BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of) the Henderson Cooperative Telephone) Company to revise the exchange area) boundary of its Henderson, Nebraska) exchange and the Sutton exchange of) the Lincoln Telephone Company.

) Application No. C-1013

GRANTED AND BOUNDARY DETERMINED

) Entered: September 14, 1993

BY THE COMMISSION

Henderson Cooperative Telephone Company ("Henderson") filed an application to open this docket July 8, 1993. The applicant seeks an order from the Commission altering the boundary between its Henderson exchange and the Sutton exchange of the Lincoln Telephone Company ("LT&T"). Notice of the application was published in the Omaha Daily Record July 15, 1993. No one protested the application and it will therefore be processed by modified procedure.

OPINION AND FINDINGS

Henderson is a cooperative telephone company duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Nebraska with its principal place of business in Henderson, Nebraska. LT&T is a corporation organized and existing under the law of this State also and is governed as a local exchange carrier, as is Henderson, by Chapter 75 and Chapter 86 of the Nebraska state statutes and by this Commission. Specifically, this application is governed by Neb. Rev. Stats. §§75-612 to 75-615 (Reissue 1990).

Two LT&T subscribers have requested local exchange service from Henderson. This entails a shift in the present boundary between the two companies in the Henderson and Sutton exchanges.

Henderson proposes that the boundary between the two exchanges extending through Hamilton and York counties be revised as shown by the lines circled and identified on Exhibit B and incorporated herein as part of this order. Henderson filed a copy of a letter received from LT&T agreeing to the proposed boundary change and releasing the two subscribers in question (Exhibit C).

There will be no duplication of facilities nor will Henderson or LT&T be impeded in their ability to serve their remaining subscribers. There does not appear to be any economic impairment to either company since the subscribers have agreed

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to pay abandonment and removal costs to LT&T for buried plant and facilities.

Upon consideration of the circumstances and being fully advised, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that a boundary has been agreed upon by the companies which transfers two subscribers from LT&T's Sutton exchange to the Henderson exchange of Henderson Cooperative Telephone Company. Both companies should be ordered to file revised service area maps showing the area in question (see Exhibit B) to be in the Henderson exchange.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that a boundary, as determined in Application No. C-1013 and conforming to the service area identified in Exhibit B, be drawn placing said service area within the Henderson exchange of the Henderson Cooperative Telephone Company.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that revised service area maps be filed by the Henderson Cooperative Telephone Company and the Lincoln Telephone Company showing the area in question to be in the Henderson exchange of the Henderson Cooperative Telephone Company.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 14th day of September, 1993.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Commissioners Concurring

ATTEST:

//s//Rod Johnson

//s//Frank E. Landis, Jr.

//s//James F. Munnelly

Executive Director

