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September 7, 2010

Ms. Renee Jenkins  
Docketing Division  
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
180 East Broad Street, 11<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Re: *In the Matter of the Application of Doylestown Telephone Company to  
Transition its Intrastate Access Rates in its Edge Out Exchanges Pursuant to  
Case No. 08-117-TP-WVR, Case No. 10-1326-TP-ATA*

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Enclosed are the original and nine (9) copies of the *Telecommunications Application  
Form for ILECs Not Subject to Alternative Regulation* for filing on behalf of Doylestown  
Telephone Company in the above-captioned matter. Please time stamp and return the additional  
two (2) copies of the Application to our courier.

Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,

BAILEY CAVALIERI LLC

  
William A. Adams

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Enclosure

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**The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio**  
**TELECOMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION FORM**  
for  
**ILECs Not Subject to Alternative Regulation**  
(Effective November 14, 2008)

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In the Matter of the Application of Doylestown Telephone Company ) TRF Docket No. **90-5017-TP-TRF**  
to Transition its Intrastate Access Rates in its Edge Out Exchanges ) Case No. **10 - 1326-TP - ATA**  
Pursuant to Case No. 08-117-TP-WV R ) NOTE: Unless you have reserved a Case # or are filing a  
Contract, leave the "Case No" fields BLANK.

Name of Company Doylestown Telephone Company  
Address of Company 81 North Portage Street Doylestown, OH 44230-1349  
Company Web Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Regulatory Contact Person(s) William A. Adams Phone 614.229.3278 Fax 614.221.0479  
Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address William.Adams@baileycavalieri.com  
Date September 7, 2010

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

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

**NOTE:**

- 1) Not-For-Profit companies must use the NFP application Form (See 05-1303-TP-COI (No not use this App Form).
- 2) For requirements for various applications, see the identified section of Ohio Administrative Code Section 4901.
- 3) Information regarding the number of copies required by the Commission may be obtained from the Commission's web site at [www.puco.ohio.gov](http://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.
- 4) This form must accompany:
  - ✓ All automatic approval/notice applications filed by incumbent local exchange companies (ILECs) not subject to a qualifying alternative regulation plan when making an application pursuant to Case Nos. 84-944-TP-COI, 86-1144-TP-COI, 89-564-TP-COI, or 99-563-TP-COI.
  - ✓ All non-automatic approval applications filed by incumbent local exchange companies (ILECs) not subject to a qualifying alternative regulation plan when making an application pursuant to Section 4909.18, Ohio Revised Code.

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

**Retail Filings**

- ☐ 1 (AEC) Application For Approval Of A Customer Contract For Competitive Services (pursuant to 84-944-TP-COI & 86-1144-TP-COI)  
☐ a. Stand-Alone Contract (90-day approval, 7 copies)  
☐ b. Pre-Approved Contract (0-day notice, 7 copies)
- ☐ 2 (ACO) ILEC Application for Change in Ownership Pursuant to 4905.402, Ohio Revised Code (30-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 3 (ALI) Small, For-Profit, ILEC Application For A Limited Increase In Non-Basic Rates (60-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 4 (ATA) Application For Tariff Amendment - Retail Tariff - That Does Not Result In An Increase In Rates  
Small, for-profit ILECs (45-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 5 (ZTA) Tariff Notification Not For An Increase In Rates Involving Message Toll, Toll-Free Service, 900 And 900-Like Services, 500 Service, Calling Card, Prepaid Calling Card, Private Line, and Speed Dialing In Accordance With Waiver Granted in 99-563-TP-COI (5/11/2000 and 11/21/2002) (0-day notice, 7 copies)  
NOTE: Notifications do not require or imply Commission Approval.
- ☐ 6 (Non-Auto) All Others (non-automatic approval, indicate appropriate 3 letter code for case type in Case No. above)

**Carrier to Carrier Filings**

- ☒ 7 (ATA) Application For Tariff Amendment - Access Tariff Applications pursuant to Rule 4901:1-7-14(B) of O.A.C. (30-day approval)
- ☐ 8 (NAG) Negotiated Carrier-to-Carrier Interconnection Agreement under Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act (90-day approval) & Rule 4901:1-7 of O.A.C
- ☐ 9 (ARB) Request for Arbitration of a Carrier-to-Carrier Interconnection Agreement under Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act (non-automatic) & Rule 4901:1-7 of O.A.C

**II. The following exhibits corresponding to the list of cases above, at a minimum, are required to be filed:**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3, 4, 5, 6, 7	Current Tariff Sheets (to be superseded), if applicable
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3, 4, 5, 6, 7	Proposed Tariff Sheets
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	Rationale or Explanation for Change
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	Justification for Competitive Treatment
<input type="checkbox"/>	2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	Customer Notice to customers affected by proposal, and statement as to the form and timing of the notice
<input type="checkbox"/>	1, 8	Copy of Contract
<input type="checkbox"/>	9	Filing Requirements are specified in <u>4901:1-7-09(D)</u> of the Ohio Administrative Code

**III. Applicant is filing this application under the regulatory requirements:**

- ☒ Established by the Commission in Case No. 89-564-TP-COI.  
☐ Established in 4909.18 Ohio Revised Code.

