

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-2126
of CoreComm Limited, on behalf of)
USN Communications Long Distance,)
Inc., both of Chicago, Illinois,) CERTIFICATE WITHDRAWN
seeking authority to voluntarily) AT APPLICANT'S REQUEST
withdraw the Certificate of Public)
Convenience and Necessity for USN)
Communications Long Distance.) Entered: October 26, 1999

BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed September 23, 1999, CoreComm Limited, on behalf of USN Communications Long Distance, Inc. (USNC), both of Chicago, Illinois, seeks authority to voluntarily withdraw the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for USN Communications Long Distance. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on September 24, 1999. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed 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

On February 19, 1999, USNC and CoreComm Limited executed an Asset Purchase Agreement under which CoreComm acquired substantially all of USNC's assets. Concurrently with execution of the Agreement, USNC filed voluntary petitions under Chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code. On April 2, 1999, the Bankruptcy Court approved USNC's motion for authorization of the proposed sale to CoreComm. Upon conclusion of the bankruptcy, USNC was dissolved and their assets were acquired by CoreComm.

USNC did not conduct operations in Nebraska, nor did it have any customers in the state. As such, CoreComm, on the behalf of USNC has requested the voluntary withdrawal of the USNC Certificate. In light of this request, and being fully informed, the Commission is of the opinion the application should be granted.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the certificate of operating authority previously

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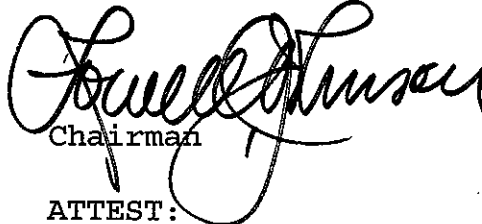
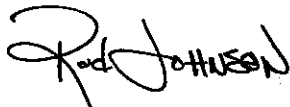
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granted in Docket No. C-1281, and modified in Docket No. C-1469, of USN Communications Long Distance be, and it is hereby, withdrawn.

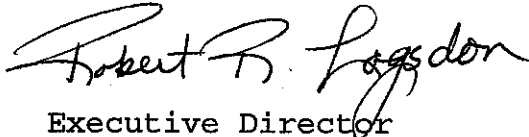
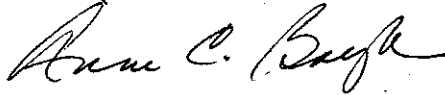
MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 26th day of October, 1999.

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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