

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of Aquila, Inc., ) Application No. NG-0041  
d/b/a Aquila Networks (Aquila), )  
Omaha, seeking individual )  
general rate increases for Aquila's ) ASSESSMENT ORDER NO. HS-002  
Rate Area One, Rate Area Two, and )  
Rate Area Three. )  
) Entered: January 30, 2007

BY THE COMMISSION:

The Commission has received an invoice dated January 2, 2007, from Harding & Shultz for costs associated with the above-captioned docket, totaling \$3,754.89. Commission staff has reviewed the invoice and found it to conform to the Agreement for the Base Public Advocate Services dated November 15, 2004, between the Commission and Harding, Shultz & Downs. Commission staff recommends the Commission approve assessment of the expenses reflected on the invoice from Aquila, Inc., d/b/a Aquila Networks (Aquila), pursuant to *Neb. Rev. Stat.* sec. 66-1840.

## O P I N I O N            A N D            F I N D I N G S

Upon the recommendation of the Commission staff, the Commission finds that assessment from Aquila of the expenses reflected in the above-mentioned invoice from Harding & Shultz should be approved. The Commission further finds that the Commission should pay the invoice upon receipt of payment by Aquila.

## O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Commission that the above-mentioned assessment is approved and hereby made and that payment of the above-mentioned amount be made upon receipt of payment by Aquila, Inc.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 30th day of January, 2007.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Gerald My  
Anne C. Boyle  
Jim Schran

//s// Rod Johnson  
//s// Frank E. Landis

Chairman

Chairman: *Reg Johnson*

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Executive Director