

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Requests by) Application No. C-3423
34 Nebraska Rural Local Exchange)
Carriers to Review the)
Commission's July 20, 2004,)
Order Granting Suspension of the) ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION
Federal Communications)
Commission's Requirement to)
Implement Wireline-Wireless)
Number Portability Pursuant to)
47 U.S.C. § 251(f)(2).) Entered: May 6, 2008

BY THE COMMISSION:

On April 22, 2008, a stipulation was filed, by and through counsel, for Sodtown Telephone Company (Sodtown), Ravenna, Nebraska, and the intervenors in this proceeding seeking an Order governing the date by which Sodtown is required to provide intermodal local number portability (LNP). On April 1, 2008, the Commission had granted Sodtown an open-ended extension of time to implement LNP but required Sodtown to report to the Commission twice annually on the status of facilities upgrades which would allow Sodtown to be LNP-capable.

The stipulation filed herein states Sodtown and the intervenors have agreed that Sodtown should be required to fully implement intermodal LNP on or before December 31, 2009. The stipulation further states that Sodtown will file progress/status reports concerning Sodtown's LNP implementation efforts to the Commission, with copies of said reports provided to the intervenors. The progress reports will be filed on or about the following dates: January 1, 2009, July 1, 2009, and December 31, 2009.

Upon review of the stipulation and the agreements made therein, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that the stipulation filed by Sodtown and the intervenors should be approved.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the stipulation filed in this proceeding on April 22, 2008, be and it is hereby, approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Sodtown is required to fully implement intermodal local number portability in accordance with Federal Communications Commission requirements by December 31, 2009.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Sodtown shall file with the Commission the implementation progress/status reports described above in accordance with the terms of the Stipulation.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that for good cause shown, the Commission may modify this Order and conduct such further proceedings as it may deem just and reasonable to enforce the obligations of Sodtown as provided herein.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 6th day of May, 2008.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chair

ATTEST:

Executive Director

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//s// Anne C. Boyle
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