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RE: Sage Telecom, Inc. – Replacement Pages of Application to Detariff Certain Tier 2 Services
Case No. 08-391-TP-ATA

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

As requested by Melissa Scarberry of OH Staff, enclosed for filing please find one original and ten (10) copies of replacement pages to the Application to Detariff Certain Tier 2 Services and to make other changes related to the implementation of Case No. 06-1345-TP-ORD, originally filed on April 1, 2008 on behalf of Sage Telecom, Inc. This filing makes Staff's requested changes via e-mail dated May 15, 2008.

Questions regarding this filing may be directed to my attention at (407) 740-3006 or via e-mail at croesel@tminc.com. Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date stamping the extra copy of this cover letter and returning it to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for this purpose.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

CR Carey Roesel
Consultant to Sage Telecom, Inc.

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Enclosures

cc: Office of Ohio Utilities Consumer Counsel
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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (cont'd)

2.4. Liabilities of Sage (cont'd)

- 2.4.11. With respect to the services, materials and equipment provided hereunder, Sage makes no promises, agreements, understandings, representations or warranties, expressed or implied, and hereby expressly disclaims all warranties, expressed or implied, not stated in this Tariff, and in particular disclaims all warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose.
- 2.4.12. In the event the Company omits a customer's listing from the white pages of the telephone directory or lists an incorrect telephone number, the company shall issue the customer a credit for the equivalent of not less than three months' regulated local service charges. Such credit shall not apply in cases where the subscriber has provided such listing information after the deadline for directory publication. The subscriber shall be given the option of taking the credit or pursuing other remedies.

2.5 Responsibilities of the Customer

- 2.5.1. Customers have certain rights and responsibilities under the Minimum Telephone Service Standards (Ohio Adm. Code 4901:1-5)(MTSS). These safeguards can be found in the Appendix to Ohio Adm. Code 4901:1-5-03, which is entitled "Telephone Customer Rights and Responsibilities". These rights and responsibilities include complaint handling, ordering or changing service, service repair, payment of bills, and disconnection and reconnection of service.

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The Customer must initiate a service order pursuant to Section 2.6 of this Tariff.

- 2.5.2. The Customer may not, nor may the Customer permit others to, rearrange, disconnect, remove, attempt to repair, or otherwise interfere with any of the facilities or equipment installed by Sage, except upon the written consent of Sage. The equipment Sage provides or installs at the Customer premises for use in connection with the service Sage offers shall not be used for any purpose other than for which it was provided.
- 2.5.3. The Customer shall ensure that the equipment and/or system is properly interfaced with Sage's facilities or service. If the Federal Communications Commission or some other appropriate certifying body certifies terminal equipment as being technically acceptable for direct electrical connection with interstate communications service, Sage will permit such equipment to be connected with its channels without the use of protective interface devices.
- 2.5.4. The Customer shall be responsible for securing its telephone equipment against being used to place fraudulent calls using Sage's service. The Customer shall be responsible for payment of all applicable charges for services provided by Sage and charged to the Customer's accounts. Service will only be disconnected pursuant to MTSS Rules 4901:1-5-17(E) and (G).
- 2.5.5. Sage shall be indemnified and held harmless by the Customer against claims of libel, slander, or the infringement of copyright, or for the unauthorized use of any trademark, trade name, or service mark, arising from the material transmitted over Sage's service, against claims for infringement of patents arising from, combining with, or using in connection with, service, Sage's apparatus and systems of the Customer; against all other claims arising out of any act or omission of the member in connection with Sage's service. The Customer shall be liable for:

SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES (cont'd)**3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services (cont'd)****3.1.4. Local Service Plans****3.1.4.A. Residential**

All service plans are subject to the application of the High Usage Charge pursuant to Section 6.4, following, and to other charges pursuant to this tariff.

1. Simply Savings^{1*}

The Simply Savings Plan includes the following bundle of services:

- Basic Local Exchange Service, including unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Service
- The following Custom Calling Features:

Repeat Dialing	Call Waiting
Call Screening	Speed Calling
Call Forwarding	Three-Way Calling
Automatic Callback	Wait & See

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Eligibility: Residential customers in the originating AT&T Ohio exchanges listed in Section 3.1.3.A. Effective November 1, 2006 the residential Sage Simply Savings Plan has been discontinued for new Sage Customers. Residential customers with this service prior to November 1, 2006 may remain on this plan.

