

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter for Declaratory ) Application No. C-4858/  
Order of Qwest Corporation ) DR-0007  
d/b/a CenturyLink QC, United )  
Telephone Company of the West )  
d/b/a CenturyLink and Dex )  
Media, Inc., seeking a )  
determination that Neb. Admin. )  
Code, Title 291, Chap. 10, )  
§019.01 et seq.; Title 291, )  
Chap. 5, §002.22A and 010.09; ) ORDER APPROVING NOTICE  
and Title 291, Chap. 10, )  
§006.07A be clarified or )  
waived entirely or partially )  
to permit compliance by )  
digitally published )  
directories, including online, )  
rather than traditional paper )  
printing and publication. ) Entered: June 6, 2017

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

On July 21, 2016, Qwest Communications d/b/a CenturyLink QC, United Telephone Company of the West d/b/a CenturyLink (CenturyLink) and Dex Media, Inc., (Dex Media) (collectively Petitioners) filed an application seeking a waiver of requirements for paper publication of directories based in part on the availability of digital alternatives.<sup>1</sup> Petitioners complied with Notice requirements and no protests were received. The Commission held a workshop on October 18, 2016, to discuss the need for this type of waiver and the purposes served.

On November 29, 2016, the Commission issued an Order granting this request subject to conditions. On April 18, 2017, the Commission agreed to modify those conditions. In that Order, the Commission directed the joint petitioners to work with Commission staff on the proposed bill notice to consumers. On May 8, 2017, the Petitioners provided a copy of the draft bill notice to the Commission. Upon review of the bill message, the Commission is of the opinion and finds it to be acceptable. Accordingly, it should

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<sup>1</sup>Neb. Admin. Code, Title 291, Chapter 1, §019.91 et seq.; Title 291, Chap. 5, § 002.22A and 010.09; Title 291, Chap. 10, §006.07A require publication of directories.

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be approved. The Petitioners shall provide notice to affected subscribers consistent with the findings in the Commission's April 18, 2017 Order.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the draft bill message filed by the Petitioners on May 8, 2017, shall be and it is hereby, approved.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 6th day of June, 2017.

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

*Mary Faddel*  
*Crystal Unoades*  
*Frank E. Landis*

//s//Frank E. Landis  
//s//Tim Schram

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

*Tim Schram*  
Chairman

ATTEST:

*Shana Kurosu*  
Deputy Director