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August 9, 2007

Ms. Renee Jenkins, Director of Administration Docketing Division The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

Re: Frontier Digital Phone Service (Wording Modification)

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Enclosed are an original and ten copies of a tariff filing for Frontier Communications of Michigan, Inc., for modifications to wording under Frontier Digital Phone Service.

As acknowledgement that this filing has been received, please date stamp and return the marked enclosed copy of this letter in the envelope provided.

If you have any questions regarding this application, please call Scott Bohler, Manager of Government and External Affairs, at (952) 491-5534.

Sincerely,

Satt Boll

Scott Bohler Manager of Government and External Affairs

Enclosures

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

	of the Application of Frontier Digital Phone Service (Wording Modification)) Case No. 07 - 907 - TP - 27A			
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Motion for	protective order included with filing? Protec			
promulgated i No. 96-463-T	form must accompany all applications filed by telecommunication service providers subject to the Commission's rules n Case No. 99-998-TP-COI, as well as by ILECs filing an ARB or NAG case pursuant to the guidelines established in Case P-UNC. It is preferable <u>NOT</u> to combine different types of filings, but if you do so, you must file under the process with the suble review period.			
	indicate the reason for submitting this form (<i>check one</i>) Application to Amend Certificate by a CLEC to modify Serving Area (0-day notice, 7 copies) Abandonment of all Services a. CLEC (90-day approval, 10 copies) b. CTS (14-day approval, 10 copies) c. ILEC (NOT automatic,			
□ 3 (ACE)	10 copies) 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 c. Other			
	(explain)			
□ 4 (ACO)	LEC Application to Change Ownership (30-day approval, 10 copies)			
	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)			
- 7 (* 1475)	NOTE: see item 25 (CTR) on page two of this form for all other contract filings.			
□ 7 (AMT) □ 8 (ARB)	LEC Merger (30-day approval, 10 copies) 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 OCC for Tier 1 residential services (0-day filing, 10 copies)			
	iii. New End User Service (<u>NOT</u> 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 (<u>NOT</u> automatic, 10 copies)			
□ 10(ATC)	□ c. Textual revision with no effect on rates for non-specific or non-tier service (30-day approval, 10 copies) Application to Transfer Certificate (30-day approval, 7 copies)			
$\Box (ATC)$				
$\square \square \square (ATW)$	Application to Withdraw a Tiar I Service			

- 12 (ATW) Application to Withdraw a Tier 1 Service
- ILEC (NOT automatic, 10 copies) □ a. CLEC (60-day approval, 10 copies) 🗆 b.
- Application for Change in Operations by Non-LEC Providers (0-day notice, 7 copies) □ 13 (CIO)
- □ 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) (NOT automatic, 15 copies)
- a 17 (UNC) Unclassified (explain)
- Tariff Notification Involving only Tier 2 Services X 18(ZTA)

NOTE: Notifications do not require or imply Commission Approval.

a. New End User Service (0-day notice, 10 copies)

- X 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)

(NOT automatic, 15 copies)

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

- a 20 Introduction or Extension of Promotional Offering
- □ 21 New Price List Rate for Existing Service
- a. Tier 1 ab. Tier 2
- Designation of Registrant's Process Agent(s)
 Undet to Designational Management (s)

(explain)

© 23 Update to Registrant's Maps

D 19 Other

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:

<u> </u>		
	[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.
a	[3]	Completed Service Requirements Form.
	[3, 9(vii)]	A copy of registrant's proposed tariffs. (Carrier-to-Carrier resale tariff also required if facilities-based)
0	[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.
	[3]	Brief description of service(s) proposed.
0	[3a-b,3d]	Explanation of whether applicant intends to provide \Box resold services, \Box facilities-based services, or \Box both resold and facilities-based services.
	[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.
<u> </u>	[3a-b,3d]	Explanation of how the proposed services in the proposed market area are in the public interest.
a	[3a-b,3d]	Description of the proposed market area.
	[3a-b,3d]	Description of the class of customers (e.g., residence, business) that the applicant intends to serve.
0	[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.
	1	 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 an funding sources.
:	[3a-d]	Documentation attesting to the applicant's technical and managerial expertise relative to the proposed service
	[54 4]	offering(s) and proposed service area.
	[3a-d]	Documentation indicating the applicant's corporate structure and ownership.
	[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.
	[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.
	[3a-b,3d]	Verification of compliance with any affiliate transaction requirements.
a	[3a-b,3d]	Explanation as to whether rates are derived through (check all applicable):
		interconnection agreement, c retail tariffs, or c resale tariffs.
Ξ_	[1,3a-b,3d]	Explanation as to which service areas company currently has an approved interconnection or resale agreement.
D	[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.
0	[3a,3b,3d,	Tariff sheet(s) listing the services and associated charges that must be paid prior to customer receiving dial tone.
	9a,(i-iii)]	
	[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.
Π	[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.
D	[3-4,7,10-11,13]	List of names, addresses, and phone numbers of officers and directors, or partners.
	[3]	A sample copy of the customer bill and disconnection notice the applicant plans to utilize.
X	[1,4,9,10-13,16-21]	Copy of superseded tariff sheet(s) & price list(s), if applicable, marked as Exhibit A.
X	[1,4,9,10-13,16-21]	Copy of revised tariff sheets & price lists, marked as Exhibit B.
	[3]	Provide a copy of any customer application form required in order to establish residential service, if applicable.
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 13,16,18-23,25]
 proposed or affected. Specify for each service affected whether it is □ business; □ residence; or □ both. Also indicate whether it is □ business; □ residence; or □ both. Also Exhibit C.

	[1,2,4,9a(v-vi),	Specify which notice procedure has been/will be utilized: 🗆 direct mail; 🗆 bill insert; 🗆 bill notation or 🗆 electronic ma
	5,10,16,18(b-c),	NOTE:
	21]	Tier I price list increases must be within an approved range of rates.
		SLF Filings – Do NOT send customer notice until it has been reviewed and approved by Commission Staff
۵	[2,4-5,9a(v),	Copy of real time notice which has been/will be provided to customers.
	9b, 10,12-13,16,	NOTE: SLF Filings - Do NOT send customer notice until it has been reviewed and approved by Commission Staff
	18(b-c),20-21]	
Π	[1,2,5,9a(v),11-13,	Affidavit attesting that customer notice has been provided.
	18, 21(increase	
	only)]	
D	[2,12]	Copy of Notice which has been provided to ILEC(s).
	[2,12]	Listing of Assigned (NPA) NXX's where in the LECs (NPA) NXX's would be reassigned.
	[2,4,10,12-13,]	List of Ohio exchanges specifically involved or affected.
	[14]	The interconnection agreement adopted by negotiation or mediation.
	[15]	For commercial mobile radio service providers, a statement affirming that registrant has obtained all necessary
	ы. н 	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.
Ċ.	[15]	Exhibits must include company name, address, contact person, service description, and evidence of registration
-	[···]	with the Ohio Secretary of State.
a	[24]	Affidavit that total price of contract exceeds total cost of all regulated services.
	[5,13]	New title sheet with proposed new company name.
	[1,3,13]	For CLECs, List of Ohio Exchanges the applicant intends to serve (Use spreadsheet from:
- 1	[[[]]]	http://www.puc.state.oh.us/puco/forms/form.cfm?doc_id=357).
	[1,3a-b,3d,7,	Maps depicting the proposed serving and calling areas of the applicant.
-	10,13,23]	
		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.
-	j	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.
		Other information requested by the Commission staff.
	[3]	Initial certification that includes Tier 2 Services, indicate which option you intend to adopt to maintain
		the tariff:
		Paper Tariff 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:

[x] Sales tax

[x] Minimum Telephone Service Standards (MTSS)

[x] Surcharges

MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE PROVIDERS:

[x] I+ 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:

Tanya Swanson, Sr Regulatory Staff Analyst, P.O Box 398, 12745 1st Ave North, Lindstrom MN 55045

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:

<u>NOTE</u>: 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: \Box)

AFFIDAVIT

Compliance with Commission Rules and Service Standards

I am an officer of the applicant corporation, Frontier Communications of Michigan, 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. 1 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_8-9-07_ at 12745 1st Ave North, Lindstrom, MN 55045 (Date) (Location)

Tanya Suran 8-9-07 *(Signature and Title) (Date) * 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, Tanyn Swane 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.

