BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Petition of)	Application No. NUSF-77.07
the Nebraska Telecommunications)	Progression Order No. 5
Association for investigation)	
and review of processes and)	
procedures regarding the)	APPLICATION WITHDRAWN, IN
Nebraska Universal Service Fund:)	PART
Application to the Nebraska)	
Broadband Pilot Program (NEBP))	
received from CenturyLink.)	
)	Entered: March 27, 2012

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

On February 1, 2012, CenturyLink filed four applications for support under the Nebraska Broadband Pilot (NEBP) Program. Notice of the applications appeared in the <u>Daily Record</u>, Omaha, Nebraska on February 7, 2012.

On March 15, 2012, the Commission received a letter from CenturyLink requesting to withdraw its application in part, with regard to service in the Elkhorn area. This withdrawal does not affect CenturyLink's other applications for Alliance (Rainbow Acres), Sidney (Sioux Meadows), Gretna (Thousand Oaks), and Omaha (Calhoun).

Based upon this letter, the Commission finds CenturyLink's request should be granted and the application related to the Elkhorn area is withdrawn.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that CenturyLink's application for support under the Nebraska Broadband Pilot Program for service to the Elkhorn area be, and it is hereby, withdrawn.

 ${\tt MADE}$ AND ${\tt ENTERED}$ at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 27th day of March, 2012.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director

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//s// Rod Johnson