

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint)	Application No. C-4329
Application of Protel Advantage,)	
Inc. d/b/a Long Distance)	
Savings, Mendota Heights,)	GRANTED
Minnesota, from the Estate of)	
Scott Lee seeking authority to)	
transfer ownership to Derek Lee,)	
Darren Lee, and Dalen Lee.)	Entered: March 8, 2011

BY THE COMMISSION:

On January 21, 2011, a joint application was filed by Protel Advantage, Inc. d/b/a Long Distance Savings ("Protel"), Mendota Heights, Minnesota, and the Estate of Scott Lee ("Transferor"), seeking authority to transfer ownership from Transferor to Derek Lee, Darren Lee, and Dalen Lee ("Beneficiaries"). Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on January 26, 2011. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

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

Protel is a privately held corporation organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota. Protel operates as a reseller and provider of interexchange services in Nebraska, pursuant to authority granted by the Commission on December 6, 2005, in Docket C-3498.

Transferor is a private estate that currently holds 83.2% of shares in Protel. Prior to the closing of the estate in the first quarter of 2011, the shares must be transferred from the Transferor to Beneficiaries.

Protel and Transferor propose to transfer the 83.2% of shares held by Transferor to Beneficiaries. Upon receiving these shares, Beneficiaries will own or control 89.2% of the shares in Protel. The parties do not seek to transfer Protel's operating authority with this transaction, and Protel will continue to operate without interruption.

The proposed transaction will foster competition in the telecommunications market and will not affect the services provided to customers. The transfer of ownership should be invisible to customers, with no change in services or rates.

Based on the evidence, we find the application to be fair and reasonable and in the public interest. The application for transfer of ownership should be granted.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-4329, be, and it is hereby, granted.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 8th day of March, 2011.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

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ATTEST:

Executive Director

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//s// Frank E. Landis
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Executive Director