

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Nebraska        ) Application No. C-3702/NUSF-  
Public Service Commission, on        ) 60/PI-123  
its own motion, seeking to         )  
investigate Clarks                    ) ORDER RESCHEDULING HEARING  
Telecommunications Company's         )  
Access Rates.                         ) November 28, 2006

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

The Commission previously scheduled a hearing in this matter for December 4, 2006. Clarks Telecommunications Company, the Nebraska Telecommunications Infrastructure and Public Safety (NTIPs) Department and the Communications Department agreed by stipulation to move the hearing date back so that the outcome of the NUSF-50 proceeding may be made known prior to the hearing date. The Commission hereby approves the stipulation and moves this hearing to **January 19, 2007**, commencing at 10:00 a.m. This hearing will be held in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium Building, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska. Exhibits shall be exchanged on or before January 12, 2007.

In addition, the Commission held a pre-hearing conference in the above-captioned matter on November 20, 2006, as scheduled by the Order opening this investigation. Appearances were entered by Paul Schudel, Woods & Aitken LLP, 301 South 13<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 500, Lincoln, NE 68508, on behalf of Clarks Telecommunications Company and by Shana Knutson on behalf of the Commission staff. Clarks and the Commission staff discussed issues to be addressed at the hearing and timing for the exchange of exhibits. It was decided that exhibits should be exchanged between the parties and the Commission staff one week prior to the hearing date. Qwest Corporation filed a Petition of Formal Intervention but did not appear at the pre-hearing conference. Upon consideration of Qwest Corporation's Petition for Intervention, the Commission finds the Petition should be granted.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the hearing date for this investigation be moved to **January 19, 2007**, as described above.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that exhibits shall be exchanged on or before January 12, 2007.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Qwest Corporation's Petition for Formal Intervention in this case be and it is hereby granted.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 28th day of November, 2006.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director