

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-1507
of PTT Telekom, Inc., of Orlando,)
Florida, seeking authority to)
operate as a resale common carrier) GRANTED
of telecommunication services with-)
in the state of Nebraska.) Entered: July 1, 1997

APPEARANCES:

For the Applicant:
None

For the Commission Staff:
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BY THE COMMISSION:

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

By application filed March 24, 1997, PTT Telekom, Inc., of Orlando, Florida, seeks authority to provide intraLATA and interLATA resold telecommunications services within the state of Nebraska. Notice of the application was published in the Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on March 26, 1997, pursuant to the rules of the Commission. No protests were filed. Hearing on the application was held by video communication on May 28, 1997.

Applicant produced two witnesses, Fernando Sabin and Jay Swinder who testified: Applicant has changed its address to Winter Park, Florida since the application was filed. Applicant offers prepaid phone cards as promotional, as well as retail items. Most of its cards are sold in bulk and distributed as give-away items by convenience stores, K-Marts and other channels. Applicant's underlying carriers are Vintel, MCI, ICI and Wiltel WorldCom. No agents represent applicant in Nebraska at present. No complaints are pending against applicant in any state. Applicant's business plan projects 1997 as a growth year with a \$2.1 million loss, but projects profitability in 1998.

Interexchange reseller applications are subject to Commission jurisdiction under Neb. Rev. Stat. Sections 75-604 and 86-805 and Title 291 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations, Chapter 5, Rule 003.12. From examination of the application filed herein and the testimony adduced at the hearing, the Commission finds applicant has provided all the information

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required by the Commission, possesses adequate financial resources to provide the proposed service, and possesses adequate technical competency to provide the proposed service. The application should be granted.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED BY THE Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application Number C-1507 be, and it is hereby, granted and PTT Telekom, Inc., Orlando, Florida, is hereby authorized to operate as a resale carrier of intrastate interexchange intraLATA and interLATA telecommunications services within the state of Nebraska.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the applicant shall file, in accordance with the applicable statutes on or before April 30th of each year, an annual report with this Commission consisting of (a) a copy of any report filed with the Federal Communications Commission, (b) a copy of any annual report to stockholders, (c) a copy of the latest Form 10-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, (d) a balance sheet and income statement for the previous year of operation and (e) for the State of Nebraska on a combined interstate-intrastate basis, the investment in telephone plant and equipment located within the state, accumulated depreciation thereon, operating revenues, operating expenses, and taxes.



IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant file its current tariff prior to offering service pursuant to the certificate granted in this order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that quarterly financial statements be furnished for the second, third and fourth quarters of 1997.

IT IS FINALLY ORDERED that this order be, and it is hereby made, the Commission's official certificate of authority to furnish the service authorized herein as a common carrier.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 1st day of July, 1997.

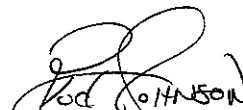
COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

//s//Rod Johnson
//s//Frank E. Landis
//s//Daniel G. Urwiller

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman



ATTEST:

Executive Director

