

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-2571
of Hertz Technologies, Inc. of)
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma seeking)
authority to discontinue its) GRANTED
common carrier telecommunications)
operations, withdrawal of)
authority and associated tariffs.) Entered: September 5, 2001

BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed August 1, 2001, Hertz Technologies, Inc. (Hertz) of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, seeks authority to discontinue its common carrier telecommunications operations, withdrawal of authority and associated tariffs. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on August 2, 2001.

No protests were filed; therefore, we process this application 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

Hertz was authorized by this Commission to operate as a intrastate interexchange and interLATA reseller of telecommunications services in Nebraska on July 22, 1993, pursuant to Application No. C-988. This certificate was amended on September 13, 1994, to include intraLATA interexchange service pursuant to Application No. C-1093.

By letter dated July 31, 2001, Hertz gave notice that it currently wishes to discontinue service in Nebraska and therefore requests that its certificate to provide such service be withdrawn.

Hertz has provided written notice to its customers of the discontinuance of service and has given its customers ample time to choose among a number of other providers operating in Nebraska.

Hertz has no pending departmental, formal or informal complaints with the Commission.

Upon consideration of the request and being fully advised, the Commission finds the request to be reasonable and finds that Hertz may withdraw the certificate previously issued to it in Application No. C-988 and as amended in Application No. C-1093.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-2571 be, and it is hereby, granted and the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity of Hertz Technologies, Inc. is withdrawn.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this day of 5th day of
September, 2001.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE

COMMISSION
COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director