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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G

Under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
(Amendment No.)*

West TeleServices Corporation

(Name of Issuer)

Common Stock, par value $.01 per share
(Title of Class of Securities)

956188106
(CUSIP Number)

*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

The information required on the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes).

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1 NAME OF REPORTING PERSON
S.S. OR I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSON

Troy L. Eaden

2 CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP*

(a) [_]

(b) [_]

3 SEC USE ONLY

4 CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

United States

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON WITH	5	SOLE VOTING POWER 8,516,250
	6	SHARED VOTING POWER -0-
	7	SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER 8,516,250
	8	SHARED DISPOSITIVE POWER -0-

9 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

8,516,250

10 CHECK BOX IF THE AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES* [ ]

11 PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9

13.4%

12 TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON*

IN

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Item 1(a)	Name of Issuer:
	West TeleServices Corporation (the "Issuer")
Item 1(b)	Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices:
	9910 Maple Street Omaha, NE 68134
Items 2(a) and (b).	Name of Person Filing; Address of Principal Business Office:
	This statement is filed by Troy L. Eaden ("Eaden"). The business address of Eaden is 9910 Maple Street, Omaha, Nebraska 68134.
Item 2(c)	Citizenship:
	United States
Item 2(d)	Title of Class of Securities:
	Common Stock, par value $.01 per share (the "Common Stock")
Item 2(e)	CUSIP Number:
	956188106
Item 3	Not Applicable
Item 4	Ownership:
	(a) 8,516,250 shares of Common Stock, as of December 31, 1996.
	The 8,516,250 shares of Common Stock beneficially owned by Eaden as of December 31, 1996 includes (i) 7,000,000 shares of Common Stock directly owned by Eaden and (ii) 1,516,250 shares of Common Stock held by the Eaden Family Limited Partnership, of which Eaden is a general partner.
	(b) 13.4%

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(c) (i) 8,516,250
(ii) -0-
(iii) 8,516,250
(iv) -0-

Item 5 Ownership of Five Percent or Less of a Class:

Not Applicable

Item 6 Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person:

Not Applicable

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary
Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on By the Parent Holding Company:

Not Applicable

Item 8 Identification and Classification of Members of the Group:

Not Applicable

Item 9 Notice of Dissolution of Group:

Not Applicable

Item 10 Certification:

Not Applicable

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SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

Dated: February 13, 1997

/s/ Troy L. Eaden

Troy L. Eaden

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