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This service plan is subject to the application of the High Usage Charge pursuant to Section 6.4 of this tariff.

¹Previously tariffed and sold as Home Choice Plan

*This service can only be purchased in conjunction with non-regulated and/or detariffed services.

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SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES (cont'd)**3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services (cont'd)****3.1.4. Local Service Plans (cont'd)****3.1.4.A. Residential (cont'd)****2. Sage Unlimited Plan***

The Sage Unlimited Plan includes the following bundle of services:

- Basic Local Exchange Service, including unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Service – Free
- The following Custom Calling Features Free:

Repeat Dialing	Call Waiting
Call Screening	Speed Calling
Call Forwarding	Three-Way Calling
Automatic Callback	Wait & See

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Eligibility: Residential customers in Zone 1 and 2 exchanges listed in Section 3.1.3.A. Customers must choose Sage as their intraLATA toll and interLATA long distance carrier to receive the unlimited minutes of Sage 1+ long distance minutes each month. Sage Unlimited Plan is no longer offered to new residential customers after March 15, 2004.

The Sage Unlimited Plan cannot be used for long distance access to the Internet, or for business purposes such as telemarketing or autodialing. Unlimited long distance only applies to the telephone line on which this plan is assigned.

This service plan is subject to the application of the High Usage Charge pursuant to Section 6.4 of this tariff.

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3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services (cont'd)

3.1.4. Local Service Plans (cont'd)

3.1.4.A. Residential (cont'd)

3. Simply Savings PLUS*

The Simply Savings PLUS includes the following bundle of services:

- Basic Local Exchange Service, including unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Service
- The following Custom Calling Features:

Repeat Dialing	Call Waiting
Call Screening	Speed Calling
Call Forwarding	Three-Way Calling
Automatic Callback	Wait & See

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Eligibility: Residential customers in the originating AT&T Ohio exchanges listed in Section 3.1.3.A.

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Effective August 1, 2006 the residential Sage Simply Savings Plus Plan has been discontinued for new Sage Customers. Residential customers with this service prior to August 1, 2006 may remain on this plan.

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This service plan is subject to the application of the High Usage Charge pursuant to Section 6.4 of this tariff.

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SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES (cont'd)**3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services** (cont'd)**3.1.4. Local Service Plans** (cont'd)**3.1.4.A. Residential** (cont'd)**4. Simply Savings COMPLETE***

The Simply Savings COMPLETE includes the following bundle of services:

- Basic Local Exchange Service, including unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Service – Free

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- The following Custom Calling Features Free:

Repeat Dialing	Call Waiting
Call Screening	Speed Calling
Call Forwarding	Three-Way Calling
Automatic Callback	Wait & See

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Eligibility: Simply Savings COMPLETE is no longer offered to new residential customers after October 18, 2004.

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The Simply Savings COMPLETE cannot be used for long distance access to the Internet, or for business purposes such as telemarketing or autodialing. Unlimited long distance only applies to the telephone line on which this plan is assigned.

This service plan is subject to the application of the High Usage Charge pursuant to Section 6.4 of this tariff.

*This service can only be purchased in conjunction with non-regulated and/or detariffed services.

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SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES (cont'd)3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services (cont'd)3.1.4. Local Service Plans (cont'd)3.1.4.A. Residential (cont'd)5. **Simply Savings COMPLETE Plan B***

The Simply Savings COMPLETE Plan B includes the following bundle of services:

- Basic Local Exchange Service, including unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Service
- The following Custom Calling Features are included:

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Repeat Dialing	Call Waiting
Call Screening	Speed Calling
Call Forwarding	Three-Way Calling
Automatic Callback	Wait & See

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Eligibility: Effective August 14, 2006 the residential Sage Simply Savings Complete Plan B has been discontinued for new Sage Customers. Residential customers with this service prior to August 14, 2006 may remain on this plan.

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This service plan is subject to the application of the High Usage Charge pursuant to Section 6.4 of this tariff.

