

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint Ap-) Application No. C-3108
plication of Qwest Corporation of)
Denver, Colorado and Cox Nebraska) AMENDMENT APPROVED
Telcom, L.L.C. of Omaha, Nebraska,)
seeking approval of a Special)
Promotion Amendment to their)
existing interconnection agreement.)
) Entered: March 23, 2004

BY THE COMMISSION:

O P I N I O N A N D F I N D I N G S

On February 12, 2004, a joint application was filed by Qwest Corporation (Qwest) of Denver, Colorado and Cox Nebraska Telcom, L.L.C. (Cox) of Omaha, Nebraska, seeking approval of a Special Promotion Amendment to their interconnection agreement. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on February 17, 2004. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

On July 1, 1997, the Commission approved in part and denied in part the original proposed interconnection agreement between Qwest and Cox, pursuant to Application No. C-1473. The interconnection agreement was subsequently modified by the Commission on November 18, 1997, and November 25, 1997. In the current application, Qwest and Cox seek to amend their agreement regarding promotional rates for Available Inventory Collocations on Available Inventory Sites for a limited time. Executed copies of the amendment are contained within the application.

The amendment does not discriminate against any telecommunications carrier that is not a party to the agreement. Furthermore, the implementation of the amendment 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 amendment filed should be approved.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Special Promotion Amendment to the interconnection agreement between Qwest Corporation and Cox Nebraska Telcom, L.L.C. is hereby, approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the executed amendment filed herein is hereby, made the official copies on file with the Nebraska

Public Service Commission.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 23rd day of March,
2004.

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director