**IV.** Applicant respectfully requests the Commission to permit the filing of the proposed tariff sheets, to become effective on the date shown on the proposed tariff sheets (which is a date no earlier than the day after the applicable automatic approval date), modified by any further revisions that have become effective prior to the effective date of the proposed schedule sheets.

Respectfully submitted,

DOYLESTOWN TELEPHONE COMPANY

By: 

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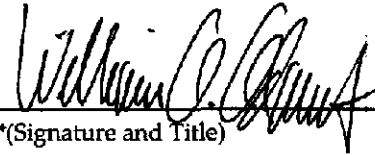
614.229.3278 (direct dial)

614.221.0479 (facsimile)

Attorneys for Doylestown Telephone Company

## VERIFICATION

I verify that all of the information submitted herein, and all additional information submitted in connection with this case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

  
\*(Signature and Title)

09/07/10  
(Date)

\*Verification is required for every filing, and need **not** be notarized except for Applications for a Limited Increase in Rates (ALIs). The verification may be signed by an officer of the applicant, its counsel, or an authorized agent of the applicant, except for ALIs. ALI applications must be signed by an officer of the company and be notarized.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_ 2010.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public, State of Ohio

My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT A**  
**(CURRENT TARIFF SHEETS)**

Doylestown Telephone Company  
Doylestown, Ohio

Section 13  
Original Sheet 1

P.U.C.O. No. 7  
Expanded Service Area

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**Expanded Service Area  
Rittman and Marshallville Exchanges**

The services, rates, terms, and conditions of the Rittman and Marshallville Exchanges will be identical to those of the Doylestown Exchange.

Service will be available where facilities permit.



Issued: April 30, 2001

Effective: April 30, 2001

In Accordance with Finding and Order in Case No. 01-568-TP-UNC  
Issued by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
Thomas J. Brockman, President  
Doylestown, Ohio 44230

**EXHIBIT B**  
**(PROPOSED TARIFF SHEETS)**

P.U.C.O. No. 7

5. Only for the Expanded Service Area of Rittman and Marshallville Exchanges (as set forth in Section 13 of the Telephone Company's Tariff P.U.C.O. No. 7) ("Expanded Service Area"), the intrastate switched access rates will be set in accordance with the PUCO's Finding and Order issued May 28, 2008 in Case No. 08-117-TP-WVR. The intrastate switched access rates for the Expanded Service Area shall be reduced annually by one third of the difference between the intrastate switched access rates charged by the Telephone Company in the Doylestown Exchange (as "frozen" in 1997) and the current switched access rates set forth in NECA Tariff No. 5, in accordance with the following calculations:

(N)

- Effective February 22, 2010:  $\frac{2}{3}$  multiplied by (Telephone Company Doylestown Exchange 1997 frozen intrastate switched access rates minus NECA switched access rates effective February 22, 2010) plus NECA switched access rates effective February 22, 2010;
- Effective February 22, 2011:  $\frac{1}{3}$  multiplied by (Telephone Company Doylestown Exchange 1997 frozen intrastate switched access rates minus NECA switched access rates effective February 22, 2010) plus NECA switched access rates effective February 22, 2010; and,
- Effective February 22, 2012: then current NECA switched access rates.

(N)

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Thomas J. Brockman, President  
Doylestown, Ohio



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Expanded Service Area

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**Expanded Service Area  
Rittman and Marshallville Exchanges**

The services, rates, terms and conditions of the Rittman and Marshallville Exchanges will be identical to those of the Doylestown Exchange, except as otherwise specifically provided. (N)

Service will be available where facilities permit.

Service is not currently offered in the Rittman and Marshallville Exchanges. (N)

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Effective: \_\_\_\_\_

In Accordance with Case No. 10-1326-TP-ATA  
Issued by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
Thomas J. Brockman, President  
Doylestown, Ohio 44230

### **EXHIBIT C**

In its May 28, 2008 Finding and Order in Case No. 08-117-TP-WVR, Doylestown Telephone Company ("Doylestown") received a waiver of the requirement set forth in Case No. 06-1344-TP-ORD that carriers operating out-of-territory must reduce intrastate access charges from existing rates to the rate of the ILEC in whose territory that carrier is operating in those "edge out" areas. Doylestown was granted an 18-month extension (i.e., until February 22, 2010) to begin the three-year transition period to reduce its intrastate access service charges in its out-of-territory exchanges.

Doylestown does not have and has not had any customers in these "edge out" exchanges since February 2010, and the late filing of this tariff amendment does not cause any harm to any carriers. Nevertheless, Doylestown hereby modifies its tariff to reflect the appropriate rates if it begins serving customers outside its traditional service territory. Doylestown also is amending its tariff to make clear that it is not currently offering service in its "edge out" exchanges. Because no customers are impacted by this filing, no notice is required.