

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint) Application No. C-2568
Application of OneStar)
Communications, L.L.C. and OneStar)
Long Distance, Inc., both of)
Evansville, Indiana, and CRG) GRANTED
International, Inc. of Atlanta,)
Georgia, seeking approval of a)
transfer of assets, certificates)
and control.) Entered: October 30, 2001

BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed July 13, 2001, OneStar Communications, L.L.C. (OneStar Comm) and OneStar Long Distance, Inc. (OneStar LD), both of Evansville, Indiana, and CRG International, Inc. (CRG) of Atlanta, Georgia, seeking approval of a transfer of assets, certificates and control. Notice of this application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on July 17, 2001. 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

Description of the Parties:

OneStar Comm, is a privately-owned limited liability company that is principally located in Evansville, Indiana. Presently, OneStar Comm, is seeking authorizations to provide resold and facilities-based long distance service in 50 states, the District of Columbia and the Federal Communication Commission jurisdictions. In addition, the applicant is authorized to provide resold and facilities-based local exchange service in 27 states and the District of Columbia. OneStar Comm currently does not provide any telecommunications services in Nebraska or any other state.

OneStar LD is a privately-owned telecommunications provider that has its principal place of business in Evansville, Indiana. OneStar LD is a non-dominant carrier that is authorized to provide intrastate and international long distance service in 48 states, the District of Columbia and the Federal Communications Commission jurisdictions. OneStar LD is also authorized to provide local exchange service in 18 states. OneStar LD is authorized to provide resold long distance and local service in the state of Nebraska.

CRG is a privately-owned telecommunications provider which has its principal place of business in Atlanta, Georgia. CRG is the parent company of Network One. Network One is a non-dominant carrier authorized to provide intrastate, interstate and international long distance service in 46 states, the District of Columbia and the Federal Communications Commission jurisdictions. Network One is also authorized to provide local exchange service in 19 states and

the District of Columbia. Network One is further authorized to provide operator service in 46 states and the District of Columbia.

Nature of the Transaction:

On March 7, 2001, OneStar LD and Network One signed an operating agreement and a contribution agreement. As a result of the agreements, OneStar LD and Network One will transfer assets, including their customer bases and operational control to OneStar LD. After the transfer, the entire stock of OneStar LD will consist of the contributions of OneStar LD and Network One. OneStar will henceforth provide all the services of OneStar LD and Network One in Nebraska.

Although the proposed transaction includes the customer bases of two unrelated companies to a third company, the effect on those customers transferred will not be pronounced. Both of the customer bases transferred will see a change in the name of the company that provides and bills their telecommunications services. There may also be a change in the rates for services of the customer bases, as their new telecommunications provider, OneStar, normalizes the rates and conditions of the services for those of OneStar LD and Network One that are the same. A notice will be sent to all customers informing them of these changes. In addition, if any customer wishes to change carriers as a result of this transaction, the applicant will pay the primary interexchange carrier charge (PICC) fee associated with changing carriers.

Upon review of the evidence, the Commission finds the application to be fair and reasonable and in the public interest. The application should be granted.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-2568 be, and it is hereby, granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if any customer wishes to change carriers as a result of this transaction, the applicant will pay the PICC fee associated with this change.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 30th day of October,
2001.

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING: Nebraska Public Service Commission

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director