

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application        ) Application No. C-1827  
of Southwestern Bell Communications    )  
Services, Inc. d/b/a Southwestern       )  
Bell Long Distance of Pleasanton,       ) GRANTED  
California, seeking authority to do     )  
business as Nevada Bell Long            )  
Distance and Pacific Bell Long          )  
Distance in the state of Nebraska.      ) Entered: July 21, 1998

BY THE COMMISSION:

On June 16, 1998, an application was filed by Southwestern Bell Communications Services, Inc. d/b/a Southwestern Bell Long Distance (Applicant) of Pleasanton, California, seeking authority to do business as Nevada Bell Long Distance and Pacific Bell Long Distance in Nebraska. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on June 18, 1998. No protests were filed; therefore, we process this application pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

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

Applicant received authority to operate as a resale carrier of intrastate interexchange intraLATA and interLATA telecommunications services from this Commission on July 28, 1997, pursuant to Application No. C-1554. No formal or departmental complaints are pending against applicant.

Applicant requests authority to operate in Nebraska under the name Nevada Bell Long Distance and Pacific Bell Long Distance. The company's operations, corporate structure, or ownership have not changed as a result of this name change. There will be no change in the services, terms, and conditions of the tariff as a result of this change. Applicant currently does not serve customers in Nebraska. Applicant has obtained authority from the Nebraska Secretary of State to utilize the names Nevada Bell Long Distance and Pacific Bell Long Distance in Nebraska.

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

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-1827 be, and it is hereby, granted and Southwestern Bell Communications Services, Inc. d/b/a Southwestern Bell Long Distance is hereby authorized to do business in

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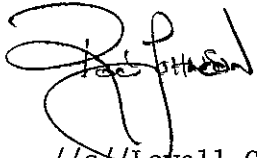
Nebraska as Nevada Bell Long Distance and Pacific Bell Long Distance.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant file an updated tariff reflecting the change in name within thirty days from the date of this order.

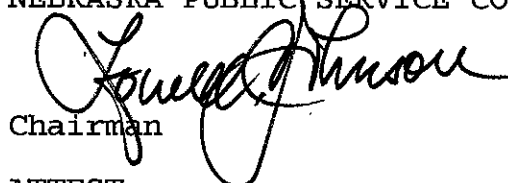
MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 21st day of July, 1998.

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



//s//Lowell C. Johnson  
//s//Frank E. Landis  
//s//Daniel G. Urwiller

  
Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Deputy Director