BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of Arizona Telephony Brokers, L.L.C. of Scottsdale, Arizona, seeking authority to operate as a resale common carrier of telecommunications services within the state of Nebraska.	)	Application No. C-2720 GRANTED Entered: May 22, 2002

BY THE COMMISSION:

On April 8, 2002, an application was filed by Arizona Telephony Brokers, L.L.C. (Arizona) of Scottsdale, Arizona, seeking authority to operate as a resale common carrier of telecommunications services within the state of Nebraska. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on April 10, 2002. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

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

Arizona is an Arizona Corporation with its headquarters in Scottsdale, Arizona. Arizona has been authorized by the Secretary of State to conduct business in the state of Nebraska as a foreign corporation. No officer, director or shareholder having five percent or more of the applicant's voting securities has been involved in a formal complaint or other investigatory or enforcement proceeding.

Arizona is a switch-based interexchange resale carrier, which intends to provide switched and dedicated to switched interexchange telecommunications services. Arizona proposes to offer switched and dedicated access "1+" long distance telecommunications services suitable for voice and limited data applications along with prepaid calling cards, postpaid calling cards, toll-free services and directory assistance.

Interexchange reseller applications are subject to Commission jurisdiction under Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 75-604 and 86-805 and Title 291 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations, Chapter 5, Rule 003.12. From examination of the application filed herein, the Commission finds Arizona has provided all the information required by the Commission, possesses adequate financial resources to provide the proposed service and possesses adequate technical competency to provide the proposed service. The application should be granted.

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O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-2720 be, and it is hereby, granted and Arizona Telephony Brokers, L.L.C. is authorized to operate as a resale common carrier of telecommunications services within the state of Nebraska.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the applicant shall file, in accordance with the applicable statutes on or before April 30th of each year, an annual report with this Commission consisting of: (a) a copy of any report filed with the Federal Communications Commission; (b) a copy of any annual report to stockholders; and (c) a copy of the latest Form 10-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. If these are not available, applicant shall submit a balance sheet and income statement for the previous year of operation, as well as the investment made in telephone plant and equipment located within the state, accumulated depreciation thereon, operating revenues and expenses, and taxes.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, to the extent applicable, the applicant shall comply with all laws pertaining to, and all rules and regulations promulgated under, the Telecommunications Relay System Act (Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 86-1302 to 86-1307) and the Nebraska Telecommunications Universal Service Fund Act (Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 86-1402 to 86-1410).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that applicant file a current tariff prior to offering service pursuant to the certificate granted in this order.

IT IS FINALLY ORDERED that this order be, and it is hereby made, the Commission's official certificate of authority to furnish the service authorized herein as a common carrier.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 22nd day of May, 2002.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Anne Boyle
Chair

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

//s//Anne C. Boyle
//s//Frank E. Landis

ATTEST:

Executive Director

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