

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-1912
of Frontier Telemanagement, Inc.)
of Rochester, New York, seeking)
authority to invoke Section 252(i)) Interconnection
of the Telecommunications Act of) Agreement Approved
1996 to utilize the arbitrated)
interconnection agreement between)
US West Communications, Inc. and)
Sprint Communications Company, L.P.) Entered: October 20, 1998

BY THE COMMISSION

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

On September 29, 1998, Frontier Telemanagement, Inc. (Frontier) of Rochester, New York, filed an application requesting authority to invoke Section 252(i) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the Act) to utilize the arbitrated agreement between US West Communication, Inc. (US West) and Sprint Communications Company, L.P. (Sprint). Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record on October 1, 1998. No protests were filed; therefore, this application has been administered pursuant to the Commission's modified procedure rule.

Frontier obtained a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide local exchange service from the Commission pursuant to Application C-1814 on August 25, 1998. Section 252(i) of the Act allows a certificated local exchange carrier to adopt a Commission-approved interconnection agreement. Frontier wishes to establish an interconnection agreement with US West and accordingly, seeks to adopt the US West/Sprint interconnection agreement. The US West/Sprint agreement was approved by the Commission pursuant to Application C-1417 and became effective September 8, 1997.

On May 28, 1997, the Commission added language to its mediation/arbitration policy (see Application No. C-1128, Progression Order No. 3) which sets forth the procedures to be followed for a Section 252(i) request. Frontier has followed the procedures required by the Commission's policy.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application C-1912 be, and it is hereby, approved and Frontier Telemanagement, Inc. is authorized to adopt the arbitrated agreement between US West Communications, Inc. and Sprint Communications Company, L.P.

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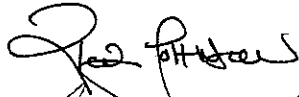
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Frontier Telemanagement, Inc.'s adoption of the arbitrated agreement between US West Communications, Inc. and Sprint Communications Company, L.P. became effective October 9, 1998.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a signed agreement of Frontier Telemanagement, Inc.'s adaptation of the US West Communications, Inc./Sprint Communications Company, L.P.'s arbitrated agreement reflecting Frontier and US West as parties to the agreement be filed with the Commission in paper copy, as well as electronically, on or before November 3, 1998.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 20th day of October, 1998.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

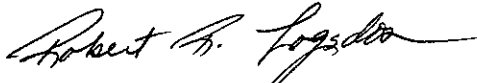


//s//Lowell C. Johnson
//s//Frank E. Landis
//s//Daniel G. Urwiller



Chairman

ATTEST:



Executive Director