BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the matter of the application of General Telephone Company of the Midwest,) Columbus, Nebraska, for authority to Revise the Base Rate Area and Exchange Boundary Maps for the Columbus, Nebraska) Exchange.

Application No. C-615

GRANTED

Entered: January 7, 1986

OPINION AND FINDINGS

BY THE COMMISSION:

By its application filed November 5, 1985, the General Telephone Company of the Midwest, Columbus, Nebraska, seeks to revise the Base Rate Area of the Columbus, Nebraska exchange.

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:

Section I: Thirty-third Revised Sheet B Fifth Revised Sheet 9M Nineteenth Revised Map-Columbus Exchange

Applicant seeks to enlarge its Columbus Base Rate Area to include new areas of development on the east side of the city.

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-615 be and it is hereby granted and the General Telephone Company of the Midwest 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.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 7th day of January, 1986.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Cric Kasmussen Chairman

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

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