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BEFORE

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THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

WOOSTER DAILY RECORD,

Complainant,

v.

UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY

OF OHIO d/b/a SPRINT,

Respondent.

Case No. 00-1386-TP-CSS

MOTION TO DISMISS

OF

UNITED TELEPHONE COMPANY OF OHIO

d/b/a SPRINT

United Telephone Company of Ohio d/b/a Sprint ("Sprint") respectfully moves the Commission to dismiss this matter because the Complainant is likely a corporation and is not represented by counsel as required by OAC § 4901-1-08.

On July 28, 2000, Brandy S. Kern, Accounting Manager with the Wooster Daily Record ("Wooster"), filed a complaint against Sprint on behalf of Wooster.

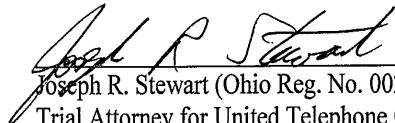
OAC § 4901-1-08 requires that corporations must be represented by an attorney-at-law. The Complaint does not indicate that Ms. Kern is an attorney. Accordingly, she may not represent Wooster in a proceeding before the Commission if Wooster is a corporation.

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In conclusion, the Complaint must be dismissed because the Complainant,
a corporation, is not represented by an attorney at law.

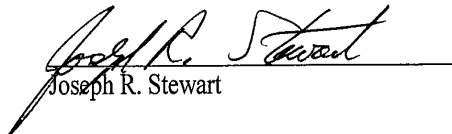
Respectfully submitted,



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Joseph R. Stewart