BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Commission)	Application No. C-822	
on its own motion to determine)		
the boundary between the Brownlee)	BOUNDARY DETERMINED	
exchange of the Consolidated)		
Telephone Company and the)		
Valentine exchange of US West.)	Entered: January 15, 199) 1

OPINION AND FINDINGS

BY THE COMMISSION:

By docket opened August 7, 1990, the Commission on its own motion seeks to determine the boundary between the Brownlee exchange of Consolidated Telephone Company and the Valentine exchange of US West.

Both the Consolidated Telephone Company and US West were notified of this docket and directed to propose a revised boundary which will eliminate the duplicate service area.

Both telephone companies have agreed that the area in question should be included in the Brownlee exchange of the Consolidated Telephone Company and one customer, Ed Eby, who currently has both a Brownlee telephone and a Valentine telephone should be allowed to continue to receive telephone service from the Valentine exchange. If the customer moves or sells the property or business or the existing service is disconnected for any other reason then new service must be provided solely by the Consolidated Telephone Company, the only exception being that service may be transferred to another family member who is a member of the household at that time.

Mr. Eby was notified of this proposal by certified mail on November 29, 1990, and given 30 days in which to request a public hearing. No response has been received.

Upon consideration of the docket and being fully advised, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that a boundary has been agreed upon by all parties which will eliminate the duplicate service area in question between Brownlee and Valentine exchanges. Both telephone companies should be ordered to file revised service area maps showing the area in question to be in the Brownlee exchange and that Mr. Ed Eby be grandfathered to receive service from the Valentine exchange.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that a boundary be determined in docket No. C-822 which will eliminate the duplicate service area in question between the Brownlee and Valentine exchanges.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that revised service area maps be filed by Consolidated Telephone Company and US West showing the area in question to be in the Brownlee exchange with a note on the maps indicating that service to Mr. Ed Eby is grandfathered from the Valentine exchange of US West.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 15th day of January, 1991.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

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COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

//s//Frank E. Landis, Jr.

//s//James F. Munnelly
//s//Eric Rasmussen

ATTEST: