

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re Disposition of Property Tax) Application No. C-931
Revenues For Taxable Year 1991 By Cer-)
tain Affected Telecommunications Com-) C-931(44)
panies:) C-931(67)
) C-931(68)
)
) ORDER DISMISSING
) RESPONDENTS FROM DOCKET
Convergent Communications, Inc.;)
Vicom, Inc.; and WATS/800, Inc.)
) Entered: July 21, 1992

PRELIMINARY MATTERS

The Commission on its own motion opened this docket May 14, 1992 to consider plans submitted by certain affected telecommunications companies for the disposition of revenues resulting from decreases in taxable year 1991 personal property taxes. This docket is governed by Neb. Rev. Stat. §86-803(9) (1991 Supp.). Notice of hearing was sent to the above-named parties-respondents May 29, 1992 by the Executive Director and hearings were scheduled for July 21, 1992.

BY THE COMMISSION

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

The Commission, being fully advised, finds that Convergent Communications, Inc., Vicom, Inc., and WATS/800, Inc. are providers of interexchange reseller telecommunications services in Nebraska. Based on the affidavits filed by the respondents, we conclude they do not own or lease any personal property in Nebraska subject to personal property taxation, nor have the respondents had any personal property taxes assessed by the various taxing authorities in Nebraska. Therefore, the respondents should be dismissed from this docket since no plan for disposition is required for the 1991 taxable year. Further, the hearings scheduled for July 21, 1992 should be cancelled.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Convergent Communications, Inc., Vicom, Inc., and WATS/800, Inc. be, and they are hereby, dismissed from the C-931 docket since they do not own or lease personal property in Nebraska subject to personal property taxation, nor have they had any personal property taxes assessed by the various taxing authorities in Nebraska. The respondents are therefore not subject to a plan for revenue disposition for the 1991 taxable year per the requirements of Neb. Rev. Stat.

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§86-803(9) (1991 Supp.) and the terms set forth in this docket .

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the July 21, 1992 hearings scheduled for the respondents be, and they are hereby, cancelled.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 21st day of July, 1992.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING

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//s//James F. Munnelly
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ATTEST:

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Acting Executive Director