

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: FARMERS MUTUAL COOPERATIVE TELEPHONE COMPANY	DOCKET NO. SPU-02-1 <hr/> AMENDED CERTIFICATE NO. 0050
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AMENDED CERTIFICATE

(Issued March 1, 2002)

On January 30, 2002, Farmers Mutual Cooperative Telephone Company of Shelby County (Farmers), along with Defiance Telephone Company (Defiance) and Manilla Telephone Company (Manilla), filed a request to transfer Defiance's Certificate No. 0040 and Manilla's Certificate No. 0081 to Farmers. The request was identified as Docket No. SPU-02-1 and treated as a discontinuance of service pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.20(1). An order approving the request for transfer is being issued simultaneously with this amended certificate.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

This certificate of public convenience and necessity, issued pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29(1) (2001), is amended to add the authorization to provide service in

the Defiance and Manilla, Iowa, exchanges and in the future as shown by its tariff as currently and subsequently approved.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 1st day of March, 2002.