SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the matter of the application of United Telephone Company of the West, Scottsbluff, Nebraska, for authority to) offer Local Measured Service.

Application No. C-337

GRANTED

Entered: May 3, 1983

OPINION AND FINDINGS

BY THE COMMISSION:

By its application filed December 27, 1982, the United Telephone Company of the West, Scottsbluff, Nebraska, seeks authority to offer Local Measured Service.

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

Attached to the application and incorporated herein by reference are copies of the following proposed tariff sheets:

Local Exchange Tariff: Original Sheets 2.1, 2.2 and 2.3

Applicant seeks to offer Local Measured Service at its Scottsbluff, Nebraska exchange. Local Measured Service is available as an option for individual line business and residence subscribers at 50% of the 1 party rate. Usage charges are as follows:

<u>Usage</u>	<u>lst Minute</u>	Additional Minutes
Exchange	\$.04	\$.02
1-5 miles	.06	.03
6-10 miles	.08	.04
11-15 miles	.10	.05
16-20 miles	.13	.07
21-25 miles	.16	.10
26-30 miles	.18	.12
31-35 miles	.23	.15
36-45 miles	.28	.18

Discounts will apply to calls placed during evening and night hours. Additional charges will apply to operater handled calls. Detailed billing will be available at 3¢ per call.

A maximum charge per Local Measured Service line for access and usage will be 150% of the business or residence 1 party flat rate as applicable.

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-337 be and it is hereby granted and the United Telephone Company of the West be and it is hereby authorized to revise its tariff to include the sheets set forth in the Opinion and Findings herein.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant file appropriate tariff sheets with the Commission.

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MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 3rd day of May, 1983.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

ATTEST:

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Executive Secretary