

# SECRETARY'S RECORD, PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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## BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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| In the Matter of the Application | ) | Application No. C-5398 |
| of Arlington Telephone Company,  | ) |                        |
| Blair, Nebraska, seeking         | ) |                        |
| approval of an Interconnection   | ) | APPROVED               |
| Agreement with Level 3           | ) |                        |
| Communications, LLC, Broomfield, | ) |                        |
| Colorado.                        | ) | Entered: June 7, 2022  |

BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed April 28, 2022, Arlington Telephone Company of Blair, NE ("ATC") seeks approval of an Interconnection Agreement with Level 3 Communications, LLC of Broomfield, CO ("Level 3"). Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on May 5, 2022. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

Pursuant to Section 252(a) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the Act), ATC and Level 3 entered into an Interconnection Agreement arrived at through voluntary negotiations. An executed copy of this agreement was contained within the application.

Neither the agreement nor any portion thereof discriminates against any telecommunications carrier. Furthermore, the implementation of the amendment is consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.

Section 252(e) of the Act requires this Commission to review interconnection agreements adopted by negotiation or arbitration to ensure they comply with Sections 251 and 252(d) of the Act, as well as all applicable state laws. Using those standards, the agreement should be approved.

## O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Interconnection Agreement between Arlington Telephone Company and Level 3 Communications, LLC be, and is hereby, approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the executed Interconnection Agreement filed herein be, and is hereby, made the official copy on file with the Nebraska Public Service Commission.

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ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 7th day of June, 2022.

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COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

*Rod Johnson*  
*Crystal Brader*  
*Mary Kadden*  
*Tim Schram*

*Don Watson*

Chair

ATTEST:

*Thomas W. Golden*  
Executive Director