BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application)	Applicat:	ion N	o.	C-2524
of Reduced Rate Long Distance,)				
LLC, of Lake Mary, Florida,)				
seeking authority to operate as a)	GRANTED			
resale carrier of intrastate)				
telecommunication services within)				
the State of Nebraska.)	Entered:	June	5,	2001

BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed May 5, 2001, Reduced Rate Long Distance, LLC, of Lake Mary, Florida, seeks authority to operate as a resale carrier of intrastate telecommunications services within the State of Nebraska. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on May 4, 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 Nevada corporation and has received authority to conduct business in Nebraska from the Secretary of State. Applicant will offer interexchange telecommunication services which will be available to customers across the state. Applicant is a non-facilities based carrier and will provide services over facilities leased from existing certificated carriers. Applicant filed evidence demonstrating its financial, managerial and technical competency.

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 applicant has provided all the information required by the Commission, possesses adequate financial resources to provide the proposed service, and possesses adequate technical and managerial competency to provide the proposed service. The application should be granted.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-2524 be, and it is hereby, granted and Reduced Rate Long Distance, LLC, is authorized to operate as a resale carrier of intrastate telecommunications services in Nebraska.

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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 5th day of June, 2001.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

ATTEST:

/s/XFrank E. Landis

Executive Director