BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of Clarks Telecom Company, Clarks, seeking cancellation of the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity of Clarks Telecom Long Distance Company to provide interexchange telecommunications services and withdrawal of tariff.	)	Application No. C-4168 GRANTED Entered: June 23, 2009

BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed May 7, 2009, Clarks Telecom Company, (Clarks) Clarks, Nebraska, is seeking authority to withdraw its certificate of authority to provide interexchange telecommunications services in the state of Nebraska, previously approved in Docket No. C-2539, and to cancel its Long Distance tariff. Notice of the application was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on May 12, 2009. 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

On July 11, 2001, Clarks was granted authority to operate as an interexchange telecommunications carrier within the state of Nebraska pursuant to Docket C-2539.

By application received on May 7, 2009, Clarks requested the withdrawal of its authority to operate as a carrier of interexchange telecommunications services in the State of Nebraska. Clarks transferred its long distance customer base to CenCom, Inc., d/b/a NNTC Long Distance on September 18, 2007, pursuant to Docket C-3848.

Upon consideration of the request and being fully advised, the Commission finds the request to be reasonable and finds that Clarks' authority to operate as an interexchange carrier of telecommunications services in the State of Nebraska should be cancelled and its tariff withdrawn.

O R D E R

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-4168 be, and it is hereby, granted and the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide interexchange telecommunications services previously granted to Clarks Telecom Long Distance Company, is cancelled.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any Clarks Telecom Long Distance Company tariffs be, and are hereby, withdrawn.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 23rd day of June, 2009.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director

//s// Frank E. Landis

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