

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Commission, on) RULE AND REGULATION NO. 198
its own motion, seeking to amend)
Title 291, Chapter 7, Transmission)
Lines Rules and Regulations, to)
adopt the 2017 edition of the) ORDER ISSUING CERTIFICATE OF
National Electrical Safety Code as) ADOPTION FOR PROPOSED RULES
the official rules of the Commission)
for the construction, operation, and)
maintenance of overhead and)
underground electric transmission)
lines.) ENTERED: November 21, 2016

BY THE COMMISSION:

On October 4, 2016, the Commission entered an order opening the above-captioned proceeding to amend Title 291, Chapter 7, Transmission Lines Rules and Regulations, to adopt the 2017 edition of the National Electrical Safety Code as the official rules of the Commission for the construction, operation, and maintenance of overhead and underground electric transmission lines. A hearing was held on the proposed rules on November 8, 2016 in the Commission Hearing Room, 1200 N Street, Suite 300, Lincoln, Nebraska. Notice of the hearing was published in The Daily Record, Omaha Nebraska, the Omaha World Herald, and the Lincoln Journal Star.

The Commission received no written comments and no parties offered testimony at the hearing, therefore, the Commission finds that the proposed rules in Appendix A, hereby incorporated by reference, should be adopted.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that a certificate of adoption for the proposed rules as set forth in Appendix A attached to this order be issued.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE in Lincoln, Nebraska on this 21st day of November, 2016.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Crystal L. Lueders

Red Johnson

//s//Frank E. Landis
//s//Tim Schram

Tim Schram
Chairman

ATTEST:

Jeffrey L. Puley
Executive Director

APPENDIX A

1. Amend rule 001.01 to read as follows:

001.01 Power Lines to Comply with National Electrical Safety Code: For the purposes of implementing Chapter 75, Article 7, of the Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, Transmission Lines Rules and Regulations, the ~~2012~~2017 edition of the National Electrical Safety Code as modified by the Commission (and incorporated herein by reference and available for viewing at the Nebraska Public Service Commission, 300 The Atrium, 1200 "N" Street, Lincoln, Nebraska 68508) shall be the official rules of the Commission for the construction, operation, and maintenance of overhead and underground electric transmission lines, except when such rules and regulations conflict with the laws of Nebraska or the special rules and regulations of the Commission.