

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application)	Application No. C-3240
of Qwest Communications, Denver,)	
Colorado, seeking approval of)	
its Commercial Line-Sharing)	
Amendment to the Interconnection)	
Agreement with DIECA)	GRANTED
Communications, Inc. d/b/a Covad)	
Communications Company, Denver,)	
Colorado, previously granted in)	
Docket No. C-2325.)	Entered: August 31, 2004

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

On July 21, 2004, Qwest Communications (Qwest) of Denver, Colorado, filed an application seeking approval of its Commercial Line-Sharing Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement with DIECA Communications, Inc. d/b/a Covad Communications Company (Covad), Denver, Colorado, previously granted in Docket No. C-2325. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on July 21, 2004. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

On August 1, 2000, pursuant to Application No. C-2325, the original interconnection agreement between Qwest and Covad was approved by this Commission. Subsequent to the original filing, the Commission approved amendments to the agreement in Application Nos. C-2685, C-2790, C-2792, C-2889, C-2928, C-2988, C-3068, and C-3173. In the current application, Qwest seeks to amend the agreement by adding terms and conditions. An executed copy of the amendment is contained within the application.

The amendment does not discriminate against any telecommunications carrier. 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 July 21, 2004, should be approved.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the amendment to the interconnection agreement between Qwest Communications and DIECA Communications, Inc., d/b/a Covad Communications Company, be, and it is hereby, approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the executed amendment 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 31st day of August, 2004.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director