# BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application )	Application No. C-1355
of Edward and Carol Sellentin of )	
Bancroft, Nebraska, seeking )	WITHDRAWN
authority to receive telephone )	
service from the West Point )	
exchange of US West )	
Communications.	Entered: September 24, 1996

#### PRELIMINARY MATTERS

Edward C. and Carol L. Sellentin, of Bancroft, Nebraska filed an application to revise the boundary between the Bancroft exchange, served by the Great Plains Communications, and the West Point exchange, served by US West Communications, on June 4, 1996. Applicants requested the boundary change so that they could receive service from US West Communications. Notice of the application was published in the Omaha Daily Record on June 6, 1996 pursuant to the Commission's Rules and Regulations.

### BY THE COMMISSION

## OPINION AND FINDINGS

Great Plains Communications and US West Communications are local exchange carriers operating in Nebraska and are subject to the Commission's general regulation of common carriers. This application is governed specifically by Neb. Rev. Stats. Section 75-604 to 75-616 (1994 Cum. Supp.). These statutes establish that if the telephone company or companies affected by the proposed boundary exchange do not object to the application, the application may be processed by modified procedure.

By letter, Edward and Carol Sellentin requested the Commission to withdraw Application C-1355, stating they are not willing to pay such construction and other costs and rates as will be necessary to receive service from US West. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a copy of the letter requesting withdrawal. The Sellentin's acknowledge their provider will continue to be Great Plains Communications by withdrawing the application.

Upon consideration of the application and the subsequent letter requesting withdrawal, the Commission is of the opinion and finds the request reasonable, in the public interest and that the application should be withdrawn.

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## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-1355 be, and it is hereby, withdrawn.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 24th day of September, 1996.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

//s//Rod Wohnson

//s//Frank E Landis //s//James F. Munnelly

//s//Daniel G. Urwiller

Chairman 5

ATTEST:

Executive Direct

EXHIBIT A

Fri, Sept. 20