

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application)	Application No. C-3298
of Qwest Corporation, Denver,)	
Colorado, seeking approval of)	
its Triennial Review Order and)	GRANTED
USTA II Decision Amendment to)	
the Interconnection Agreement)	
with Huntel Cablevision, Inc.)	
d/b/a Huntel Communications,)	
Blair, previously approved in)	
Application No. C-2921.)	Entered: December 14, 2004

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

On November 11, 2004, an application was filed by Qwest Corporation (Qwest) of Denver, Colorado, and Huntel Cablevision, Inc., d/b/a Huntel Communications (Huntel) of Blair, Nebraska, seeking approval to adopt its Triennial Review Order and USTA II Decision Amendment to the agreement previously approved by the Commission in C-2921 and as further amended by Qwest and Huntel. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on November 12, 2004. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

On May 20, 2003, the interconnection agreement between Qwest and Huntel was approved by this Commission pursuant to Application No. C-2921. The interconnection agreement approved in Application No. C-2921 has been previously amended by the parties on three previous occasions and approved by the Commission as reflected in Application Nos. C-2922, C-2973 and in C-2999. In the current application, Qwest and Huntel seek approval to adopt its Triennial Review Order and USTA II Decision Amendment. An executed copy of the amendment is 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 amendments 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 amendments filed should be approved.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Triennial Review Order and USTA II Decision Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation and Huntel Cablevision Inc., d/b/a Huntel Communications 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 14th day of December, 2004.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director