

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Commission)	Application No. NUSF-32.04
on its own motion, seeking to)	
conduct an inquiry into the)	
failure of various companies to)	ORDER DISMISSING SHOW CAUSE
comply with Commission Orders)	ORDER AGAINST MCI WORLDCOM
and, at its own discretion,)	COMMUNICATIONS
impose administrative fines)	
against the named defendants.)	Entered: May 11, 2005

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

On March 22, 2005, the Commission opened this docket, initiating a show cause proceeding against certain carriers for failing to timely file an audit with the Commission pursuant to NUSF-1, Progression Order No. 7.

On March 28, 2000, the Commission entered an order in NUSF-1, Progression Order No. 7, requiring all companies whose revenues, subject to an assessment of the Nebraska Universal Service Fund (NUSF) surcharge, are greater than \$1,000,000 in a NUSF fiscal year, shall have all information used for the determination of intrastate retail telecommunications services revenue subject to the NUSF surcharge, audited on an annual basis. This audit is to be performed by an independent third party, with audit results for a calendar year due before the end of the next calendar year.

MCI Worldcom Communications (MCI) has now filed the required audit. MCI entered into a stipulation with the NUSF Director and has paid its fine in accordance with the Commission's fine schedule. The Commission hereby approves the stipulation and dismisses the Show Cause proceeding initiated against MCI. The Commission further finds that MCI is not required to appear before the Commission at the hearing scheduled on May 11, 2005.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Show Cause proceeding initiated against MCI Worldcom Communications on March 22, 2005 be, and is hereby dismissed.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 11th day of
May, 2005.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Deputy Director