BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of United Telecom of America, Inc.,) .	Application No. C-1469
of New York, New York, seeking authority to change its name to)):	GRANTED
USN Communications Long Distance,	j	
Inc.)	Entered: February 4, 1997

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

On December 31, 1996, an application was filed by United Telecom of America, Inc. (UTA), of New York, New York, seeking authority to change its name to USN Communications Long Distance, Inc. (USN). Notice of the application was published in the <u>The Daily Record</u> on January 3, 1997. No protests were filed; therefore, this application has been administered pursuant to the Commission's modified procedure rule.

UTA is a Delaware corporation, authorized to do business in Nebraska. On May 14, 1996, in Application No. C-1281, the Commission granted UTA a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide resold telecommunications services within the State of Nebraska. On September 3, 1996, UTA changed its corporate name to USN Communications Long Distance, Inc.

Upon consideration of the application, the governing statutes and rules, and being fully informed, the Commission is of the opinion that the request is reasonable should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application C-1469 be, and it is hereby, granted and United Telecom of America, Inc. is authorized to change its name to USN Communications Long Distance, Inc.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the certificate granted in Application No. C-1281 to United Telecom of America, Inc. be changed to reflect the company's new name of USN Communications Long Distance and that the certificate granted to United Telecom of America, Inc. be transferred to USN Communications Long Distance.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the applicant file an updated tariff with the Commission within thirty (30) days reflecting the authorized change in name.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 4th day of February, 1997.

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

//s//Rod Johnson

//s//Frank E. Landis

//s//Daniel G. Urwiller

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director