

The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
TELECOMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION FORM for ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS
(Effective: 01/18/2008)

In the Matter of the Application of The Germantown
Independent Telephone Company for Approval of an
Agreement with Time Warner Cable Information Services
(Ohio) LLC Pursuant to Section 252 of the
Telecommunications Act of 1996)

Case No. 09 -1869-TP - NAG

NOTE: Unless you have reserved a Case # or are filing a Contract,
leave the "Case No" fields BLANK.

Name of Registrant(s) The Germantown Independent Telephone Company

DBA(s) of Registrant(s) _____

Address of Registrant(s) 36 North Plum Street, Germantown, Ohio 45327

Company Web Address _____

Regulatory Contact Person(s) Carolyn S. Flahive Phone 614-469-3294 Fax 614-469-3361

Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address Carolyn.Flahive@ThompsonHine.com

Contact Person for Annual Report _____ Phone _____

Address (if different from above) _____

Consumer Contact Information _____ Phone _____

Address (if different from above) _____

Motion for protective order included with filing? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? ☐ Yes ☒ No [Note: Waivers may toll any automatic timeframe.]

Section I – Pursuant to Chapter 4901:11-6 OAC – Part I – Please indicate the Carrier Type and the reason for submitting this form by checking the boxes below. CMRS providers: Please see the bottom of Section II.

NOTES: (1) For requirements for various applications, see the identified section of Ohio Administrative Code Section 4901 and/or the supplemental application form noted.

(2) Information regarding the number of copies required by the Commission may be obtained from the Commission's web site at www.puco.ohio.gov under the docketing information system section, by calling the docketing division at 614-466-4095, or by visiting the docketing division at the offices of the Commission.

Carrier Type <input type="checkbox"/> Other (explain below)	<input type="checkbox"/> ILEC	<input type="checkbox"/> CLEC	<input type="checkbox"/> CTS	<input type="checkbox"/> AOS/IOS
Tier 1 Regulatory Treatment				
Change Rates within approved Range	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF 1-6-04(B) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF 1-6-04(B) (0 day Notice)		
New Service, expanded local calling area, correction of textual error	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA 1-6-04(B) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA 1-6-04(B) (0 day Notice)		
Change Terms and Conditions, Introduce non-recurring service charges	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA 1-6-04(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA 1-6-04(B) (Auto 30 days)		
Introduce or Increase Late Payment or Returned Check Charge	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA 1-6-04(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA 1-6-04(B) (Auto 30 days)		
Business Contract	<input type="checkbox"/> CTR 1-6-17 (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTR 1-6-17 (0 day Notice)		
Withdrawal	<input type="checkbox"/> ATW 1-6-12(A) (Non-Auto)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATW 1-6-12(A) (Auto 30 days)		
Raise the Ceiling of a Rate	Not Applicable	<input type="checkbox"/> SLF 1-6-04(B) (Auto 30 days)		
Tier 2 Regulatory Treatment				
Residential - Introduce non-recurring service charges	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF 1-6-05(E) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF 1-6-05(E) (0 day Notice)		
Residential - Introduce New Tariffed Tier 2 Service(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF 1-6-05(C) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF 1-6-05(C) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF 1-6-05(C) (0 day Notice)	
Residential - Change Rates, Terms and Conditions, Promotions, or Withdrawal	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF 1-6-05(E) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF 1-6-05(E) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF 1-6-05(E) (0 day Notice)	
Residential - Tier 2 Service Contracts	<input type="checkbox"/> CTR 1-6-17 (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTR 1-6-17 (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CTR 1-6-17 (0 day Notice)	
Commercial (Business) Contracts	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	
Business Services (see "Other" below)	Detariffed	Detariffed	Detariffed	
Residential & Business Toll Services (see "Other" below)	Detariffed	Detariffed	Detariffed	1

Certificate Status	ILEC	CLEC	CTS	AOS/IOS
Certification (See Supplemental ACE form)		<input type="checkbox"/> ACE 1-6-10 (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE 1-6-10 (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE 1-6-10 (Auto 30 days)
Add Exchanges to Certificate	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA 1-6-09(C) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> AAC 1-6-10(F) (0 day Notice)	CLECs must attach a current CLEC Exchange Listing Form	
Abandon all Services - With Customers	<input type="checkbox"/> ABN 1-6-11(A) (Non-Auto)	<input type="checkbox"/> ABN 1-6-11(A) (Auto 90 day)	<input type="checkbox"/> ABN 1-6-11(B) (Auto 14 day)	<input type="checkbox"/> ABN 1-6-11(B) (Auto 14 day)
Abandon all Services - Without Customers		<input type="checkbox"/> ABN 1-6-11(A) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ABN 1-6-11(B) (Auto 14 day)	<input type="checkbox"/> ABN 1-6-11(B) (Auto 14 day)
Change of Official Name (See below)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACN 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACN 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)
Change in Ownership (See below)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACO 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACO 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)
Merger (See below)	<input type="checkbox"/> AMT 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> AMT 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)
Transfer a Certificate (See below)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)
Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business (See below)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATR 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATR 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)
Procedural				
Designation of Process Agent(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF (0 day Notice)

