

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Commission on ) Application No. C-832  
its own motion to determine the )  
boundary between the Hooper ) BOUNDARY DETERMINED  
exchange of the Hooper Telephone )  
Company and the Scribner exchange )  
of Great Plains Communications. ) Entered: December 18, 1990

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 Hooper exchange of the Hooper Telephone Company and the Scribner exchange of Great Plains Communications.

Both the Hooper Telephone Company and Great Plains Communications 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 Scribner exchange of Great Plains Communications and two customers, The Reverend Tim Madsen and St. John's Lutheran Church, who currently have both Hooper and Scribner telephones, should be allowed to continue to receive telephone service from the Hooper 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 Great Plains Communications; the only exception being that service may be transferred to another family member who is a member of the household at that time.

The Reverend Tim Madsen and St. John's Lutheran Church were notified of this proposal by certified mail on November 9, 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 the Hooper and Scribner exchanges. Both telephone companies should be ordered to file revised service area maps showing the area in question to be in the Scribner exchange and that The Reverend Tim Madsen and St. John's Lutheran Church be grandfathered to receive service from the Hooper exchange.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that a boundary is determined in docket No. C-832 which will eliminate the duplicate service area in question between the Hooper and Scribner exchanges.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that revised service area maps be filed by Hooper Telephone Company and Great Plains Communications showing the area in question to be in the Scribner exchange with a note on the maps indicating that service to The Reverend Tim Madsen and St. John's Lutheran Church is grandfathered from the Hooper exchange of the Hooper Telephone Company.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 18th day of December, 1990.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

*Daniel G. Urwiller*  
Chairman

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

*Duane D. Gay*  
//s//Frank E. Landis, Jr.  
//s//James Munnelly  
//s//Eric Rasmussen  
//s//Daniel G. Urwiller

ATTEST:

*Pat R. Shing*  
Executive Director