SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of Commission on its) Application No. C-868
own motion to determine the boundary)
between the Wilcox exchange of Great) BOUNDARY DETERMINED
Plains Communications and the)
Hildreth exchange of General)
Telephone Company of the North, Inc.) Entered: January 29, 1991

OPINION AND FINDINGS

BY THE COMMISSION:

By docket opened November 16, 1990, the Commission on its own motion seeks to determine the boundary between the Wilcox exchange of Great Plains Communications and the Hildreth exchange of GTE North, Inc.

Both Great Plains Communications and GTE North, Inc. 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 Hildreth exchange of GTE North, Inc. and one customer, Mrs. Leona Fuerst, who currently has both a Wilcox telephone and a Hildreth telephone should be allowed to continue to receive telephone service from the Wilcox 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 GTE North, Inc., the only exception being that service may be transferred to another family member who is a member of the household at that time.

Mrs. Fuerst 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 the Wilcox and Hildreth exchanges Both telephone companies should be ordered to file revised service area maps showing the area in question to be in the Hildreth exchange and that Mrs. Leona Fuerst be grandfathered to receive service from the Wilcox exchange.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that a boundary be determined in docket No. C-868 which will eliminate the duplicate service area in question between the Wilcox and Hildreth exchanges.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that revised service area maps be filed by Great Plains Communications and GTE North, Inc. showing the area in questions to be in the Hildreth exchange with a note on the maps indicating that service to Mrs. Leona Fuerst is grandfathered from the Wilcox exchange of Great Plains Communications.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 29th day of January, 1991.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

//s//Frank E. Landis, Jr

//s//James F. Munnelly

//s//Eric Rasmussen

ATTEST: