

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

In the Matter of the Application of Cincinnati Bell)
Telephone to increase the rates of its residential access line)
service.)

TRF Docket No. 90-5013

Case No. - - **TP** -

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

Name of Registrant(s) Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company

DBA(s) of Registrant(s)

Address of Registrant(s) 221 East Fourth Street

Company Web Address CincinnatiBell.com

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Consumer Contact Information Kathy Campbell

Phone (513)397-1296

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 checked="" 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 checked="" 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	

Section I – Part II – Certificate Status and Procedural

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 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 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, Cincinnati Bell Telephone, 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) March 17, 2010 at (Location) 221 East Fourth Street, 103-1280

*(Signature and Title) /s/Christopher J. Wilson, VP & General Counsel (Date) March 17, 2010

- *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, Christopher J. Wilson

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) /s/Christopher J. Wilson, Vice President & General Counsel (Date) March 17, 2010

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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

March 17, 2010

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

RE: Case No. 09-5013-TP-TRF

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company LLC is submitting this application to increase the rates of its residential access line service.

Included with this filing are the superseded tariff sheets marked as Exhibit A, the revised tariff sheets marked as Exhibit B, a description of the filing marked as Exhibit C and a copy of the notice provided to customers, along with an affidavit that the notice was provided according to the applicable rule(s) marked as Exhibit D.

Should you have any questions concerning this filing please do not hesitate to contact me on (513) 397-1296.

Sincerely,

/s/ Kathleen Campbell
Regulatory Specialist

Attachments

EXHIBIT A SUPERSEDED TARIFF SHEETS

EXCHANGE SERVICES TARIFF
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LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES

D. RATES AND CHARGES – MONTHLY RATES

1. Rate Band 1

a. Residence Service

	<u>Tier</u> <u>(Notes 1, 2 and 3)</u>	<u>Basic</u> <u>Monthly Rates</u>	
Flat Rate Line			
First Line *			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	\$ 20.70	
Clermont Exchange	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	16.95	(C)
Second and Third Lines			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	20.70	
Clermont Exchange	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	16.95	(C)
Fourth Line and Above			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	2	20.70	
Clermont Exchange	2	16.95	

* See Section 4 for Lifeline Service.

Note 1: Rates for Tier 1 Core (BLES Alt Reg) basic local exchange service (BLES) as defined in O.A.C. 4901:1-4-01 are capped at annual increases of no more than \$1.25 per line.

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Note 3: Tier 1-Noncore 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 the double initial rate. This pricing flexibility is in accordance with O.A.C. 4901:1-4 and Alt Reg Case No. 04-720, effective July 1, 2004.

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By: Ted Heckmann, Managing Director, Regulatory Affairs
Cincinnati, Ohio

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1. Rate Band 1 (Continued)

a. Residence Service (Continued)

		MAXIMUM		
	Tier (Notes 1, 2 and 3)	Basic Monthly Rates	Effective Date	
Flat Rate Line (Continued)				
First Line				
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	\$20.70	Nov. 28, 2008	
Clermont Exchange	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	18.20	Jan. 13, 2010	(C)
Second and Third Lines				
Cincinnati, Clermont and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	---	---	(C)
Fourth Line and Above	2	---	---	

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D. RATES AND CHARGES – MONTHLY RATES (Continued)

2. Rate Band 2

a. Residence Service

Flat Rate Line	Tier (Notes 1, 2 and 3)	Basic Monthly Rates	
First Line *			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	\$ 21.70	
Bethany, Harrison, and Little Miami Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	19.20	
Clermont Exchange	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	17.95	(C)
Second and Third Lines			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	21.70	
Bethany, Harrison, and Little Miami Exchanges	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	19.20	
Clermont Exchange	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	17.95	(C)
Fourth Line and Above			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	2	21.70	
Bethany, Harrison, and Little Miami Exchanges	2	19.20	
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D. RATES AND CHARGES – MONTHLY RATES (Continued)

2. Rate Band 2 (Continued)

a. Residence Service (Continued)

		MAXIMUM		
		Tier <u>(Notes 1, 2 and 3)</u>	Basic <u>Monthly Rates</u>	Effective <u>Date</u>
Flat Rate Line				
First Line				
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1–Core (BLES Alt Reg)	\$ 21.70	Nov. 28, 2008	
Bethany, Harrison, and Little Miami Exchanges	1–Core (BLES Alt Reg)	19.20	Dec. 10, 2008	
Clermont Exchange	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	19.20	Jan. 13, 2010	(C)
Second and Third Lines				
Bethany, Cincinnati, Clermont, Hamilton, Harrison, and Little Miami Exchanges	1–Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	---	---	(C)
Fourth Line and Above	2	---	---	

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3. Rate Band 3 (Continued)

a. Residence Service (Continued)

		MAXIMUM		
		Basic	Effective	
		<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Date</u>	
Flat Rate Line (Continued)				
First Line *				
Williamsburg Exchange	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	\$ 20.20	Dec. 10, 2008	
Clermont and Newtonsville Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	18.95	Jan. 13, 2010	(C)
Bethel, Reily, Seven Mile, and Shandon Exchanges	1-Core	18.95	---	(C)
Second and Third Lines				
Clermont, Newtonsville, and Williamsburg Exchanges	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	---	---	(C)
Bethel, Reily, Seven Mile, and Shandon Exchanges	1-Noncore	37.90	---	(C)
Fourth Line and Above	2	---	---	

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EXHIBIT B – REVISED TARIFF SHEETS

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LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES

D. RATES AND CHARGES – MONTHLY RATES

1. Rate Band 1

a. Residence Service

	<u>Tier</u> <u>(Notes 1 and 2)</u>	<u>Basic</u> <u>Monthly Rates</u>	(D)
Flat Rate Line			
First Line *			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	\$ 21.95 (I)	
Clermont Exchange	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	18.20 (I)	
Second and Third Lines			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	21.95 (I)	
Clermont Exchange	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	18.20 (I)	
Fourth Line and Above			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	2	21.95 (I)	
Clermont Exchange	2	18.20 (I)	

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1. Rate Band 1 (Continued)

a. Residence Service (Continued)

		MAXIMUM			
	Tier (Notes 1 and 2)	Basic Monthly Rates	Effective Date	(D)	
Flat Rate Line (Continued)					
First Line					
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	\$21.95 (I)	Mar. 17, 2010	(C)	
Clermont Exchange	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	18.20	Mar. 17, 2010	(C)	
Second and Third Lines	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	---	---	(T)	
Fourth Line and Above	2	---	---		

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2. Rate Band 2

a. Residence Service

Flat Rate Line	Tier (Notes 1 and 2)	Basic Monthly Rates	(D)
First Line *			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	\$ 22.95 (I)	
Bethany, Harrison, and Little Miami Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	20.45 (I)	
Clermont Exchange	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	19.20 (I)	
Second and Third Lines			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	22.95 (I)	
Bethany, Harrison, and Little Miami Exchanges	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	20.45 (I)	
Clermont Exchange	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	19.20 (I)	
Fourth Line and Above			
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	2	22.95 (I)	
Bethany, Harrison, and Little Miami Exchanges	2	20.45 (I)	
Clermont Exchange	2	19.20 (I)	

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2. Rate Band 2 (Continued)

a. Residence Service (Continued)

		MAXIMUM			
Flat Rate Line	Tier (Notes 1 and 2)	Basic Monthly Rates	Effective Date	(D)	
First Line					
Cincinnati and Hamilton Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	\$ 22.95 (I)	Mar. 17, 2010	(C)	
Bethany, Harrison, and Little Miami Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	20.45 (I)	Mar. 17, 2010	(C)	
Clermont Exchange	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	19.20	Mar. 17, 2010	(C)	
Second and Third Lines	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	---	---	(T)	
Fourth Line and Above	2	---	---		

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3. Rate Band 3

a. Residence Service

Flat Rate Line	Tier (Notes 1, 2 and 3)	Basic Monthly Rates
First Line *		
Williamsburg Exchange	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	\$ 21.45 (I)
Clermont and Newtonsville Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)	20.20 (I)
Bethel, Reily, Seven Mile, and Shandon Exchanges	1-Core	18.95
Second and Third Lines		
Williamsburg Exchange	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	21.45 (I)
Clermont and Newtonsville Exchanges	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)	20.20 (I)
Bethel, Reily, Seven Mile, and Shandon Exchanges	1-Noncore	18.95
Fourth Line and Above		
Williamsburg Exchange	2	21.45 (I)
Clermont and Newtonsville Exchanges	2	20.20 (I)
Bethel, Reily, Seven Mile, and Shandon Exchanges	2	18.95

* See Section 4 for Lifeline Service.

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3. Rate Band 3 (Continued)

a. Residence Service (Continued)

		MAXIMUM		
		Tier (Notes 1, 2 and 3)	Basic Monthly Rates	Effective Date
Flat Rate Line (Continued)				
First Line *				
Williamsburg Exchange	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)		\$ 21.45 (I)	Mar. 17, 2010 (C)
Clermont and Newtonsville Exchanges	1-Core (BLES Alt Reg)		20.20 (I)	Mar. 17, 2010 (C)
Bethel, Reily, Seven Mile, and Shandon Exchanges	1-Core		18.95	---
Second and Third Lines				
Clermont, Newtonsville, and Williamsburg Exchanges	1-Noncore (BLES Alt Reg)		---	---
Bethel, Reily, Seven Mile, and Shandon Exchanges	1-Noncore		37.90	---
Fourth Line and Above	2		---	---

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EXHIBIT C – DESCRIPTION OF FILING

This filing is being made to increase the rates of the residential access lines that were granted BLES Alt Reg pricing flexibility. The areas that will see the price increase are outlined in the attached Exhibit D.

EXHIBIT D – CUSTOMER NOTIFICATION

Cincinnati Bell Telephone (CBT) is increasing its flat rate residence line (1FR) monthly prices by \$1.25, effective March 15, 2010, in areas where BLES alt reg has been approved. (BLES alt reg is effective in CBT's Bethany, Cincinnati, Clermont, Harrison, Little Miami, Newtonsville, and Williamsburg exchanges.) In accordance with the customer notice requirements in 4901:1-6-16 (B) and 4901:1-4-11 (E), CBT began sending the following bill messages on February 1, 2010 to customers whose 1FR prices will increase. While the tariff will be effective March 17, the new prices will not apply to an individual account until the beginning of the customer's first bill cycle after the price increase is effective. Cincinnati Bell will not bill fractional charges to customers for the period from March 17 until their next bill is processed, thus the March 17 date is not explicit in the notice. This is the same format and process that CBT used for previous 1FR monthly price change notices in BLES alt reg areas.

Cincinnati and Hamilton Band 1

The following changes will be effective with your next bill:

- Residence Line pricing will change from \$20.70/mo. to \$21.95/mo.
- For questions or if you wish to change service, please call (513) 565-2795.

Cincinnati and Hamilton Band 2

The following changes will be effective with your next bill:

- Residence Line pricing will change from \$21.70/mo. to \$22.95/mo.
- For questions or if you wish to change service, please call (513) 565-2795.

Bethany, Harrison, and Little Miami

The following changes will be effective with your next bill:

- Residence Line pricing will change from \$19.20/mo. to \$20.45/mo.
- For questions or if you wish to change service, please call (513) 565-2795.

Williamsburg

The following changes will be effective with your next bill:

- Residence Line pricing will change from \$20.20/mo. to \$21.45/mo.
- For questions or if you wish to change service, please call (513) 565-2795.

Clermont Band 1

The following changes will be effective with your next bill:

- Residence Line pricing will change from \$16.95/mo. to \$18.20/mo.
- For questions or if you wish to change service, please call (513) 565-2795.

Clermont Band 2

The following changes will be effective with your next bill:

- Residence Line pricing will change from \$17.95/mo. to \$19.20/mo.
- For questions or if you wish to change service, please call (513) 565-2795.

Clermont Band 3 and Newtonsville

The following changes will be effective with your next bill:

- Residence Line pricing will change from \$18.95/mo. to \$20.20/mo.
- For questions or if you wish to change service, please call (513) 565-2795.

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AFFIDAVIT

I, Christopher J. Wilson, am an authorized agent of the applicant corporation, Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company LLC, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf. I attest that the customer notice as supplied have been provided to affected customers in the state of Ohio. I declare under penalty of perjury that the forgoing is true and correct.

Executed on March 17, 2010 at 221 E. Fourth Street, Cincinnati, Ohio

Christopher J. Wilson /s/
Vice President and General Counsel

Sworn and subscribed before me this 17th day of March, 2010

Kathleen M. Campbell /s/
Notary Public
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