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BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of Eastern Nebraska Telephone)	Application No. C-3905
Company, Blair, seeking approval)	
of an Interconnection and)	APPROVED
Reciprocal Compensation)	
Agreement with HCI Investment)	
Company d/b/a Native Sky)	
Technologies, Winnebago.)	Entered: March 18, 2008

BY THE COMMISSION:

OPINION AND FINDINGS

On February 6, 2008, an application was filed by Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company (Eastern), of Blair, Nebraska, seeking approval of an Interconnection and Reciprocal Compensation Agreement with HCI Investment Company d/b/a Native Sky Technologies (HCI), Winnebago, Nebraska. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on February 8, 2008. 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), Eastern and HCI entered into an Interconnection and Reciprocal Compensation 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 the 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.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Interconnection Agreement between Eastern Nebraska Telephone Company and HCI Investment Company d/b/a Native Sky Technologies, be, and it is hereby, approved.

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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 18th day of March, 2008.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chair

ATTEST:

Executive Director

//s// Anne C. Boyle
//s// Frank E. Landis