BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of the Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Company for authority to adjust its rates and charges for telephone service to its Plattsmouth, Nebraska exchange.	Application No. C-1048 ORDER GRANTING IN PART MOTION TO STRIKE Entered: April 5, 1994

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BY THE COMMISSION

OPINION AND FINDINGS

Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Company (LT&T) filed this application to adjust its Plattsmouth exchange rates. AT&T timely protested the application. LT&T subsequently moved that the Commission strike AT&T's protest, either in its entirety, or those portions which pertain to access or charges for access.

After considering the arguments of both parties, we conclude that the motion to strike the protest should be granted to the extent that it requests that AT&T's protest be stricken insofar as it pertains to access or charges for access.

This Application is limited in its scope to the request of the Applicant to revise its basic local exchange rates only for the Plattsmouth Exchange. The filing of the Application for this limited purpose was ordered by this Commission in its Order entered in Application No. C-977 made on January 3, 1994. To the extent that AT&T's protest sets forth objections to such basic local exchange service increase, it shall be allowed to stand and AT&T may introduce evidence at the hearing on this matter relating solely to its objections to such proposed basic local service rate increase.

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ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the motion to strike AT&T's protest to Application No. C-1048 be and it is hereby granted in part in accordance with the foregoing finding.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 5th day of April, 1994.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

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//s//Rod Johnson
//s//Frank E. Landis, Jr.
//s//James F. Munnelly
//s//Daniel G. Urwiller

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