BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Joint Application of ALLTEL Nebraska, Inc. of Little Rock, Arkansas, and KMC Telecom V, Inc. of Lawrenceville, Georgia, seeking approval of a voluntarily-negotiated interconnection agreement.	Application No. C-2611 GRANTED Entered: November 20, 2001

BY THE COMMISSION:

On October 5, 2001, an application was filed by ALLTEL Nebraska, Inc. (ALLTEL) of Little Rock, Arkansas, and KMC Telecom V, Inc. (KMC) of Lawrenceville, Georgia, seeking approval of a voluntarily-negotiated interconnection agreement. Notice of this application appeared in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on October 8, 2001. 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), ALLTEL and KMC entered into an interconnection agreement arrived at through voluntary negotiations. An executed copy of the voluntarily-negotiated interconnection agreement is contained within the application.

Neither the agreement nor any portion thereof discriminates against any telecommunications carrier that is not a party to the agreement. 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 negotiated interconnection agreements 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 filed October 5, 2001, should be approved.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the voluntarily-negotiated interconnection agreement between ALLTEL Nebraska, Inc. and KMC Telecom V, Inc. be, and it is hereby, approved.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the executed interconnection agreement 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 20th day of November, 2001.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

//s// Rod Johnson
//s// Frank E. Landis

ATTEST:

Executive Director

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