BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of US West New Vector Group, Inc., itself and Omaha Cellular Telephone Company dba AirTouch Cellular, seeking to amend their existing interconnection agreement.

Application No. C-1608

Amendment to Interconnection Agreement Approved

) Entered: January 6, 1998

BY THE COMMISSION:

On August 12, 1997, US West NewVector Group, Inc. of Bellevue, Washington, on behalf of itself and Omaha Cellular Telephone Company dba AirTouch Cellular (AirTouch), filed an application requesting authority to utilize the arbitrated agreement between US West Communications, Inc. (USW) and Western Wireless Corporation (Western). The Commission approved the request on August 26, 1997.

On September 24, 1997, USW and AirTouch jointly requested to amend their existing interconnection agreement to lower certain nonrecurring trunk routing change charges.

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 AirTouch and find it to be reasonable. It should be approved with an effective date of October 6, 1997, pursuant to Commission policy.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that effective October 6, 1997, the interconnection agreement between US West Communications and Omaha Cellular Telephone Company dba AirTouch Cellular is hereby amended as reflected on the two-page attachment that is made a part of this order.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 6th day of January, 1998.

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ATTEST

Executive Director