

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application)	Application No. C-169
of The Lincoln Telephone and Tele-	
graph Company, Lincoln, Nebraska,)	
for authority to rescind the the)	GRANTED
Amortization Schedule established)	
in Application No. 33634.)	Entered: October 6, 1981

OPINION AND FINDINGS

BY THE COMMISSION:

By its application filed July 30, 1981, The Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Company, Lincoln, Nebraska, seeks approval to rescind the authority granted to it in Application No. 33634.

Notice of the filing of the application was published pursuant to the provisions of the Commissions Rules and Regulations. No protest to the application was filed.

Due to applicants service improvement program designed to upgrade all of its rural facilities and to replace all step by step central office equipment, applicant had certain telephone plant accounts underdepreciated. Applicant was authorized in Application No. 33634 to amortize the depreciation reserve variance of those telephone plant accounts over a 13 year period.

By letter dated May 29, 1981, applicant notified this Commission of its amendment to its depreciation rates which is permitted under order in Application No. 33118. Applicants new depreciation rates will eliminate under and over accruals of reserves of applicant's telephone plant accounts.

Upon consideration of the application and attending circumstances and being fully advised, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that the application is fair and reasonable, is in the public interest and should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-169 be and it is hereby granted and The Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Company, Lincoln, Nebraska be and it is hereby authorized to rescind the Amortization Schedule established in Application No. 33634.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 6th day of October, 1981.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Duane D. Gay
Chairman

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

ATTEST:

Terence L. Kuback
Secretary