

SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Nebraska ) Application Nos. C-3996/  
Public Service Commission, on ) PI-144  
its own motion, to investigate )  
Qwest Corporation's )  
Jurisdictional Report ) PLANNING CONFERENCE ORDER AND  
Requirements regarding ) NOTICE OF HEARING  
terminating Feature Group D )  
(FGD) Traffic. )  
) Entered: May 15, 2009

BY THE HEARING OFFICER:

On November 20, 2008, Qwest Corporation ("Qwest") filed revised pages to the Qwest Corporation Access Service Catalog modifying the Jurisdictional Report Requirements in Section 2, in relation to identifying the jurisdiction of terminating Feature Group D ("FGD") traffic. On November 26, 2008, MCI Communications Services Inc. d/b/a Verizon Business Services ("Verizon") filed an objection to Qwest's revised catalog provisions and a motion to suspend the provisions pending Commission review of the pertinent provisions.

The Nebraska Public Service Commission ("Commission") entered an order suspending the Qwest tariff at issue and opening the above-captioned proceeding to review the catalog revisions filed by Qwest on December 9, 2008. Notice of the docket was published in The Daily Record, Omaha, Nebraska, on December 8, 2008.

**Planning Conference**

A planning teleconference was held on May 14, 2009, at 10:30 a.m. The following parties participated in the conference: for Verizon, Thomas F. Dixon, Counsel for Verizon; for Qwest, Timothy J. Goodwin, Counsel for Qwest and Joanne Hanson; and for the Commission, Nichole Underhill, Legal Counsel for the Commission and Gene Hand, Director of the Commission's Communications Department.

As a result of the planning conference, several issues were decided. Therefore, this order serves to memorialize those decisions and to provide a timeline for proceeding in this docket.

**Deadlines**

Deadlines for various events were established and are set forth in Appendix A.

Service

All parties shall file all documents on all parties of record. All parties shall file all documents in electronic, Microsoft WORD compatible format via email with paper copies sent via mail to follow.

Parties are encouraged to engage in negotiations; however, the conduct of negotiations does not relieve the parties of their obligation to meet filing deadlines.

Hearing

A Hearing in Application No. C-3996/PI-144 will be held on **August 19, 2009**, at 9:30 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Hearing Accommodations

If auxiliary aids or reasonable accommodations are needed for attendance at the meeting, please call the Commission at (402) 471-3101. For people with hearing/speech impairments, please call the Commission at (402) 471-0213 (TDD) or the Nebraska Relay System at (800) 833-7352 (TDD) or (800) 833-0920 (Voice). Advance notice of at least seven days is needed when requesting an interpreter.

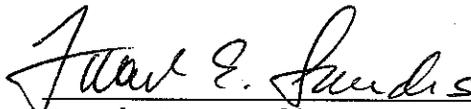
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IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Hearing Officer that the deadlines and requirements established in this order and attached hereto are hereby adopted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a hearing in Application No. C-3996/PI-144 will be held on **August 19, 2009**, at 9:30 a.m. in the Commission Hearing Room, 300 The Atrium, 1200 N Street, Lincoln, Nebraska.

MADE AND ENTERED in Lincoln, Nebraska, on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2009.

BY:



Frank E. Landis  
HEARING OFFICER

## APPENDIX A

PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

<u>DAY</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>
Monday	June 8	Qwest Direct Testimony filed
Tuesday	June 30	Verizon Reply Testimony filed
Friday	July 24	Qwest Rebuttal Testimony filed
All Discovery Requests	N/A	Ten days from date request is filed
Wednesday	August 19	Hearing