

BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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In the Matter of a Request to Amend the Certificate of Authority of West Central Telephone Association to Expand its Service Area

The above entitled matter has been considered by the Commission and the following disposition made:

**Granted West Central Telephone Association's petition to provide facilities based and resold local exchange services in the Staples and Wadena exchanges conditioned upon Commission approval of a 911 plan and an interconnection agreement with Qwest.**

**This decision is issued by the Commission's consent calendar subcommittee, under a delegation of authority granted under Minn. Stat. § 216A.03, subd. 8 (a). Unless a party, a participant, or a Commissioner files an objection to this decision within ten days of receiving it, it will become the Order of the full Commission under Minn. Stat. § 216A.03, subd. 8 (b).**

The Commission agrees with and adopts the recommendations of the Department of Commerce which are attached and hereby incorporated in the Order.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Burl W. Haar  
Executive Secretary

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