BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

| In the Matter of the Application |) | Application No. C-1456 |
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| of ACC Corp. and its Nebraska- |) | |
| certificated operating subsidiary, |) | |
| ACC National Long Distance Corp. |) | GRANTED |
| of Rochester, New York seeking |) | |
| approval of incurring debt |) | |
| obligations. |) | Entered: January 13, 199 |

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

On December 10, 1996, an application was filed by ACC Corp. and its subsidiary, ACC National Long Distance Corp. (ACC) of Rochester, New York seeking approval of incurring debt obligations. Notice of the application was published in the Omaha Daily Record on December 11, 1996. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is administered pursuant to the Commission's modified procedure rule.

ACC Corp. is a publicly-held Delaware corporation that owns several non-dominant carriers that provide resold long distance services in most states and the District of Columbia. ACC Corp. has not applied for, nor is it currently authorized to provide intrastate service in the State of Nebraska. ACC Corp.'s subsidiary, ACC, is authorized to provide interexchange service within Nebraska pursuant to Application C-1123.

Pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. 75-148 (1994 Cum. Supp.), ACC seeks Commission approval for the participation of ACC Corp. and ACC in a credit facility in which ACC will receive up to \$100 million. ACC Corp., as the parent of ACC, will act as guarantor. The credit may be utilized for several purposes, including working capital, reducing existing debt and capital expenditures.

Upon consideration of the application, the governing statutes and rules, and being fully informed, the Commission finds the use of the capital herein is reasonably required for the purposes of the carrier and that the application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application C-1456 be, and it is hereby granted.

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MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 13th day of January, 1997.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

//s//Anne C. Boyle

//s//Rod Johnson

//s//Frank E. Landis

//s//Daniel G. Urwiller

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director