BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

M. Gene Hand, Director, Communications Department, Nebraska Public Service Commission, Lincoln, Complainant	) Departmental Complaint No. 006/ Docket C-1079
vs.	PETITION FOR ORDER TO CEASE AND DESIST
Business Network Communications, Cherry Hill, New Jersey, Defendant.	

M. Gene Hand, Director of the Nebraska Public Service Commission's Communications Department, petitions the Nebraska Public Service Commission in the matter against Business Network Communications and its officers and alleges as follows:

1. Complainant is Director of the Department of Communications of this Commission.

2. Defendant is a foreign corporation which is doing business in Nebraska without having been domesticated.

3. Defendant operates as a reseller of telecommunications services interLATA in Nebraska intrastate commerce without a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity granted by this Commission contrary to Neb. Rev. Stat. §75-605 (Reissue 1990). By letter dated November 16, 1993, complainant informed defendant that its operations were illegal and requested that it cease operations. Nevertheless, defendant has failed to respond and willfully continues to provide telecommunication services in this state.

WHEREFORE, complainant prays that the Commission convene a hearing on the foregoing petition pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §75-131 (Reissue 1990) and enter an order requiring defendant to cease and desist from offering telephone communications service in Nebraska pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. §75-133 (Reissue 1990).

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