

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF WESTERN UNION CORPORATION )  
FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE WESTERN UNION )  
TELEGRAPH COMPANY FOR AN ORDER APPROVING )  
DISCONTINUANCE OF INTRASTATE INTERLATA ) CASE NO. 90-192  
TELEPHONE SERVICE, CANCELLING ITS )  
AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE THE SAME, AND TO )  
WITHDRAW ITS TARIFFS )

O R D E R

On July 6, 1990, Western Union Corporation ("Western Union") filed an application requesting that the Commission issue an Order approving its discontinuance of intrastate interLATA long-distance service in the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Furthermore, Western Union requests that the Commission cancel its authority to provide intrastate interLATA long-distance service and approve Western Union's withdrawal of its tariffs. Western Union submitted the affidavit of Richard D. Jordanger which states that Western Union notified all of its customers nationwide that it was discontinuing the provision of telephone service. The customers who were previously receiving telephone service from Western Union are currently receiving that service from other entities.

The Commission, having reviewed Western Union's application and being otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that:

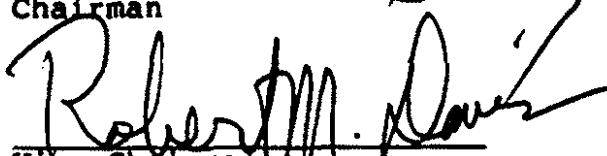
1. Western Union shall be allowed to discontinue the provision of intrastate interLATA long-distance service in Kentucky.

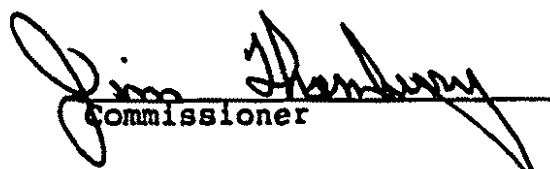
2. Western Union shall be removed from the Commission's records as an operating public utility and its tariffs withdrawn.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 13th day of July, 1990.

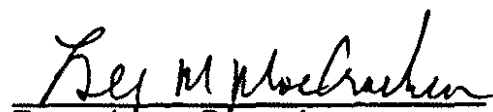
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Executive Director