BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Commission,) Application No. C-2516/
on its own motion, to investigate) PI-49
cost studies to establish Qwest)
Corporation's rates for)
interconnection, unbundled) PROGRESSION ORDER NO. 4
network elements, transport and)
termination and resale services.) Entered: September 19, 2001

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINIONS AND FINDINGS

On August 3, 2001, the Commission entered an order defining the procedural schedule for the above-captioned docket. In that order, the Commission specifically described which items were to be addressed at certain phases of the Commission's cost proceeding. Upon review of the time frame previously established, the Commission finds it appropriate to supplement the items listed by adding all nonrecurring costs to the phase three portion of the hearings. All interested parties wishing to file testimony or cost studies on nonrecurring costs may do so on or before October 1, 2001. Rebuttal testimony addressing nonrecurring costs must be filed on or before October 10, 2001.

The Commission hereby cancels the hearing in this matter previously set for September 26, 2001, which was a tentatively scheduled date for the hearing continuation of phase two items, as it appears that the reserved date is not needed. The hearing on the phase three items, including the nonrecurring costs added above, will commence on October 15, 2001, at 10:00 a.m. and continue through October 19, 2001, unless otherwise indicated by the Commission.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Procedural Schedule shall be and it is hereby amended as provided herein.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 19th day of September, 2001.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director