

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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| In the Matter of the |) | Application No. C-4926 |
| Application of Qwest |) | |
| Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink |) | |
| QC, Denver, Colorado, seeking |) | |
| approval of a name correction |) | APPROVED |
| and Reciprocal Compensation |) | |
| Bill and Keep Amendment to the |) | |
| Interconnection Agreement by |) | |
| and between Qwest Corporation |) | |
| d/b/a CenturyLink QC and |) | |
| Neutral Tandem, Inc., Chicago, |) | |
| Illinois. |) | Entered: June 22, 2017 |

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

By application filed May 12, 2016, Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC (CenturyLink), of Denver, Colorado, and Neutral Tandem, Inc., of Chicago, Illinois, (together Applicants) seek approval of a name correction from Neutral Tandem, Inc., to Neutral Tandem-Nebraska, LLC. In the original Order of 2010, company was erroneously called Neutral Tandem, Inc.

Additionally, Applicants seek approval of an amendment to the Interconnection Agreement for services in the State of Nebraska approved by the Commission on July 13, 2010. The Applicants seek to add a Reciprocal Compensation Bill and Keep Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement.

Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on May 17, 2017. 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), Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink and Neutral Tandem-Nebraska, LLC, entered into an Interconnection Agreement arrived at through voluntary negotiations. An executed copy of this amendment is contained within the application.

Neither the amendment nor any portion thereof discriminates against any telecommunications carrier. Furthermore, the implementation of the amendment is

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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 amendment should be approved.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the name correction from Neutral Tandem, Inc., to Neutral Tandem-Nebraska, LLC, should be and hereby is approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Interconnection Agreement between Qwest Corporation d/b/a CenturyLink QC and Neutral Tandem-Nebraska, LLC, shall 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.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 22nd day of June, 2017.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Mary Riddin

Tim Schram
Chairman

Ed Larson

ATTEST:

Frank E. Landis

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

Deputy Director