

SECRETARY'S RECORD, PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-5186
of CenturyLink Communications,)
LLC, Overland Park, Kansas,)
seeking approval to add the) GRANTED
trade names Lumen, Lumen)
Technologies and Lumen)
Technologies Group.) Entered: January 5, 2021

BY THE COMMISSION:

On November 11, 2020, an application was filed by CenturyLink Communications, LLC of Overland Park, Kansas, seeking to add the trade names Lumen, Lumen Technologies, and Lumen Technologies Group. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on November 16, 2020. No protests were filed; therefore, we process this application pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

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

CenturyLink Communications, LLC is authorized to provide local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services in Nebraska.¹ In the present application, CenturyLink Communications, LLC requests that the Commission enter an order approving the trade names of Lumen, Lumen Technologies, and Lumen Technologies Group.

¹ See *In the Matter of the Application of Southern Pacific Telecommunications Co. of Denver, Colorado seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a provider of telecommunications services in the state of Nebraska*. Application No. C-1121, GRANTED (December 20, 1994); *In The Matter Of The Application of One Tel Inc. of Long Beach, California, Seeking Authority To Operate as an Interexchange Carrier of Telecommunications Services Within the State of Nebraska*, Application No. C-2273, GRANTED (June 29, 2000), and *In the Matter of the Application of Qwest Communications Corporation Seeking Authority to Operate as a Competitive Local Exchange Carrier of Telecommunications Services within the State of Nebraska*, Application No. C-3201, GRANTED (December 14, 2004). See also *In the Matter of the Joint Application of Qwest Communications Company, LLC d/b/a CenturyLink QCC, Denver, Colorado, and certain of its IXC and CLEC Subsidiaries and Affiliates for Corporate Reorganization and a Name Change of Qwest Communications Company, LLC to CenturyLink Communications LLC*, Application No. C-4656, GRANTED (February 25, 2014),

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CenturyLink Communications, LLC has received authority from the Secretary of State to use the new name. Based on the evidence adduced, the Commission is of the opinion the application is in the public interest and should be granted.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-5186 be, and it is hereby, granted and the request of CenturyLink Communications, LLC to add the trade names of Lumen, Lumen Technologies, and Lumen Technologies Group, is approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Applicant file an updated tariff reflecting the change in name within thirty (30) days of the date of this order.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 5th day of January, 2021.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Rod Johnson
Crystal Hender
Tim Schram
Don Watson

Mary Kadden
Chair

ATTEST:

Michael S. Hyatt
Executive Director