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BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application ) Application No. C-3704  
of Qwest Corporation, Denver, )  
Colorado, seeking a CLEC )  
consolidation amendment to the ) APPROVED  
wireline interconnection )  
agreement with MCImetro Access )  
Transmission Services, LLC, )  
Ashburn, Virginia, previously )  
granted in Docket No. C-3703. ) Entered: December 5, 2006

BY THE COMMISSION:

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

By application filed October 16, 2006, Qwest Corporation (Qwest), of Denver, Colorado, seeks a CLEC consolidation amendment to the wireline interconnection agreement with MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC (MCImetro Access), of Ashburn, Virginia. The original agreement between Qwest and MCImetro Access was previously approved in Docket No. C-3703. Notice of this application appeared in the Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska on October 18, 2006. No protests or interventions were filed; therefore, the Commission processes this application through its Rule of Modified Procedure.

Pursuant to Section 252(a) of the 1996 Act, Qwest and MCImetro Access entered into an amendment to their interconnection agreement which was previously approved by the Commission in Docket No. C-3703. The agreement states that MCImetro Access has consolidated its competitive local exchange carrier operations under a single legal entity. Accordingly, they amended the agreement to govern ordering, provisioning and billing between the parties.

Neither the amendment nor any portion thereof discriminates 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 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.

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O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the CLEC consolidation amendment to the wireline interconnection agreement between Qwest Corporation and MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC 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 5<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2006.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

  


//s// Lowell C. Johnson  
//s// Frank E. Landis

  
Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Executive Director