

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-1584
of GTE Midwest, Inc., Irving,)
Texas, and US West Communica-) Amendment to
tions, Inc., Denver, Colorado,) Interconnection
requesting approval to amend) Agreement Approved
their existing interconnection)
agreement.) Entered: June 30, 1998

BY THE COMMISSION:

On July 1, 1997, GTE Midwest, Inc. (GTE) and US West Communications, Inc. (USW) jointly filed an application seeking approval of their voluntarily negotiated interconnection agreement. The Commission approved the request on August 5, 1997.

On June 19, 1998, USW and GTE jointly requested to amend their existing interconnection agreement to replace Appendix B as reflected on the one-page attachment (Appendix B reflects Extended Area Service exchanges in Nebraska).

The Telecommunications Act of 1996 requires state commissions to approve all interconnection agreements. We have reviewed the proposed amendment to the interconnection agreement between USW and GTE and find it to be reasonable. It should be approved with an effective date of June 29, 1998, pursuant to Commission policy.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that effective June 29, 1998, the interconnection agreement between US West Communications, Inc. and GTE Midwest, Inc. is hereby amended as reflected on the one-page attachment that is made a part of this order.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 30th day of June, 1998.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

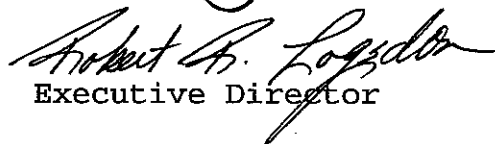
COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:



//s//Lowell C. Johnson
//s//Daniel G. Urwiller


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director