BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of Verizon)	Application No. C-3561
Business, Clinton,)	
Mississippi, requesting)	
cancellation of MCI Network)	
Services, Inc., Clinton,)	GRANTED
Mississippi, Certificate of)	
Public Convenience and)	
Necessity and for cancellation)	Entered: May 10, 2006
of tariff		

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

By application filed March 1, 2006, Verizon Business, Clinton, Mississippi, on behalf of its subsidiary MCI Network Services, Inc. (MCI) of Clinton, Mississippi, seeks to withdraw MCI's Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide telecommunications services within the state of Nebraska and to cancel its tariff currently on file. Notice of the application appeared in The Daily Record on March 6, 2006. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

In Application No. C-660, MCI was granted a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide telecommunications services in Nebraska. As MCI has no customers in Nebraska, the proposed discontinuance of service will not affect the provision of service in any of those geographic areas.

Upon review of the application and circumstances presented, the Commission is of the opinion that MCI's request should be honored and its certificate should be cancelled.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-3561 be, and it is hereby, granted and the certificate of operating authority previously issued in Application No. C-660 is cancelled.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 10th day of May, 2006.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director