

The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
TELECOMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION FORM

(Effective: 10/01/2004)

(Pursuant to Case Nos. 99-998-TP-COI and 99-563-TP-COI)

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In the Matter of the Application of Windstream Ohio, Inc.)
to incorporate 811 service into the Abbreviated Dialing)
Section of the Tariff)

Case No. 07-331-TP-ATA

Name of Registrant(s) Windstream Ohio, Inc.
DBA(s) of Registrant(s) _____
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Date March 28, 2007 TRF Docket No. _____ - CT-TRF or 90-5002 - TP-TRF

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Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? ☐ Yes ☐ No [Note: waiver(s) tolls any automatic timeframe]
Company Type (check all applicable): ☐ CTS (IXC) ☒ ILEC ☐ CLEC ☐ CMRS ☐ AOS
☐ Other (explain) _____

NOTE: This form must accompany all applications filed by telecommunication service providers subject to the Commission's rules promulgated in Case No. 99-998-TP-COI, as well as by ILECs filing an ARB or NAG case pursuant to the guidelines established in Case No. 96-463-TP-UNC. It is **preferable NOT to combine different types of filings, but if you do so, you must file under the process with the longest applicable review period.**

I. Please indicate the reason for submitting this form (check one)

- ☐ 1 (AAC) Application to Amend Certificate by a CLEC to modify Serving Area (0-day notice, 7 copies)
- ☐ 2 (ABN) Abandonment of all Services
 - ☐ a. CLEC (90-day approval, 10 copies)
 - ☐ b. CTS (14-day approval, 10 copies)
 - ☐ c. ILEC (NOT automatic, 10 copies)
- ☐ 3 (ACE) New Operating Authority for providers other than CMRS (30-day approval, 7 copies); for CMRS, see item No. 15 on this page.
 - ☐ a. Switched Local
 - ☐ b. Non-switched local
 - ☐ c. CTS
 - ☐ d. Local and CTS
 - ☐ e. Other (explain) _____
- ☐ 4 (ACO) LEC Application to Change Ownership (30-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 5 (ACN) LEC Application to Change Name (30-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 6 (AEC) Carrier-to-Carrier Contract Amendment to an agreement approved in a NAG or ARB case (30-day approval, 7 copies)
NOTE: see item 25 (CTR) on page two of this form for all other contract filings.
- ☐ 7 (AMT) LEC Merger (30-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 8 (ARB) Application for Arbitration (see 96-463-TP-COI for applicable process, 10 copies)
- ☒ 9 (ATA) Application for Tariff Amendment for Tier 1 Services, Application to Reclassify Service Among Tiers, or Change to Non-Tier Service
 - ☐ a. Tier 1 (and Carrier-to-Carrier tariff filings as set forth in 95-845-TP-COI)
 - ☐ i. Pre-filing submittal (30-day pre-filing submittal with Staff and OCC; **Do Not Docket**, 4 copies)
 - ☐ ii. New End User Service which has been preceded by a 30-day pre-filing submittal with Staff for all submittals and also with Staff and OCC for Tier 1 residential services (0-day filing, 10 copies)
 - ☒ iii. New End User Service (NOT preceded by a 30-day filing submittal, 30-day approval, 10 copies)
 - ☐ iv. New Carrier-to-Carrier Service which has been preceded by a 30-day pre-filing with Staff (0-day filing, 10 copies)
 - ☐ v. Change in Terms and Conditions, textual revision, correction of error, etc. (30-day approval, 10 copies)
 - ☐ vi. Grandfather service (30-day approval, 10 copies)
 - ☐ vii. Initial Carrier-to-Carrier Services Tariff subsequent to ACE approval (60-day approval, 10 copies)
 - ☐ viii. Withdrawal of Tier 1 service must be filed as an "ATW", not an "ATA" - see item 12, below
 - ☐ b. Reclassification of Service Among Tiers (NOT automatic, 10 copies)
 - ☐ c. Textual revision with no effect on rates for non-specific or non-tier service (30-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 10 (ATC) Application to Transfer Certificate (30-day approval, 7 copies)
- ☐ 11 (ATR) LEC Application to Conduct a Transaction Between Utilities (30-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 12 (ATW) Application to Withdraw a Tier 1 Service
 - ☐ a. CLEC (60-day approval, 10 copies)
 - ☐ b. ILEC (NOT automatic, 10 copies)
- ☐ 13 (CIO) Application for Change in Operations by Non-LEC Providers (0-day notice, 7 copies)
- ☐ 14 (NAG) Negotiated Interconnection Agreement Between Carriers (0-day effective, 90-day approval, 8 copies)
- ☐ 15 (RCC) For CMRS providers only to Register or to Notify of a Change in Operations (0-day notice, 7 copies)
- ☐ 16 (SLF) Self-complaint Application
 - ☐ a. CLEC only - Tier 1 (60-day automatic, 10 copies)
 - ☐ b. Introduce or increase maximum price range for Non-Specific Service Charge (60-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 17 (UNC) Unclassified (explain) _____ (NOT automatic, 15 copies)
- ☐ 18 (ZTA) Tariff Notification Involving only Tier 2 Services
NOTE: Notifications do not require or imply Commission Approval.
 - ☐ a. New End User Service (0-day notice, 10 copies)
 - ☐ b. Change in Terms and Conditions, textual revision, correction of error, etc. (0-day notice, 10 copies)
 - ☐ c. Withdrawal of service (0-day notice, 10 copies)
- ☐ 19 Other (explain) _____ (NOT automatic, 15 copies)

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THE FOLLOWING ARE TRF FILINGS ONLY, NOT NEW CASES (0-day notice, 3 copies)

- ☐ 20 Introduction or Extension of Promotional Offering
- ☐ 21 New Price List Rate for Existing Service
- ☐ a. Tier 1 ☐ b. Tier 2
- ☐ 22 Designation of Registrant's Process Agent(s)
- ☐ 23 Update to Registrant's Maps
- ☐ 24 Annual Tariff Option For Tier 2 Services - indicate which option you intend to adopt to maintain the tariff. NOTE, changing options is only permitted once per calendar year.
- ☐ Paper Tariff ☐ Electronic Tariff. If electronic, provide the tariff's web address: _____

THE FOLLOWING ARE CTR FILINGS ONLY, NOT NEW CASES (0-day notice, 7 copies)

- ☐ 25 Application to establish, revise, or cancel an end-user contract. (NOTE: see item 6 on page 1 of this form for carrier-to-carrier contract amendments)
- CTR Docket No. _____ - _____ - TP - CTR (Use same CTR number throughout calendar year)

II. Please indicate which of the following exhibits have been filed. The numbers (corresponding to the list on page (1) and above) indicate, at a minimum, the types of cases in which the exhibit is required:

<input type="checkbox"/>	[all]	A copy of any motion for waiver of O.A.C. rule(s) associated with this filing. NOTE: the filing of a motion for waiver tolls any automatic timeframe associated with this filing.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3]	Completed Service Requirements Form.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3, 9(vii)]	A copy of registrant's proposed tariffs. (Carrier-to-Carrier resale tariff also required if facilities-based)
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3]	Evidence that the registrant has notified the Ohio Department of Taxation of its intent to conduct operations as a telephone utility in the State of Ohio.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3]	Brief description of service(s) proposed.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d]	Explanation of whether applicant intends to provide <input type="checkbox"/> resold services, <input type="checkbox"/> facilities-based services, or <input type="checkbox"/> both resold and facilities-based services.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d]	Explanation as to whether CLEC currently offers CTS services under separate CTS authority, and whether it will be including those services within its CLEC filing, or maintaining such CTS services under a separate affiliate.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d]	Explanation of how the proposed services in the proposed market area are in the public interest.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d]	Description of the proposed market area.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d]	Description of the class of customers (e.g., residence, business) that the applicant intends to serve.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d]	Documentation attesting to the applicant's financial viability, including the following: 1) An executive Summary describing the applicant's current financial condition, liquidity, and capital resources. Describe internally generated sources of cash and external funds available to support the applicant's operations that are the subject of this certification application. 2) Copy of financial statements (actual and pro forma income statement and a balance sheet). Indicate if financial statements are based on a certain geographical area(s) or information in other jurisdictions 3) Documentation to support the applicant's cash and funding sources.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-d]	Documentation attesting to the applicant's technical and managerial expertise relative to the proposed service offering(s) and proposed service area.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-d]	Documentation indicating the applicant's corporate structure and ownership.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d]	Information regarding any similar operations in other states. Also, if this company has been previously certified in the State of Ohio, include that certification number.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d]	Verification that the applicant will maintain local telephony records separate and apart from any other accounting records in accordance with the GAAP.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d]	Verification of compliance with any affiliate transaction requirements.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d]	Explanation as to whether rates are derived through (check all applicable): <input type="checkbox"/> interconnection agreement, <input type="checkbox"/> retail tariffs, or <input type="checkbox"/> resale tariffs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[1,3a-b,3d]	Explanation as to which service areas company currently has an approved interconnection or resale agreement.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d, 9a(i-iii)]	Explanation of whether applicant intends to provide Local Services which require payment in advance of Customer receiving dial tone.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a,3b,3d, 9a,(i-iii)]	Tariff sheet(s) listing the services and associated charges that must be paid prior to customer receiving dial tone (if applicable).
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3a-b,3d,8]	Letters requesting negotiation pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a proposed timeline for construction, interconnection, and offering of services to end users.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3-5,7,10-11,13]	Certification from Ohio Secretary of State as to party's proper standing (domestic or foreign corporation, authorized use of fictitious name, etc.). In transfer of certificate cases, the transferee's good standing must be established.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3-4,7,10-11,13]	List of names, addresses, and phone numbers of officers and directors, or partners.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3]	A sample copy of the customer bill and disconnection notice the applicant plans to utilize.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	[1,4,9,10-13,16-21]	Copy of superseded tariff sheet(s) & price list(s), if applicable, marked as Exhibit A.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	[1,4,9,10-13,16-21]	Copy of revised tariff sheets & price lists, marked as Exhibit B.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3]	Provide a copy of any customer application form required in order to establish residential service, if applicable.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	[1-2,4-7,9,12-13,16,18-23,25]	Description of and rationale for proposed tariff changes, including a complete description of the service(s) proposed or affected. Specify for each service affected whether it is <input type="checkbox"/> business; <input type="checkbox"/> residence; or <input type="checkbox"/> both. Also indicate whether it is a <input type="checkbox"/> switched or <input type="checkbox"/> dedicated service. Include this information in either the cover letter or Exhibit C.

<input type="checkbox"/>	[1,2,4,9a(v-vi), 5,10,16,18(b-c), 21]	Specify which notice procedure has been/will be utilized: <input type="checkbox"/> direct mail; <input type="checkbox"/> bill insert; <input type="checkbox"/> bill notation or <input type="checkbox"/> electronic mail. NOTE: <input type="checkbox"/> Tier 1 price list increases must be within an approved range of rates. <input type="checkbox"/> SLF Filings – Do NOT send customer notice until it has been reviewed and approved by Commission Staff
<input type="checkbox"/>	[2,4-5,9a(v), 9b, 10,12-13,16, 18(b-c),20-21]	Copy of real time notice which has been/will be provided to customers. NOTE: SLF Filings – Do NOT send customer notice until it has been reviewed and approved by Commission Staff
<input type="checkbox"/>	[1,2,5,9a(v),11-13, 18, 21(increase only)]	Affidavit attesting that customer notice has been provided.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[2,12]	Copy of Notice which has been provided to ILEC(s).
<input type="checkbox"/>	[2,12]	Listing of Assigned (NPA) NXX's where in the LECs (NPA) NXX's would be reassigned.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[2,4,10,12-13,]	List of Ohio exchanges specifically involved or affected.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[14]	The interconnection agreement adopted by negotiation or mediation.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[15]	For commercial mobile radio service providers, a statement affirming that registrant has obtained all necessary federal authority to conduct operations being proposed, and that copies have been furnished by cellular, paging, and mobile companies to this Commission of any Form 401, 463, and / or 489 which the applicant has filed with the Federal Communications Commission.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[15]	Exhibits must include company name, address, contact person, service description, and evidence of registration with the Ohio Secretary of State.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[24]	Affidavit that total price of contract exceeds total cost of all regulated services.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[5,13]	New title sheet with proposed new company name.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[1,3,13]	For CLECs, List of Ohio Exchanges the applicant intends to serve (Use spreadsheet from: http://www.puc.state.oh.us/puco/forms/form.cfm?doc_id=357).
<input type="checkbox"/>	[1,3a-b,3d,7, 10,13, 23]	Maps depicting the proposed serving and calling areas of the applicant. If Mirroring Large ILEC exchanges for both serving area and local calling areas: • Serving area must be clearly reflected on an Ohio map attached to tariffs and textually described in tariffs by noting that it is reflecting a particular large ILEC/CLEC territory, and listing the involved exchanges. • Local calling areas must be clearly reflected on an Ohio map attached to the tariffs, and/or clearly delineated in tariffs, including a complete listing of each exchange being served and all exchanges to which local calls can be made from each of those exchanges. If Self-defining serving area and/or local calling area as an area other than that of the established ILEC exchange(s): • Serving Area must be clearly reflected on an Ohio map attached to the tariffs, and textually described in tariffs by listing the involved exchanges. • Local Calling Areas must be described in the tariff through textual delineation and clear maps. Maps for self-defined serving and local calling areas are required to be traced on United States Geological Survey topography maps. These maps are the Standard Topographic Quadrangle maps, 7.5 minute 1:24,000.
<input type="checkbox"/>		Other information requested by the Commission staff.
<input type="checkbox"/>	[3]	Initial certification that includes Tier 2 Services, indicate which option you intend to adopt to maintain the tariff: <input type="checkbox"/> Paper Tariff <input type="checkbox"/> Electronic Tariff - If electronic, provide the web address for the tariff:

III. Registrant hereby attests to its compliance with the following requirements in the Service Requirements Form, as well as all pertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission with respect to these issues. Further, registrant hereby affirms that it will maintain with its TRF docket an up-to-date, properly marked, copy of the Service Requirements Form available for public inspection.

MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE AND CTS PROVIDERS:

- ☒ Sales tax
☒ Minimum Telephone Service Standards (MTSS)
☒ Surcharges

MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE PROVIDERS:

- ☒ 1+ IntraLATA Presubscription

SERVICE REQUIREMENTS FOR PROVISION OF CERTAIN SERVICES (CHECK ALL APPLICABLE):

- ☐ Discounts for Persons with Communication Disabilities and the Telecommunication Relay Service [Required if toll service provided]
☐ Emergency Services Calling Plan [Required if toll service provided]
☐ Alternative Operator Service (AOS) requirements [Required for all providing AOS (including inmate services) service]
☐ Limitation of Liability Language [Required for all who have tariff language that may limit their liability]
☐ Termination Liability Language [Required for all who have early termination liability language in their tariffs]
☐ Service Connection Assistance (SCA) [Required for all LECs]
☐ Local Number Portability and Number Pooling [Required for facilities-based LECs]
☐ Package Language [Required for tariffs containing packages or service bundles containing both local and toll and/or non-regulated services]

IV. List names, titles, phone numbers, and addresses of those persons authorized to respond to inquiries from the Consumer Services Department on behalf of the applicant regarding end-user complaints:

Kathy Hobbs, Vice President - External Affairs, (614) 228-9484, 21 East State Street Columbus, OH 43215

Margie Hubbard, Coordinator-Reports Charlotte Call Center, (704) 841-4004, 1720 Galleria Blvd. Charlotte, NC 28270

V. List names, titles, phone numbers, and addresses of those persons authorized to make and/or affirm or verify filings at the Commission on behalf of the applicant:

Kathy Hobbs, Vice President - External Affairs, (614) 228-9484, 21 East State Street Columbus, OH 43215

NOTE: An annual report is required to be filed with the Commission by each company on an annual basis. The annual report form will be sent for completion to the address and individual(s) identified in this Section unless another address or individual is so indicated.

VI. List Name(s), DBA(s) and PUCO Certification Number(s) of any affiliates you have operating in Ohio under PUCO authority, whether Telecommunication or other. (If needed, use a separate sheet and check here: ☐)

See Attached

AFFIDAVIT

Compliance with Commission Rules and Service Standards

VP
I am an officer of the applicant corporation, WINDSTREAM COMMUNICATIONS, and am authorized to make this statement
(Name of Company)
on its behalf. I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules, including the Minimum Telephone Service Standards (MTSS) for the state of Ohio. I understand that tariff notification filings do not imply Commission approval and that the Commission's rules, including the Minimum Telephone Service Standards, as modified and clarified from time to time, supersede any contradictory provisions in our tariff. We will fully comply with the rules of the state of Ohio and understand that noncompliance can result in various penalties, including the suspension of our certificate to operate within the state of Ohio.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on 3-28-07 at Columbus, Ohio 43215
(Date) (Location)

Kathy E. Hobbs 3-28-07
(Signature and Title) (Date)
VP - State Govt. Affairs

** This affidavit is required for every tariff-affecting filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the applicant.*

VERIFICATION

I, Kathy E. Hobbs, verify that I have utilized, verbatim, the Commission's Telecommunications Application Form and that all of the information submitted here, and all additional information submitted in connection with this case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Kathy E. Hobbs 3-28-07
(Signature and Title) (Date)
VP - State Govt. Affairs

** Verification is required for every filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the applicant.*

Send your completed Application Form, including all required attachments as well as the required number of copies, to:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention: Docketing Division (or to the Telecommunications Division Chief if a pre-filing submittal)
180 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215-3793

ATTACHMENT VI

<u>Name of Affiliate</u>	<u>Certificate Number</u>
Windstream Ohio, Inc.	90-5002
Windstream Western Resreve, Inc.	90-5045
Windstream Communications, Inc.	90-6346

EXHIBIT A

Existing Tariff Sheets (to be superseded).

GENERAL EXCHANGE TARIFF
P.U.C.O. No. 1

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24. 211 ABBREVIATED DIALING

24.1. 211 Access to Community Information and Referral

24.1.1. General

- A. 211 Dialing Service ("211") is a three digit local dialing arrangement available in specified areas of The Western Reserve Telephone Company for delivery of general information via voice grade facilities, for community information and referral services. Pursuant to Order 00-256, issued by the Federal Communications Commission, (FCC) in CC Docket 92-105, the 211 code is assigned for access to community information and referral services. In addition, the 211 subscriber must comply with any orders and rules pertaining to 211, adopted by the FCC in rulemaking proceeding CC Docket 92-105.
- B. 211 is available in ALLTEL Territory only.
- C. The Local Calling Area of the 211 subscriber will be the Local Service Area as defined within this tariff. If local calling areas are merged, and a 211 number exists in both areas, the OCIRP/211 Ohio will decide which 211 subscriber will retain the 211 dialing service in the merged local calling area, unless the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio orders otherwise.
- D. This service is furnished subject to the availability of the 211 number.
- E. 211 Service can be delivered via regular exchange access lines (by Individual business lines, PBX trunks, etc.), as facilities permit.
- F. Limitations and use of service as stated in this tariff apply.
- G. Directory Listings may be provided for 211 Service at rates and regulations as specified in this Tariff.
- H. Access to 211 Service is not available to the following classes of service:

(D)

- Hospital Service
- 1+
- 0+, 0- (Credit Card, Third-Party Billing, Collect Calls)
- Inmate Service
- 101XXXX
- Cellular - Type 2A

In addition, Operator assisted calls to a 211 subscriber will not be completed.

- I. The 211 subscriber is restricted from selling or transferring the three digit 211 number to an unaffiliated entity, either directly or indirectly; provided however, that nothing in this provision prevents the Company from transferring the 211 service where a different entity has been certified as the Call Center for the county in question.

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24. 211 ABBREVIATED DIALING (Continued)

24.1. 211 Access to Community Information and Referral (Continued)

24.1.1 General (Continued)

- J. An "affiliate" of a 211 subscriber is any entity that directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, the 211 subscriber.
- K. 211 will not provide calling number information in real time to the 211 subscriber. If the 211 subscriber needs this type of information, the 211 subscriber must subscribe to a compatible Calling Number Identification service.
- L. Calls to a disconnected 211 number will be routed to intercept over the announcement facilities for a maximum of 60 days, when the 211 provider is a Company subscriber. The announcement provided may refer the caller to another telephone number.
- M. 211 Service will be provided within a maximum of 30 days after the customer's request for service has been processed in order to allow the Company sufficient time for provisioning.
- N. The 211 subscriber is prohibited from providing programming which involves live group interaction, such as "GAB" lines, "chat" lines, or similar type programs where the primary purpose is for callers to interact with one another.

24.1.2. Service Requirements and Conditions

- A. Applicants for service as a 2-1-1 Call Center must provide evidence that they have received prior approval from OCIRP/211 Ohio. The Approved Information and Referral Service Provider shall make written application for 211 Service to the Company at the local exchange level. The Approved Information and Referral Service Provider may establish 211 Service in all, part, or none of the Company's local exchanges.
- B. Within 30 calendar days of the number assignment, the 211 subscriber must initiate a service request order. This provisioning date will be no later than 30 days after initiation of the service request order.

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24. 211 ABBREVIATED DIALING (Continued)

24.1. 211 Access to Community Information and Referral (Continued)

24.1.2. Service Requirements and Conditions (Continued)

- C. The 211 subscriber must, prior to provisioning of the service, sign a written acknowledgement of possible recall of the 211 number by the FCC and an agreement to return the code upon receipt of 6 months written notice of such a recall from the Company and abide by all terms and conditions contained in Order 00-256, and any subsequent rules which may be identified by the FCC in CC Docket 92-105 regarding the use and return of such 211 codes. If a recall is affected, the Company will work with all 211 subscribers affected by such recall to transfer their service arrangements, to a 7 or 10 digit arrangement for information services subsequently agreed to by the industry and approved by the FCC. The 211 subscriber will be charged the appropriate tariff rates for the establishment of the new access arrangement.
- D. Only one 7 or 10 digit local number or one 10 digit toll free number may be used as the lead number per basic local calling area. All central offices within a basic local calling area must be pointed to the same 7 or 10 digit local number or one 10 digit toll free number.

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24. 211 ABBREVIATED DIALING (Continued)

24.1. 211 Access to Community Information and Referral (Continued)

24.1.2. Service Requirements and Conditions (Continued)

- F. The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has ordered that certain 211 numbers be assigned for national purposes and certain uses. As requests are submitted by qualifying entities for 211 numbers assigned for national use, the Company will update the Tariff accordingly and inconsistent commercial use of such numbers shall be discontinued according to the following provisions.

Use of 211 Service is subject to possible recall of the 211 code by the NANP (North American Numbering Plan) Administrator for national use. The 211 subscriber must, prior to provisioning of the service, sign a written acknowledgement of this condition and an agreement to return the code upon receipt of 6 months written notice of such a recall from the Company and abide by all terms and conditions contained in Order 97-51 issued, any subsequent rules which may be identified by the FCC in CC Docket 92-105 regarding the use and return of such 211 codes. If a recall is effected by the NANP Administrator, the Company will work with all 211 subscribers affected by such recall to transfer their service arrangements, if technically and economically feasible at the time, to an abbreviated dialing arrangement, and if not feasible, to a seven-digit dialing arrangement within the 6-month notice period. The 211 subscriber will be required to migrate to any standard access arrangement for information services subsequently agreed to by the industry and approved by the FCC. The 211 subscriber will be charged the appropriate tariff rates for the establishment of the new access arrangement.

- G. The 211 Service is provided where facilities permit.

- H. 211 subscribers should work separately with cellular companies to ascertain whether Type 1 cellular customers will be able to reach information services provided by dialing a 211 number. Charges for calls to the 211 number made from cellular end users will be billed to the cellular company. This may require the 211 subscriber to enter into a contractual agreement with the cellular company to provide 3-digit access service and the billing associated with the service.

- I. 211 subscribers should work separately with competitive local exchange companies to ascertain their end user customer will be able to reach information service provided by dialing a 211 number.

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24. 211 ABBREVIATED DIALING (Continued)

24.1. 211 Access to Community Information and Referral (Continued)

24.1.2. Service Requirements and Conditions (Continued)

J. 211 Service will be provided under the following conditions:

1. For network sizing and protection, each 211 subscriber must provide an estimate of annual call volumes, the expected busy hour and holding time for each call to 211.
2. The customer will subscribe to adequate telephone facilities initially, and subsequently as may be required, in the judgment of the Company, to adequately handle calls to 211 without impairing the Company's general telephone service or telephone plant. It will be the intent of the Company to provide facilities designed to provide a call blocking probability of one call per hundred during normal busy hours 211 Dialing service.
3. A written notice will be sent to any 211 subscriber following oral notification when their service unreasonably interferes with or impairs other services rendered to the public by the Company or by other subscribers of 211 Service. If after notification the subscriber makes no modification in method of operation or in the service arrangements that are deemed service-protective by the Company, or if the subscriber is unwilling to accept the modifications, or if the subscriber continues to cause service impairment, the Company reserves the right, at any time, without further notice, to institute protective measures, up to and including termination of service. In an emergency situation as defined by the Company, the Company reserves the right, at any time, without notice, to institute protective measures, up to and including termination of service.
4. The 211 subscriber is responsible for obtaining all necessary permission, licenses, written consents, waivers and releases and all other rights from all persons whose work, statements or performance are used in connection with the service, and from all holders of copyrights, trademarks, and patents used in connection with said service.
5. The liability and indemnification language in Section S.2.5.3 applies to 211 service.
6. Suspension of Service is not applicable for the service.
7. If a 211 subscriber discontinues subscription to 211 Service, the 211 number will be disconnected and reassigned according to the conditions defined in A. preceding.

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24. 211 ABBREVIATED DIALING (Continued)

24.1. 211 Access to Community Information and Referral (Continued)

24.1.2. Service Requirements and Conditions (Continued)

J. 211 Service will be provided under the following conditions: (Continued)

8. Unless otherwise specifically provided in this Tariff, the Company shall be authorized to disconnect any tariffed service provided to the 211 subscriber utilized, directly or indirectly, with the 211 Service which fails to comply with regulations and conditions set forth herein, upon five (5) days notice to the subscriber. Disconnection may be suspended at the discretion of the Company if it receives written certification that the 211 subscriber is in compliance with regulations and conditions of the tariffs. Continual noncompliance shall be cause for disconnection without notice at the discretion of the Company.
9. If requested by the Company, the 211 subscriber shall assist the Company in responding to complaints made to the Company concerning the subscriber's 211 service.

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24. 211 ABBREVIATED DIALING (Continued)

24.1. 211 Access to Community Information and Referral (Continued)

24.1.2. Service Requirements and Conditions (Continued)

- K. If a pre-recorded announcement is utilized by the 211 subscriber, the following conditions apply:
1. The 211 subscriber will provide announcements. The Company will provide only the delivery of the call.
 2. 211 subscriber's sponsorship of any particular announcement of recorded program service shall not preclude another 211 subscriber from sponsoring the same or similar announcement or recorded program service.
 3. The provision of access to the 211 network by the Company for the transmission of announcement or recorded program services is subject to availability of such facilities and requirements of the local exchange network.
 4. The 211 subscriber assumes all financial responsibility for all costs involved in providing announcement or recorded program services including, but not limited to, the recorder-announcement equipment producing the recording, advertising and promotional expenses.
 5. The 211 subscriber assumes, according to other specific rates and charges under tariff, all financial responsibility for all facilities required to connect the recorder announcement equipment located on the subscriber's premises.
- L. The Company will take all legal and practical steps to disassociate itself from 211 subscribers providing services whose business and/or public conduct (whether demonstrated or proposed) is of a type that generates unacceptable levels of complaints by end users.

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24. 211 ABBREVIATED DIALING (Continued)

24.1. 211 Access to Community Information and Referral (Continued)

24.1.3. Rates and Charges

A. Application of Rates

1. Nonrecurring charges shall apply for each 211 number per local calling area.
2. 211 subscribers will pay the normal tariffed charges for the local exchange access arrangements (e.g., PBX trunks, Centrex Type Services lines, etc.) used for transporting and terminating messages at the 211 subscriber's designated premises.
3. Applicable service order charges as specified in Section S4 of this Tariff will apply, in addition to the following rates.

B. Charges applicable to the 211 Service Subscriber:

1. Establishment of 211 Service, per 211 Service number, per Host or Standalone C.O. Switch

	Nonrecurring Charge	Classification	(C)
Current	\$ 500.00	Tier 1 Non Core	(C)
Maximum	1,000.00		(C)

Note: Rates for Tier 1 Core services are capped at current rates. Rates for Tier 1 Non-Core services are capped at current rates until October 15, 2006. After October 15, 2006, Tier 1 Non-Core rates can be increased to a maximum cap of double the initial rate, other than the second local exchange access line and call waiting, which are limited to a ten percent increase per year until they cap at double the initial rate. This pricing flexibility is in accordance with O.A.C. 4901:1-4 and Alt Reg Case # 04-1358-TP-ALT effective October 15, 2004.

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24. ABBREVIATED DIALING

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24.1. N11 Abbreviated Dialing Service

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24.1.1. General

- A. Abbreviated Dialing Service ("N11") is a three digit local dialing arrangement available in specified areas of Windstream Ohio, Inc. ("Company") for delivery of general information via voice grade facilities.

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For the purposes of this tariff, N11 service is defined as 211 and 811 service.

(T)

Pursuant to Order 00-256, issued by the Federal Communications Commission, (FCC) in CC Docket 92-105, the 211 code is assigned for access to community information and referral services, and the 811 code is assigned for access to one call notification systems. In addition, the N11 subscriber must comply with any orders and rules pertaining to N11, adopted by the FCC in rulemaking proceeding CC Docket 92-105.

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- B. N11 is available in Company Territory only.

(T)

- C. The Local Calling Area of the N11 subscriber will be the Local Service Area as defined within this tariff. If local calling areas are merged, and a N11 number exists in both areas the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio will decide which N11 subscriber will retain the N11 dialing service in the merged local calling area.

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- D. This service is furnished subject to the availability of the N11 number.

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- E. N11 Service can be delivered via regular exchange access lines (by individual business lines, PBX trunks, etc.), as facilities permit.

(T)

- F. Limitations and use of service as stated in this tariff apply.

- G. Directory Listings may be provided for N11 Service at rates and regulations as specified in this Tariff.

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- H. Access to N11 Service is not available to the following classes of service:

(T)

- Hospital Service
- 1+
- 0+, 0- (Credit Card, Third-Party Billing, Collect Calls)
- Inmate Service
- 101XXXX
- Cellular - Type 2A

In addition, Operator assisted calls to a N11 subscriber will not be completed.

(T)

- I. The N11 subscriber is restricted from selling or transferring the three digit N11 number to an unaffiliated entity, either directly or indirectly; provided however, that nothing in this provision prevents the Company from transferring the N11 service where a different entity has been certified as the Call Center for the county in question.

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24.1.1 General (Continued)

- J. An "affiliate" of a N11 subscriber is any entity that directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, controls, is controlled by, or is under common control with, the N11 subscriber. (T)
(T)
- K. N11 will not provide calling number information in real time to the N11 subscriber. If the N11 subscriber needs this type of information, the N11 subscriber must subscribe to a compatible Calling Number Identification service. (T)
(T)
- L. Calls to a disconnected N11 number will be routed to intercept over the announcement facilities for a maximum of 60 days, when the N11 provider is a Company subscriber. The announcement provided may refer the caller to another telephone number. (T)
(T)
- M. N11 Service will be provided within a maximum of 30 days after the customer's request for service has been processed in order to allow the Company sufficient time for provisioning. (T)
- N. The N11 subscriber is prohibited from providing programming which involves live group interaction, such as "GAB" lines, "chat" lines, or similar type programs where the primary purpose is for callers to interact with one another. (T)

24.1.2. Service Requirements and Conditions

- A. Applicants for service as a N-1-1 Call Center must provide evidence that they have received prior approval. The Approved Service Provider shall make written application for N11 Service to the Company at the local exchange level. The Approved Service Provider may establish N11 Service in all, part, or none of the Company's local exchanges. (T)
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- B. Within 30 calendar days of the number assignment, the N11 subscriber must initiate a service request order. This provisioning date will be no later than 30 days after initiation of the service request order. (T)

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24.1. N11 Abbreviated Dialing Service (Continued) (T)

24.1.2. Service Requirements and Conditions (Continued)

- C. The N11 subscriber must, prior to provisioning of the service, sign a written acknowledgement of possible recall of the N11 number by the FCC and an agreement to return the code upon receipt of 6 months written notice of such a recall from the Company and abide by all terms and conditions contained in Order 00-256, and any subsequent rules which may be identified by the FCC in CC Docket 92-105 regarding the use and return of such N11 codes. If a recall is affected, the Company will work with all N11 subscribers affected by such recall to transfer their service arrangements, to a 7 or 10 digit arrangement for information services subsequently agreed to by the industry and approved by the FCC. The N11 subscriber will be charged the appropriate tariff rates for the establishment of the new access arrangement. (T)
- D. Only one 7 or 10 digit local number or one 10 digit toll free number may be used as the lead number per basic local calling area. All central offices within a basic local calling area must be pointed to the same 7 or 10 digit local number or one 10 digit toll free number. (T)

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24.1. N11 Abbreviated Dialing Service (Continued)

24.1.2. Service Requirements and Conditions (Continued)

- F. The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has ordered that certain N11 numbers be assigned for national purposes and certain uses. As requests are submitted by qualifying entities for N11 numbers assigned for national use, the Company will update the Tariff accordingly and inconsistent commercial use of such numbers shall be discontinued according to the following provisions. (T)

Use of N11 Service is subject to possible recall of the N11 code by the NANP (North American Numbering Plan) Administrator for national use. The N11 subscriber must, prior to provisioning of the service, sign a written acknowledgement of this condition and an agreement to return the code upon receipt of 6 months written notice of such a recall from the Company and abide by all terms and conditions contained in Order 97-51 issued, any subsequent rules which may be identified by the FCC in CC Docket 92-105 regarding the use and return of such N11 codes. If a recall is effected by the NANP Administrator, the Company will work with all N11 subscribers affected by such recall to transfer their service arrangements, if technically and economically feasible at the time, to an abbreviated dialing arrangement, and if not feasible, to a seven-digit dialing arrangement within the 6-month notice period. The N11 subscriber will be required to migrate to any standard access arrangement for information services subsequently agreed to by the industry and approved by the FCC. The N11 subscriber will be charged the appropriate tariff rates for the establishment of the new access arrangement. (T)

- G. The N11 Service is provided where facilities permit. (T)

- H. N11 subscribers should work separately with cellular companies to ascertain whether Type 1 cellular customers will be able to reach information services provided by dialing a N11 number. Charges for calls to the N11 number made from cellular end users will be billed to the cellular company. This may require the N11 subscriber to enter into a contractual agreement with the cellular company to provide 3-digit access service and the billing associated with the service. (T)

- I. N11 subscribers should work separately with competitive local exchange companies to ascertain their end user customer will be able to reach information service provided by dialing a N11 number. (T)

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24. ABBREVIATED DIALING (Continued)