*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 prefiling submittal) 180 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215-3793

EXHIBIT A

CURRENT TARIFF SHEET

P.U.C.O. No. 4

BUNDLED SERVICES

I. Residential Bundled Services

B. Frontier Digital Phone Service

1. General

The Frontier Digital Phone Service is a package offering available to residential customers and includes one flat-rate residential one-party service access line and the customer's choice of the features and services listed below, including certain non-regulated and federally price listed services. Listing of the non-regulated and federally price listed services is provided only for purpose of clarity and does not imply that these services are subject to state authority.

Features and Services

Call Forwarding Call Waiting/Cancel Call Waiting Caller ID - Name Message Waiting Indication Voice Mail (non-regulated) Frontier Communications of America's, Frontier Digital Phone Service Calling Plan (Federally Price listed)

2. Regulations

The Frontier Digital Phone Service is available where technically feasible.

The features and services, except those listed as non-regulated or federally price listed, are provided subject to their descriptions and regulations as specified elsewhere in the tariff.

Non-payment or partial payment of the bill may result in the removal of the services that are included in the bundle in accordance with existing tariff rules, and O.A.C 4901: 1-5-17.

Customers may add or delete any features offered in the bundle without a service order charge.

No discounts will be given to subscribers that do not use all the features or have some features turned off.

Federal Subscriber Line Charge will be billed separately from the basic bundles offering. Extended Local Calling Service is included. All other surcharges and taxes will apply. (N)

Issued: March 8, 2007

Effective: April 24, 2007

In Accordance with Case No. 03-1945-TP-ATA, issued by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

By Jerry Schneider, State Vice President, Rhinelander, Wisconsin **EXHIBIT B**

PROPOSED TARIFF SHEET

P.U.C.O. No. 4

BUNDLED SERVICES

I. Residential Bundled Services

B. Frontier Digital Phone Service

1. General

The Frontier Digital Phone Service is a package offering available to residential customers and includes one flat-rate residential one-party service access line and the customer's choice of the features and services listed below, including certain non-regulated and federally price listed services. Listing of the non-regulated and federally price listed services is provided only for purpose of clarity and does not imply that these services are subject to state authority.

Features and Services

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2. Regulations

The Frontier Digital Phone Service is available where technically feasible.

The features and services, except those listed as non-regulated or federally price listed, are provided subject to their descriptions and regulations as specified elsewhere in the tariff.

Non-payment or partial payment of the bill may result in the removal of the services that are included in the bundle in accordance with existing tariff rules, and O.A.C 4901: 1-5-17.

Except as otherwise described, non-recurring installation charges applicable to installation of (T) individual service components contained in the bundled offerings apply. Customers may add or delete any features offered in the bundle without a service order charge (T)

No discounts will be given to subscribers that do not use all the features or have some features turned off.

Federal Subscriber Line Charge will be billed separately from the basic bundles offering. Extended Local Calling Service is included. All other surcharges and taxes will apply.

Issued: August 10, 2007

Effective: August 13, 2007

In Accordance with Case No. _____, issued by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

By Jerry Schneider, State Vice President, Rhinelander, Wisconsin

EXHIBIT C

EXPLANATION OF THE CHANGE

Frontier Communications of Michigan, Inc

This filing is intended to clarify that non-recurring charges apply to orders for Frontier Digital Phone Service. The filing modifies the fourth item fourth item under the "Regulations" section, from:

"Customers may add or delete any features offered in the bundle without a service order charge."

to:

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"Except as otherwise described, non-recurring installation charges applicable to installation of individual service components contained in the bundled offerings apply. Customers may add or delete any features offered in the bundle without a service order charge."