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SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES (cont'd)**3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services** (cont'd)**3.1.4. Local Service Plans** (cont'd)**3.1.4.A. Residential** (cont'd)**6. Simply Savings Choice***

Simply Savings Choice includes the following bundle of services:

- Basic Local Exchange Service, including unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Service
- The following Custom Calling Features:

Repeat Dialing	Call Waiting
Call Screening	Speed Calling
Call Forwarding	Three-Way Calling
Automatic Callback	Wait & See

- Any one of the following features packages

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- o Privacy Package – includes Non-Published service

Eligibility: Residential customers listed in Section 3.1.3.A. Effective August 1, 2006 the residential Sage Simply Savings Choice Plan has been discontinued for new Sage Customers. Residential customers with this service prior to August 1, 2006 may remain on this plan.

This service plan is subject to the application of the High Usage Charge pursuant to Section 6.4 of this tariff.

*This service can only be purchased in conjunction with non-regulated and/or detariffed services.

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SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES (cont'd)

3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services (cont'd)

3.1.4. Local Service Plans (cont'd)

3.1.4.A. Residential (cont'd)

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8. Sage Select

Sage Select is a program offered to qualifying residential Sage customers. To qualify for the Sage Select program, a Sage customer must be subscribed to a bundled Sage product which includes local, intraLATA and interLATA long distance services and a minimum of two features. Customers must have had an active account with Sage for a minimum of nine (9) consecutive months and have paid the full amount due for each invoiced month on or before the monthly invoice due date. In order to remain a member of Sage Select, customers must keep their account in good payment standing. Effective November 1, 2007 new customers entering the Sage Select program will need to establish an auto pay method of payment in order to enter the Sage Select program. This would include recurring credit card payment or recurring e-check payments.

Sage Select benefits include:

- Service anniversary gift;
- Ongoing plan optimization assistance;

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- Installation Fee waiver for additional lines and moves.

Sage reserves the right to cancel or modify this program at any time.

SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES (cont'd)3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services (cont'd)3.1.4. Local Service Plans (cont'd)3.1.4.A. Residential (cont'd)

10. Sage Simply Savings Unlimited*

The Sage Simply Savings Unlimited Plan includes the following bundle of services:

- Basic Local Exchange Service, including unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Service – Free
- The following Custom Calling Features – Free:

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Repeat Dialing	Call Waiting
Call Screen	Speed Calling 8
Call Forwarding	Three-Way Calling
Automatic Callback	Wait & See
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- Discounted pricing for additional services:

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Sage Simply Savings Unlimited long distance only applies to the telephone line on which this plan is assigned and is subject to terms and conditions specified in Section 3.1.2.B.

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SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES (cont'd)3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services (cont'd)3.1.4. Local Service Plans (cont'd)3.1.4.A. Residential (cont'd)

11. Sage Simply Savings Preferred*

The Sage Simply Savings Preferred Plan includes the following bundle of services:

- Basic Local Exchange Service, including unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Service – Free
- A choice of any of the following Custom Calling Features – Free:

Repeat Dialing	Call Waiting
Call Screen	Speed Calling 8
Call Forwarding	Three-Way Calling
Automatic Callback	Wait & See
MultiRing	

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- Discounted pricing for additional services:

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3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services (cont'd)

3.1.4. Local Service Plans (cont'd)

3.1.4.A. Residential (cont'd)

12. Sage Simply Savings Essentials*

The Sage Simply Savings Essentials Plan includes the following bundle of services:

- Basic Local Exchange Service, including unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Service – Free
- Call Waiting Service - Free
- A choice of 1 of the following Custom Calling Features – Free:

Wait & See
Three-way Calling
Call Forwarding

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3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services (cont'd)

3.1.4. Local Service Plans (cont'd)

3.1.4.A. Residential (cont'd)

13. Sage Simply Savings Essentials – Features*

The Sage Simply Savings Essentials – Features Plan includes the following bundle of services:

- Basic Local Exchange Service, including unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Service – Free
- Call Waiting Service - Free
- A choice of 1 of the following Custom Calling Features – Free:

Wait & See
Three-way Calling
Call Forwarding

- Choice of one of the following offers:

- Sage Security Package including:
Toll Restriction, Anonymous Call Rejection, Wait & See, Three-Way
Calling, Call Forwarding, and Call Screen

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Eligibility: This plan is available to residential customers only.

