

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER of GTE North Incor-) Application No. C-937
porated, Westfield, Indiana's)
application for transfer of its) GRANTED
certificate of public convenience)
and necesssity to GTE Midwest In-)
Incorporated.) Entered: August 18, 1192

By application filed July 1, 1992, GTE North Incorporated, Westfield, Indiana seeks a transfer of its certificate of public convenience and necessity to GTE Midwest Incorporated. Notice of the application was published in the Omaha Daily Record July 3, 1992. No protests to the application were filed. The application will therefore be processed pursuant to the Commission's modified procedure rule.

GTE North is a Wisconsin corporation which provides telecommunications services to approximately 48,000 customers in 37 exchanges in Nebraska. All of the issued and outstanding common stock of GTE North is owned by GTE Corporation.

GTE Midwest is a Delaware corporation newly formed by GTE Corporation to operate GTE's midwestern operations, including those in Nebraska.

Upon consideration of the application, the affidavit, and being fully advised, the Commission is of the opinion and finds:

The application and filings reflect that there will no change in service received by the subscribers. Because this is a transfer (although the application speaks of a merger and acquisition), there is no duplication of facilities. The co-applicants state there will be no change in rates as a result of this application's approval.

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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-934 be, and it is hereby, granted and the certificate of public convenience and necessity previously granted to GTE North Incorporated is transferred to GTE Midwest Incorporated.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that GTE Midwest Incorporated shall file a tariff reflecting the transfer of authority has occurred.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 18th day of August, 1992.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING

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

//s//James F. Munnelly

//s//Eric Rasmussen

James F. Landis
Chairman

ATTEST:

Patricia R. Felt
Executive Director