BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint)	Applicat	ion No.	C-282	8
Application of Qwest Corporation)				
of Denver, Colorado, and)				
Guaranteed Phone Service of)	GRANTED			
Council Bluffs, Iowa, seeking)				
approval of a resale agreement)				
for the state of Nebraska.)	Entered:	Novembe	r 19,	2002

BEFORE THE COMMISSION:

On October 17, 2002, an application was filed by Qwest Corporation (Qwest) of Denver, Colorado, and Guaranteed Phone Service (Guaranteed) of Council Bluffs, Iowa, seeking approval of a resale agreement for the state of Nebraska. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on October 18, 2002. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's rule of modified procedure.

Pursuant to Section 252(a) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the Act), Qwest and Guaranteed entered into a negotiated resale agreement in the state of Nebraska. An executed copy of this agreement is contained within the application.

Neither the agreement nor any portion thereof discriminates against any telecommunications carrier that is not a party to the agreement. Furthermore, the implementation of the agreement is consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.

Section 252(e) of the Act requires this Commission to review negotiated interconnection agreements to ensure they comply with Sections 251 and 252(d) of the Act, as well as all applicable state laws. Using those standards, the resale agreement should be approved.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the resale agreement between Qwest Corporation and Guaranteed Phone Service, be, and it is hereby, approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the executed interconnection agreement filed herein, be, and it is hereby, made the official copy on file with the Nebraska Public Service Commission.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 19th day of November, 2002.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chair

ATTEST:

Executive Director