

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application ) Application No. C-2873  
of Qwest Corporation of Denver, )  
Colorado, and Pinpoint )  
Communications, Inc. of Lincoln, )  
Nebraska, seeking approval of an ) GRANTED  
amendment to a wireline )  
interconnection agreement )  
previously approved in )  
application No. C-2605. ) Entered: March 4, 2003

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

On January 27, 2003, a joint application was filed by Qwest Corporation (Qwest) of Denver, Colorado and Pinpoint Communications, Inc. (Pinpoint) of Lincoln, Nebraska, seeking approval of an amendment to a wireline interconnection agreement previously approved in Application No. C-2605. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on January 28, 2003. 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 and Pinpoint entered into an interconnection agreement, which was approved by the Commission on October 30, 2001, in Application No. C-2605. In the current application, Qwest and Pinpoint seek to amend the original agreement by adding terms and conditions and rates for Facility Connected Collocation.

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 all applicable state laws. Using those standards, the amendment filed January 27, 2003, 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 Pinpoint Communications, 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 4th day of March 2003.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chair

ATTEST:

Executive Director