24.1. N11 Abbreviated Dialing Service (Continued)

24.1.2. Service Requirements and Conditions (Continued)

J. N11 Service will be provided under the following conditions:

1. For network sizing and protection, each N11 subscriber must provide an estimate of annual call volumes, the expected busy hour and holding time for each call to N11. (T)
2. The customer will subscribe to adequate telephone facilities initially, and subsequently as may be required, in the judgment of the Company, to adequately handle calls to N11 without impairing the Company's general telephone service or telephone plant. It will be the intent of the Company to provide facilities designed to provide a call blocking probability of one call per hundred during normal busy hours N11 Dialing service. (T)
3. A written notice will be sent to any N11 subscriber following oral notification when their service unreasonably interferes with or impairs other services rendered to the public by the Company or by other subscribers of N11 Service. If after notification the subscriber makes no modification in method of operation or in the service arrangements that are deemed service-protective by the Company, or if the subscriber is unwilling to accept the modifications, or if the subscriber continues to cause service impairment, the Company reserves the right, at any time, without further notice, to institute protective measures, up to and including termination of service. In an emergency situation as defined by the Company, the Company reserves the right, at any time, without notice, to institute protective measures, up to and including termination of service. (T)
4. The N11 subscriber is responsible for obtaining all necessary permission, licenses, written consents, waivers and releases and all other rights from all persons whose work, statements or performance are used in connection with the service, and from all holders of copyrights, trademarks, and patents used in connection with said service. (T)
5. The liability and indemnification language in Section S.2.5.3 applies to N11 service. (T)
6. Suspension of Service is not applicable for the service.
7. If a N11 subscriber discontinues subscription to N11 Service, the N11 number will be disconnected and reassigned according to the conditions defined in A. preceding. (T)

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- 24.1. N11 Abbreviated Dialing Service (Continued) (T)
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- J. N11 Service will be provided under the following conditions: (Continued) (T)
8. Unless otherwise specifically provided in this Tariff, the Company shall be authorized to disconnect any tariffed service provided to the N11 subscriber utilized, directly or indirectly, with the N11 Service which fails to comply with regulations and conditions set forth herein, upon five (5) days notice to the subscriber. Disconnection may be suspended at the discretion of the Company if it receives written certification that the N11 subscriber is in compliance with regulations and conditions of the tariffs. Continual noncompliance shall be cause for disconnection without notice at the discretion of the Company. (T)
9. If requested by the Company, the N11 subscriber shall assist the Company in responding to complaints made to the Company concerning the subscriber's N11 service. (T)

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24.1. N11 Abbreviated Dialing Service (Continued) (T)

24.1.2. Service Requirements and Conditions (Continued)

- K. If a pre-recorded announcement is utilized by the N11 subscriber, the following conditions apply: (T)
1. The N11 subscriber will provide announcements. The Company will provide only the delivery of the call. (T)
 2. N11 subscriber's sponsorship of any particular announcement of recorded program service shall not preclude another N11 subscriber from sponsoring the same or similar announcement or recorded program service. (T)
 3. The provision of access to the N11 network by the Company for the transmission of announcement or recorded program services is subject to availability of such facilities and requirements of the local exchange network. (T)
 4. The N11 subscriber assumes all financial responsibility for all costs involved in providing announcement or recorded program services including, but not limited to, the recorder-announcement equipment producing the recording, advertising and promotional expenses. (T)
 5. The N11 subscriber assumes, according to other specific rates and charges under tariff, all financial responsibility for all facilities required to connect the recorder announcement equipment located on the subscriber's premises. (T)
- L. The Company will take all legal and practical steps to disassociate itself from N11 subscribers providing services whose business and/or public conduct (whether demonstrated or proposed) is of a type that generates unacceptable levels of complaints by end users. (T)

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24.1. N11 Abbreviated Dialing Service (Continued) (T)

24.1.3. Rates and Charges

A. Application of Rates

1. Nonrecurring charges shall apply for each N11 number per local calling area. (T)
2. N11 subscribers will pay the normal tariffed charges for the local exchange access arrangements (e.g., PBX trunks, Centrex Type Services lines, etc.) used for transporting and terminating messages at the N11 subscriber's designated premises. (T)
3. Applicable service order charges as specified in Section 3 and Section 16 of this Tariff will apply, in addition to the following rates. (T)

B. Charges applicable to the N11 Service Subscriber: (T)

1. Establishment of N11 Service, per N11 Service number, per Host or Standalone C.O. Switch (T)

	Nonrecurring Charge	Classification
Current	\$ 500.00	Tier 1 Non Core
Maximum	1,000.00	

Note: Rates for Tier 1 Core services are capped at current rates. Rates for Tier 1 Non-Core services are capped at current rates until October 15, 2006. After October 15, 2006, Tier 1 Non-Core rates can be increased to a maximum cap of double the initial rate, other than the second local exchange access line and call waiting, which are limited to a ten percent increase per year until they cap at double the initial rate. This pricing flexibility is in accordance with O.A.C. 4901:1-4 and Alt Reg Case # 04-1358-TP-ALT effective October 15, 2004.

EXHIBIT C

Windstream Ohio, Inc. is filing tariff revisions to incorporate 811 Service into the Abbreviated Dialing Section of the Tariff, provided for in Commission's February 14, 2007 Finding and Order in Case No. 05-1306-AU-COI. The 811 code is a three-digit abbreviated local dialing arrangement that allows callers to reach the state's One Call Notification system provider in order to give advance notice of excavation activities to underground facility providers pursuant to Federal Communications (FCC) Order 05-59 in CC Docket 92-105.