*This service can only be purchased in conjunction with non-regulated and/or detariffed services.

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SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES (cont'd)**3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services (cont'd)****3.1.4. Local Service Plans (cont'd)****3.1.4.A. Residential (cont'd)****14. Sage Simply Savings Superior***

The Sage Simply Savings Superior Plan includes the following bundle of services:

- Basic Local Exchange Service, including unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Service – Free
- A choice of any of the following Custom Calling Features – Free:

Repeat Dialing	Call Waiting
Call Screen	Speed Calling 8
Call Forwarding	Three-Way Calling
Automatic Callback	Wait & See
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- Discounted pricing for additional services:

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*This service can only be purchased in conjunction with non-regulated and/or detariffed services.

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SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES (cont'd)**3.1. Local Exchange Telecommunications Services** (cont'd)**3.1.17 Service Connection Assistance****3.1.17.A General**

Service Connection Assistance is a telephone assistance program that provides certain eligible residential customers requesting local exchange service with the following benefits:

1. Waiver of applicable deposit requirements under Section 2 of this tariff.
2. Full waiver up to \$60 of applicable service connection charges for establishing or re-establishing local exchange service as described in Section 3 of this tariff.
 - a. Sage generally migrates customers that have already established local exchange service with the incumbent LEC. Therefore, Service Connection Assistance will not apply to these initial installations because the customer will not incur an installation charge for the initial installations.
 - b. Installation charges may apply for reconnection or change of address orders. Service Connection Assistance is available for those order types.

(CT)**3.1.17.B Regulations**

1. Service Connection Assistance is a basic local exchange residential service offering available to customers who are currently participating in one of the following assistance programs:
 - a. Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP);
 - b. Supplemental Security Income (SSI) under Title XVI of the Social Security Act;
 - c. Food Stamps;
 - d. Federal public housing assistance or Section 8; or,
 - e. Medical Assistance under Chapter 5111 of the Ohio Revised Code (Medicaid).
2. The Company shall require, as proof of eligibility for Service Connection Assistance, a document signed by the customer, certifying under penalty of perjury that the customer is receiving benefits from one of the programs identified above; identifying the specific program or programs from which the customer received benefits, and agreeing to notify the company if the customer ceases to participate in such program or programs.
3. Customers of Service Connection Assistance cannot be a dependent (as defined by the Federal Income Tax Code) under the age of 60.
4. Service Connection Assistance is available for all grades of service.
5. Service Connection Assistance is available for a single telephone line at the customer's principal place of residence.

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SECTION 4 - MAXIMUM RATES AND CHARGES (cont'd)**4.1. Local Exchange Service (Cont'd)**

4.1.5. [Reserved for Future Use]

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4.1.6. Caller ID Service

	Max
Residential	\$ 10.00
Business	\$ 15.00

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4.1.7. Multi-Line Hunting Service Rate

	Max
Residential	\$ 10.00

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SECTION 6 – PRICE LIST (cont'd)**6.1. Local Exchange Service (Cont'd)****6.1.5. Custom Calling Features Rates** (Monthly rates unless otherwise noted.)

Feature	Res	
Repeat Dialing	\$ 2.75	
Repeat Dialing (per occurrence)	\$ 0.75	
Call Screening	\$ 2.75	
Call Forwarding	\$ 2.75	
Automatic Callback	\$ 2.75	
Automatic Callback (per occurrence)	\$ 0.70	
Call Waiting	\$ 2.75	
Multi-Ring Service	\$ 2.75	
Speed Calling	\$ 2.75	
Three-Way Calling	\$ 2.75	
Three-Way Calling (per occurrence)	\$ 0.70	
Wait & See	\$ 0.00	

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6.1.6. Caller ID Service

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
Residential	\$ 5.75
Business	\$ 8.75

6.1.7. Multi-Line Hunting Service Rate

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
Residential, per line	\$ 3.75

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