

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application) Application No. C-3814
of Qwest Corporation, Denver,)
Colorado, seeking a Business)
Escalation Agreement with Verizon) WITHDRAWN
Business Network Services, Inc.)
Ashburn, Virginia.)
) Entered: July 24, 2007

BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed May 29, 2007, Qwest Corporation, (Qwest), Denver, Colorado, sought approval of a Business Escalation Agreement with Verizon Business Network Services, Inc. (Verizon) and its affiliates MCI Communications Services, Inc. and MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC, Ashburn, Virginia. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on June 4, 2007. No protests or interventions were filed.

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

By letter filed on July 3, 2007, Qwest requested to withdraw its application for Commission approval of this Business Escalation Agreement (Agreement). Qwest filed the agreement on the belief that the escalation procedures applied to the services provided under interconnection agreements between the parties. After filing the Agreement it became known to Qwest that the intended scope of the Agreement was not to cover such interconnection services.

Upon consideration of Qwest's statements, the Commission is of the opinion and finds the application for approval of the Business Escalation Agreement should be considered withdrawn.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the above-captioned application be and it is hereby withdrawn at Applicant's request.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 24th day of
July, 2007.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director