

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-3048
of Total Communications)
Services, Inc., Houston, Texas,)
seeking to cancel the inter-) GRANTED
exchange carrier authority)
previously granted in)
Application No. C-2258) Entered: December 16, 2003

BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed November 5, 2003, Total Communications Services, Inc. (Total Communications or applicant), of Houston, Texas seeks the cancellation of its certificate previously granted in Application No. C-2258 and its associated tariff. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on November 6, 2003. 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

Total Communications was authorized by this Commission to operate as an interexchange carrier in Nebraska on July 11, 2000, pursuant to Application No. C-2258.

By letter dated October 29, 2003, Total Communications gave notice that it currently wishes to discontinue service in Nebraska and therefore requests that its certificate to provide such service be cancelled. Total Communications currently has no customers in the state of Nebraska.

Upon consideration of the request and being fully advised, the Commission finds the request to be reasonable and finds that Total Communications may withdraw the certificate previously issued to it in Application No. C-2258.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-3048 be, and it is hereby, granted and the certificate of authority granted to Total Communications Services, Inc. and its initial tariff are cancelled.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 16th day of
December, 2003.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chair

ATTEST:

Executive Director