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Description of Application: _____

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George S. Li, Deputy Chief
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Federal Communications Commission
2000 M Street, NW, Room 835
Washington, DC 20554

ITC-214-19981821-00751

Re: **Nebraska Long Distance Company, L.L.C.**
Section 214 Application for Authority to Operate as an
International Resale Carrier

Dear Mr. Li:

On behalf of Nebraska Long Distance Company, L.L.C. (Nebraska), we hereby submit for filing an original and five copies of a Section 214 Application for authority to operate as an international resale and facilities-based carrier for the purpose of providing switched, data, private line, and other long distances services between the United States and international points. Pursuant to Section 63.12 of the Commission's Rules, Nebraska requests streamlined processing of the enclosed application.

Please also find enclosed an FCC Form 159 (Remittance Advice) and a check made payable to the Federal Communications Commission in the amount of \$780.00 to cover the filing fee associated with this application.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please communicate directly with the undersigned.

Sincerely,



Michael R. Bennet

Enclosures

Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of
**NEBRASKA LONG DISTANCE
COMPANY, L.L.C.**

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) File No. W-P-C ____
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) *IR-214-19981021-00751*

Application for Authorization
Pursuant to Section 214 of the
Communications Act, as Amended,
to Operate as an International
Resale Carrier)
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To: Chief, Telecommunications Division, International Bureau

APPLICATION FOR SECTION 214 CERTIFICATION

Nebraska Long Distance Company, L.L.C. ("Applicant") hereby applies for authority pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act, as amended, and Section 63.18 of the Commission's Rules to resell international switched, data, private line, and other long distance telecommunications services between the United States and international points.

In support of this application, the following information is provided in response to the requirements of Section 63.18 of the Commission's Rules:

- (a) The name, address and telephone number of the applicant are Nebraska Long Distance Company, L.L.C., 112 South 5th Street, Box 113, Pierce, Nebraska 68767, (402) 329-6225.
- (b) Applicant is a limited liability company organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska.
- (c) Any correspondence concerning this application should be addressed to:

S. Troy Sandelin, President
Nebraska Long Distance Company, L.L.C.
112 South 5th Street
Box 113
Pierce, NE 68767
Phone: (402) 329-6225

with a copy to:

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- (d) Applicant is not presently certified under Section 214 of the Communications Act for international services, and by this application requests authorization to operate as an international resale carrier.
- (e) Applicant requests Section 214 authority as a resale carrier pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2). Specifically, this application requests authority to resell the international services of authorized United States common carriers for the provision of international public switched private line, data, and other long distance telecommunications services to all international points.
- (f) Applicant's proposal conforms to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2), and is subject to streamlined processing pursuant to Section 63.12 of the Commission's rules.
- (g) Applicant does not request facilities-based authority under Section 63.18(e)(6).
- (h) Applicant hereby certifies that it has no affiliation, either directly or indirectly, with a foreign carrier. Applicant is a wholly owned subsidiary of Pierce Telecommunications, Inc. ("Pierce") and is affiliated with Pierce Telephone Company, Inc. ("PTC"), another wholly owned subsidiary of Pierce. PTC is a

provider of local exchange service, and neither PTC nor Pierce is affiliated with any foreign carrier.

The following individuals hold a ten percent or greater direct or indirect interest in Applicant:

<u>Owner</u>	<u>Citizenship</u>	<u>Ownership Interest</u>	<u>Principal Business</u>
Mary Jane Fogle	U.S.	34%	Telecommunications
William E. Fogle	U.S.	34%	Telecommunications

All directors of Applicant are U.S. citizens. There are no directors of Applicant who also serve as directors of a foreign carrier or a U.S. carrier whose international facility based services the Applicant proposes to resell.


- (i) Applicant hereby certifies that it has not agreed to accept special concessions directly or indirectly from any foreign carrier or administration with respect to traffic or revenue flows between the U.S. and any foreign country which Applicant may serve under the authority granted under Part 63 of the FCC's rules and will not enter into such agreements in the future.
- (j) Applicant hereby certifies, pursuant to Sections 1.2001 through 1.2003 of the FCC rules, that neither it nor any party to this application is subject to denial of federal benefits that include FCC benefits, pursuant to Section 5301 of the Federal Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. 853(a).

Applicant acknowledges its responsibility for the continuing accuracy of the certifications required by paragraphs (h), (i) and (j) of this application.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that Section 214 authorization be granted to Applicant.

Respectfully submitted,

Nebraska Long Distance Company, I.L.C.

By 
S. Troy Sandelin
President

Date: October 20, 1998