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BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the)	Application No. C-3974
Application of Qwest)	
Corporation, Denver, Colorado,)	
seeking a Triennial Review)	
Order and Triennial Review)	
Remand Order ("TRO/TRRO"))	APPROVED
Amendment to an)	
Interconnection Agreement with)	
McLeodUSA Telecommunications)	
Services, Inc., Hiawatha,)	
Iowa, previously approved in)	
Docket C-2023.)	Entered: July 5, 2006

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

On October 14, 2008, Qwest Corporation ("Qwest") of Denver, Colorado, filed an application seeking approval of its Triennial Review Order and Triennial Review Remand Order (TRO/TRRO) Amendment with McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc., (McLeod), of Hiawatha, Iowa. The agreement amends the Interconnection Agreement previously approved in Docket C-2023. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on October 16, 2008. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

On April 14, 1999, in Docket C-2023, the original interconnection agreement between Qwest and McLeod was approved by the Commission. In the current application, Qwest seeks to amend the agreement by adding a Triennial Review Order and Triennial Review Remand Order Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement. An executed copy of the amendment is contained within the application.

The amendment does not discriminate against any telecommunications carrier. Furthermore, the implementation of the amendment is consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.

Section 252(e) of the Act requires this Commission to review negotiated interconnection agreements to ensure they comply with Sections 251 and 252(d) of the Act, as well as

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all applicable state laws. Using those standards, the Amendment filed October 14, 2008, should be approved.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation and McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc., be, and it is hereby, approved.

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 2nd day of December, 2008.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Frank E. Landis

Anne C. Boyle
Chair

Joe Johnson

ATTEST:

Tim Schram

John Burman

Deputy Director

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