woodruff Secretary

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