

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of ) Application No. C-1069  
West Coast Telecommunications, Inc. )  
Santa Barbara, California, seeking )  
authority to amend its Certificate ) GRANTED  
of Public Convenience and Necessity )  
to reflect the adopted trade name )  
World Call Telecommunications. ) Entered: June 27, 1994

For the Applicant:  
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PRELIMINARY MATTERS

By application filed April 25, 1994, West Coast Telecommunications, Inc. of Santa Barbara, California seeks authority to amend its certificate of public convenience and necessity to reflect a name change to World Call Telecommunications. West Coast's principal office is noted above, and its books and records are maintained at the same address. The applicant registered its new name with the Secretary of State of Nebraska on January 10, 1994.

Notice of the application was published in the Omaha Daily Record, April 26, 1994, in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Procedure. No protests to the application were received. Therefore, we process this application pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure (Title 291 NAC Ch. 1, Rule 018.03).

BY THE COMMISSION

O P I N I O N   A N D   F I N D I N G S

Upon consideration of the application, the governing statutes and rules<sup>1</sup>, the contents of the application,

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<sup>1</sup>Interexchange reseller applications are generally governed by Neb. Rev. Stats. §75-604 and 86-805 (1990 and 1987 Reissues, respectively) and Title 291 NAC Ch. 5, Rule 003.12.

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and being fully informed, the Commission is of the opinion and finds:

West Coast previously obtained authority to operate as an intrastate reseller in Application No. 973 (June 16, 1993). The current application demonstrates that the general information about the company remains virtually the same since the time of the previous application.

The name change was made only for the purpose of administrative convenience and to improve marketing. The change does not affect West Coast's corporate status or its status as a public utility, nor will the change alter the management, operations, quality of service or rates of the company. The name change will have no effect on the ability of the company to provide reasonable and adequate service throughout Nebraska. Upon a grant of this application, West Coast's tariff should be modified and re-filed with the Commission to reflect the name change.

Based on the contents of the application and the exhibits, the application is reasonable, is in the public interest, and should be granted.

#### O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-1069 be, and it is hereby, granted and the current certificate of public convenience and necessity granted to West Coast Telecommunications Inc., of Santa Barbara, California to provide intrastate long distance reseller services in Nebraska be, and it is hereby, amended to reflect a change in name to World Call Telecommunications.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant shall continue to file, in accordance with the applicable statutes, an annual report with this Commission consisting of (a) a copy of any report filed with the Federal Communications Commission, (b) the annual report to stockholders, and (c) for the state of Nebraska on a combined interstate - intrastate basis, the investment, if any, in telephone plant and equipment located within the state, accumulated depreciation thereon, operating revenues, operating expenses, and taxes. This shall be done under the company's new name as reflected by this order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant file an updated and corrected tariff reflecting the company's new name.

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MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 27th day of June, 1994.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

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//s//Rod Johnson  
//s//James F. Munnelly  
//s//Daniel G. Urwiller

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Vice Chairman

ATTEST:

Diana R. Nix  
Executive Director