BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application)	Application No. C-250)4
of Norstar Communications, Inc.,)		
d/b/a Business Savings Plan of)		
Irvine, California, seeking au-)		
thority to operate as a reseller)	GRANTED	
of interexchange telecommunications)		
services and for approval of its)		
initial tariff.)	Entered: May 1, 2001	

BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed March 26, 2001, Norstar Communications, Inc., d/b/a Business Savings Plan Inc. (Applicant) of Irvine, California, seeks authority to operate as a reseller of intrastate interexchange telecommunications services within the state of Nebraska. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on March 27, 2001. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

OPINION AND FINDINGS

Applicant is a California corporation with authority to transact business within the state of Nebraska as a foreign corporation. Applicant seeks authority to operate as a reseller of interLATA and intraLATA intrastate interexchange telecommunications services to the public on a statewide basis. Currently, applicant holds authority to provide intrastate interexchange telecommunications services in approximately 39 other states.

Applicant proposes to offer a range of 1+ services. Specifically, applicant seeks authority to provide MTS, out-WATS, in-WATS and calling card services. Applicant does not intend to provide operator services, 900 or 700 services. Applicant does not own transmission facilities, but will offer the proposed services through certificated facilities-based carriers.

Interexchange reseller applications are subject to Commission jurisdiction under Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 75-604 and 86-805 and Title 291 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations, Chapter 5, Rule 003.12. From examination of the application filed herein, the Commission finds that applicant has provided all the information required by the Commission, possesses adequate financial resources to provide the proposed service and possesses adequate technical competency to provide the proposed service. The application should be granted.

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ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-2504 be, and it is hereby, granted and Norstar Communications Inc., d/b/a Business Savings Plan, Inc., is authorized to operate as a resale carrier of intrastate interexchange telecommunications services within the state of Nebraska.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the applicant shall file, in accordance with the applicable statutes on or before April 30th of each year, an annual report with this Commission consisting of: (a) a copy of any report filed with the Federal Communications Commission; (b) a copy of any annual report to stockholders; and (c) a copy of the latest Form 10-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. If these are not available, applicant shall submit a balance sheet and income statement for the previous year of operation, as well as the investment made in telephone plant and equipment located within the state, accumulated depreciation thereon, operating revenues and expenses and taxes.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, to the extent applicable, the applicant shall comply with all laws pertaining to, and all rules and regulations promulgated under, the Telecommunications Relay System Act (Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 86-1302 to 86-1307) and the Nebraska Telecommunications Universal Service Fund Act (Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 86-1402 to 86-1410).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant file its current tariff prior to offering service pursuant to the certificate granted in this order.

IT IS FINALLY ORDERED that this order be, and it is hereby made, the Commission's official certificate of authority to furnish the service authorized herein as a common carrier.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 1st day of May, 2001.

COMMASSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST.

Exécutive Director

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

//s//Anne C. Boyle

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