Section I – Part II – Certificate Status and Procedural

Section II – Carrier to Carrier (Pursuant to 4901:1-7), CMRS and Other

Carrier to Carrier	ILEC	CLEC		
Interconnection agreement, or amendment to an approved agreement	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NAG 1-7-07 (Auto 90 day)	<input type="checkbox"/> NAG 1-7-07 (Auto 90 day)		
Request for Arbitration	<input type="checkbox"/> ARB 1-7-09 (Non-Auto)	<input type="checkbox"/> ARB 1-7-09 (Non-Auto)		
Introduce or change c-t-c service tariffs,	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA 1-7-14 (Auto 30 day)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA 1-7-14 (Auto 30 day)		
Introduce or change access service pursuant to 07-464-TP-COI	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA (Auto 30 day)			
Request rural carrier exemption, rural carrier suspension or modification	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC 1-7-04 or 1-7-05 (Non-Auto)	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC 1-7-04 or 1-7-05 (Non-Auto)		
Pole attachment changes in terms and conditions and price changes.	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC 1-7-23(B) (Non-Auto)	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC 1-7-05 (Non-Auto)		
CMRS Providers See 4901:1-6-15	<input type="checkbox"/> RCC [Registration & Change in Operations] (0 day)		<input type="checkbox"/> NAG [Interconnection Agreement or Amendment] (Auto 90 days)	
Other* (explain) _____				

**NOTE: During the interim period between the effective date of the rules and an Applicant's Detariffing Filing, changes to existing business Tier 2 and all toll services, including the addition of new business Tier 2 and all new toll services, will be processed as 0-day TRF filings, and briefly described in the "Other" section above.*

All Section I and II applications that result in a change to one or more tariff pages require, at a minimum, the following exhibits. Other exhibits may be required under the applicable rule(s). ACN, ACO, AMT, ATC, ATR and CIO applications see the 4901:1-6-14 Filing Requirements on the Commission's Web Page for a complete list of exhibits.

Exhibit	Description:
A	The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s) as they exist before the change(s)
B	The Tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s), reflecting the change, with the change(s) marked in the right margin.
C	A short description of the nature of the change(s), the intent of the change(s), and the customers affected.
D	A copy of the notice provided to customers, along with an affidavit that the notice was provided according to the applicable rule(s).

Section III. – Attestation

Registrant hereby attests to its compliance with pertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission.

AFFIDAVIT

Compliance with Commission Rules and Service Standards

I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, _____, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.
(Name)

I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules, including the Minimum Telephone Service Standards (MTSS) Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-5 OAC 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 (Date) _____ at (Location) _____

*(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, Carolyn S. Flahive

verify that I have utilized the Telecommunications Application Form for Routine Proceedings provided by the Commission 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.

*(Signature and Title) Carolyn S. Flahive, Attorney for The Germantown Independent Telephone Company (Date) 11/30/09

**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
180 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215-3793**

Or

Make such filing electronically as directed in Case No 06-900-AU-WVR

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of The Germantown)	
Independent Telephone Company for Approval of)	
an Agreement with Time Warner Cable)	Case No. 09-1869 -TP-NAG
Information Services (Ohio) LLC Pursuant)	
to Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act)	
Of 1996)	

APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF AN AGREEMENT
PURSUANT TO THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996

The Germantown Independent Telephone Company ("Germantown") hereby files the attached agreement dated September 28, 2009 ("the Agreement") between Germantown and Time Warner Cable Information Services (Ohio) LLC ("TWCIS") ("the Parties") for review and approval by the Commission pursuant to the provisions of Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Pub. L. No. 104-104, 110 Stat. 56 (1996) (codified at 47 U.S.C. 151 et. seq.) ("the Act"). This filing is made pursuant to the Act.

The Agreement is filed pursuant to the procedures set forth in Section 252(e) of the Act. Under Sections 252(e)(1) and (2), the Commission must approve the Agreement unless the Agreement or a portion thereof "... discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement" or "... implementation of such agreement or portion is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity." The Agreement does not discriminate against other telecommunications carriers. The Agreement is in the public interest, convenience and necessity because it sets forth the Parties' respective obligations and the terms and conditions under which they will interconnect their networks and facilities.

