

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

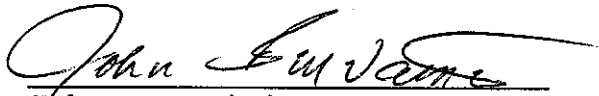
John Burvainis, Deputy Director,)	Departmental Complaint 28
Communications Department,)	Application No. C-1888
Nebraska Public Service)	
Commission, Lincoln,)	
Nebraska, Complainant,)	PETITION FOR ORDER
vs.)	TO SHOW CAUSE
)	
USA Tele Corp.,)	
Pompano, Florida,)	
Defendant.)	Filed: September 10, 1998

John Burvainis, Deputy Director of the Nebraska Public Service Commission's (Commission) Communications Department, petitions the Commission in the matter against USA Tele Corp. (defendant) of Pompano, Florida, and its officers, alleges as follows:

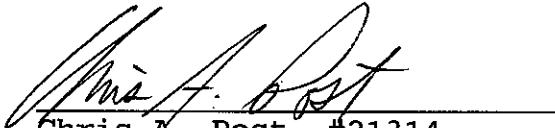
1. Complainant is Deputy Director of the Department of Communications of this Commission.
2. On December 23, 1997, defendant obtained a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a resale common carrier of telecommunications services in Nebraska in Application No. C-1578.
3. The Commission finds the defendant's marketing practices highly suspect.
4. The Commission has received numerous complaints from customers about the defendant's marketing practices and misrepresentations.
5. Due to the questionable marketing practices of the defendant, many customers are of the opinion that they have been slammed. If it had not been for Huntel Systems diligent effort to double check with customers to see if they really knew that their phone service was going to change, these customers would have been slammed.
6. Staff has been unable to obtain information as to the status of defendant's marketing practices and the reasons for the defendant's misrepresentations.

WHEREFORE, complainant prays that the Commission order USA Tele Corp. to show cause why the Commission should not (1) revoke the defendant's Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a resale common carrier of telecommunications services in Nebraska pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. Section 75-133 (1996), and (2) order the defendant to cease and

desist from offering telecommunications services in Nebraska pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. Section 75-133 (1996).



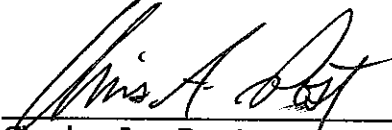
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing PETITION FOR ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE was sent by registered certified mail to the defendant USA Tele Corp, at 351 S. Cypress Road, Suite 400; Pompano Beach, Florida, on the 11th day of September, 1998.


Chris A. Post

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
