

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of) Application No. C-1087
Hamilton Telephone Company, Aurora,)
Nebraska seeking authority to) GRANTED
utilize Hamilton Telecommunications)
as a trade name.) Entered: August 23, 1994

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PRELIMINARY MATTERS

By application filed July 18, 1994, Hamilton Telephone Company (Hamilton) of Aurora, Nebraska seeks authority to utilize Hamilton Telecommunications as a trade name. Hamilton's principal office is 1001 12th Street, Aurora, Nebraska 68818.

Notice of the application was published in the Omaha Daily Record, July 19, 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, the contents of the application, and being fully informed, the Commission is of the opinion and finds:

Hamilton Telephone Company operates a general telephone business in Hamilton, Clay, York, Adams, and Hall Counties Nebraska. Accordingly, Hamilton is a common carrier which is regulated by the Nebraska Public Service Commission.

The proposed name change, Hamilton Telecommunications, will not affect the current accounting practices, the Articles of Incorporation, the by-laws, or any other significant aspect of internal corporate organization. Further, the name change will not affect the company's status as a public utility, its management, operations, quality of service or rates. The change will be made solely for the purpose of administrative convenience and to improve marketing efforts.

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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-1087 be, and it is hereby granted and the current name of Hamilton Telephone Company is amended to Hamilton Telecommunications.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 23rd day of August, 1994.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Daniel G. Kraville

//s//Duane D. Gay

//s//Rod Johnson

//s//Frank Landis, Jr.

//s//James F. Munnelly

Paul Sandy
Chairman

ATTEST:

W. R. King
Executive Director