

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Nebraska ) Application No. NUSF-26  
Public Service Commission, on its ) ORDER EXTENDING TIME FOR  
own Motion, seeking to establish a ) COMMENTS AND RESETTling  
long-term universal service ) HEARING  
Funding mechanism. ) Entered: September 20, 2002

BY THE HEARING OFFICER:

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

This matter comes before the Nebraska Public Service Commission (Commission) upon a motion for continuance and request for an extension of time filed by the Nebraska Hospital Association on September 17, 2002.

Upon review of this motion, I find that the Nebraska Hospital Association has demonstrated sufficient cause to continue the hearing and extend the time frame for filing their plan. Accordingly, the hearing should be rescheduled for November 5, 2002 at 10:00. The deadline for filing comments, plans or methodologies will be extended to October 24, 2002.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Hearing Officer that the time frame for filing comments, plans or methodologies shall be extended to no later than 5:00 p.m., October 24, 2002 and that the hearing date be reset for November 5, 2002.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 20th day of September, 2002.

BY:

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Frank E. Landis  
HEARING OFFICER