In accordance with Section 252(e)(4) of the Act, the Agreement will be deemed approved if the Commission does not act to approve or reject the Agreement within 90 days from the date of this Application.

WHEREFORE, The Germantown Independent Telephone Company requests that the Commission approve the Agreement.

Respectfully submitted,

THE GERMANTOWN INDEPENDENT
TELEPHONE COMPANY

By: /s/ Carolyn S. Flahive

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Its Attorneys

AGREEMENT OF ADOPTION

This Agreement of Adoption (the "Agreement"), dated September 28, 2009, is entered into by and between The Germantown Independent Telephone Company ("Germantown") and Time Warner Cable Information Services (Ohio), LLC d/b/a Time Warner Cable ("TWCIS (OH)"), pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Germantown and TWCIS (OH) may be referred to individually as a "Party" and collectively as the "Parties").

NOW THEREFORE, the Parties agree as follows:

1. AGREEMENT OF ADOPTION

By TWCIS (OH)'s countersignature below, TWCIS (OH) hereby adopts and agrees to be bound by the terms and conditions of the Agreement for Interconnection between Sprint Communications Company L.P. ("Sprint") and Germantown dated May 1, 2007 (the "Adopted Agreement") as that agreement exists on the date hereof and as amended herein. The Adopted Agreement was approved by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (the "Commission") in Case No. 07-0558-TP-NAG.

As the terms and conditions of the Adopted Agreement are being adopted by TWCIS (OH) pursuant to Section 252(i) of the Act, Germantown does not provide such terms and conditions to TWCIS (OH) as either a voluntary or negotiated agreement. Germantown's performance of the Agreement does not in any way constitute a waiver by Germantown of any position as to the Agreement or a portion thereof, nor does it constitute a waiver by Germantown of all rights and remedies it may have to seek review of the Agreement, or to seek review in any way of any provisions included in the Agreement as a result of TWCIS (OH)'s adoption.

All services provided under this Agreement will be consistent with the decisions of the Federal Communications Commission, the Commission, and the courts having jurisdiction over this Agreement.

2. PARTIES:

TWCIS (OH) is hereby substituted in the Adopted Agreement for Sprint Communications Company L.P. and/or Sprint and Germantown shall remain as the other Party (the "ILEC") to the Adopted Agreement. Except as modified herein, the Agreement shall in all other respects reflect the same terms as the Adopted Agreement.

3. TERM:

The Agreement will become effective upon execution of both Parties with the date of the second signature (the "Effective Date"), and, unless earlier terminated in accordance with its terms, will continue in force until May 1, 2010, which corresponds with the expiration of the Adopted Agreement. Germantown shall file this Agreement with the Commission promptly upon receipt of the Agreement countersigned by TWCIS (OH).

4. NOTICES:

Except as otherwise provided, all notices or other communications hereunder shall be deemed to have been fully given when made in writing and delivered in person, or overnight courier, or deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, and addressed as follows:

To The Germantown
Independent Telephone Company:

The Germantown Independent Telephone Company
Attn: Joseph Greenwood
Senior Manager, Interconnection Support
FairPoint Communications
1 Davis Farm Road
Portland, Maine 04103
Telephone: 207-648-3176
Email: jgreenwood@fairpoint.com

With copy:

Carolyn Flahive, Esq.
Thompson Hine LLP
41 South High Street
Suite 1700
Columbus, OH 43215-6101
Telephone: 614-469-3294
Facsimile: 614-469-3361
Email: carolyn.flahive@thompsonhine.com

To TWCIS (OH):

Julie P. Laine
Group Vice President & Chief Counsel, Regulatory
Time Warner Cable
60 Columbus Circle
New York, New York 10023
Telephone: 212-364-8482
Facsimile: 704-973-6239
Email: julie.laine@twcable.com

With copy:

Maribeth Bailey
Senior Director, Interconnection Policy, Regulatory
Time Warner Cable
60 Columbus Circle
New York, New York 10023
Telephone: 212-364-8440
Facsimile: 704-973-6222
Email: Maribeth.bailey@twcable.com

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly respective authorized representative.

The Germantown Independent
Telephone Company

By:  _____

Name: Peter G. Nixon

Title: President

Date: September 28, 2009

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Time Warner Cable Information Services (Ohio),
LLC d/b/a Time Warner Cable

By:  _____

Name: Gerald D. Campbell

Title: EVP, Commercial Services

Date: October 16, 2009

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Summary: Application -for approval of an agreement with Time Warner electronically filed by Carolyn S Flahive on behalf of The Germantown Independent Telephone Company