

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the) Application No. C-3513
Application of Alltel Nebraska,)
Inc., Little Rock, Arkansas,)
seeking an interconnection) APPROVED
agreement with Granite)
Telecommunications, Quincy,)
Massachusetts.) Entered: January 11, 2006

BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed December 2, 2005, Alltel Nebraska, Inc., (Alltel or Applicant), Little Rock, Arkansas, seeks approval of its interconnection agreement with Granite Telecommunications, LLC (Granite), Quincy, Massachusetts. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on December 7, 2005. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

Pursuant to Section 252(a) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (the Act), Alltel and Granite entered into an interconnection agreement arrived at through voluntary negotiations. An executed copy of this agreement is contained within the application.

Neither the agreement nor any portion thereof discriminates against any telecommunications carrier. Furthermore, the implementation of the agreement is consistent with public interest, convenience and necessity.

Section 252(e) of the Act requires this Commission to review interconnection agreements adopted by negotiation or arbitration to ensure they comply with Sections 251 and 252(d) of the Act, as well as all applicable state laws. Using those standards, the interconnection agreement should be approved.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the interconnection agreement between Alltel Nebraska, Inc., and Granite Telecommunications, LLC, be, and it is hereby, approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the executed agreement 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 11th day of
January, 2006.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director