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Ms. Reneé Jenkins Docketing Division Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215-3793

RE: Application of CenturyTel of Ohio Inc., d/b/a CenturyLink for Approval of a Negotiated Agreement with Sigecomm LLC dba WOW! Internet Cable Phone.

PUCO Case No: 10-1457-TP-NAG 90-5041-TP-TRF

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Enclosed for filing is an Application of CenturyTel of Ohio Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink for Approval of a Negotiated Agreement with Sigecomm LLC dba WOW! Internet Cable Phone under Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. The Telecommunications Application Form is also being submitted at this time.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Gary Baki

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Enclosures

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of CenturyTel of Ohio Inc., d/b/a CenturyLink for the Approval of a Negotiated Agreement with Sigecomm LLC d/b/a WOW! Internet Cable Phone Under Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996	Case No. 10-1457-TP-NAG
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APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF A NEGOTIATED AGREEMENT UNDER THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996

CenturyTel of Ohio Inc., d/b/a CenturyLink applies to the Commission for review and approval of the attached Traffic Exchange Agreement ("Agreement") that is dated September 15, 2010 between CenturyTel of Ohio Inc., d/b/a CenturyLink ("CenturyLink") and Sigecomm LLC dba WOW! Internet Cable Phone ("WOW"), pursuant to the provisions of Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Pub. L. 104-104, 110 Stat. 56 (1996) (codified at 47 U.S.C. 151 et seq.) ("the Act").

The Agreement between the parties shall consist of the interconnection between Local Exchange Carriers ("LEC's") for the mutual exchange and termination of traffic originating on each LEC's network and is dated September 15, 20010 arrived at through negotiations between CenturyLink and WOW as contemplated by Section 252(a) of 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 attached Agreement does not discriminate against any telecommunications carrier that is not a party to the Agreement. CenturyLink will make the Agreement available to any other carrier operating in CenturyLink service territory. However, the Agreement does not preclude different arrangements with other carriers. In addition, this Agreement does not impact any other company's right to negotiate or arbitrate under the Act.

The attached Agreement is consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity because it allows for interconnection and traffic exchange for the companies. The Agreement represents the end product of good faith negotiations between CenturyLink and WOW. This is exactly the type of private negotiation and agreement envisioned by the Congress when it crafted the Act. Therefore, the implementation of the Agreement will be consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.

CenturyLink requests that the Commission approve the Agreement.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Copies of the foregoing Application for Approval of a Negotiated Agreement between CneturyTel of Ohio Inc., d/b/a CenturyLink and Sigecomm LLC dba WOW! Internet Cable Phone served on the following person by email on this 4th day of October, 2010.

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

In the Matter of the Application of Century Tel of	of Ohio Inc.,	TRF Docket No. 90-5041 TP-TRF		
d/b/a CenturyLink for a Negotiated Agreement of Sigecomm LLC d/b/a WOW		Case No. 10 -1457- TP - <u>NAG</u> NOTE: Unless you have reserved a Case # or are filing a Contract, leave the "Case No" fields BLANK.		
Name of Registrant(s) CenturyTel of Ohio Inc. DBA(s) of Registrant(s) CenturyLink Address of Registrant(s) 50 W. Broad St., Suite Company Web Address www.centurylink.com Regulatory Contact Person(s) Gary Baki Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address ga Contact Person for Annual Report Mike Mohr Address (if different from above) Consumer Contact Information Donna Powell Address (if different from above) CenturyLink Motion for protective order included with filing Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? Section I – Pursuant to Chapter 4901:11 submitting this form by checking the bo NOTES: (1) For requirements for various application application form noted. (2) Information regarding the number of copies requirements the docketing information system section, by of the Commission.	Executive and Regulat g? Yes No Yes No No [Note -6 OAC - Part I - 1 xes below. CMRS p ons, see the identified sect uired by the Commission:	Phone 614-22 com ory Services, Tarboro M : Waivers may toll any Please indicate the C roviders: Please see a ion of Ohio Administration may be obtained from the	Phone 913 Phone 800 NC 27886 The automatic timeframe. Carrier Type and the stee bottom of Section are Code Section 4901 and the Commission's web site at	3-345-7625 0-238-3095 e reason for II. for the supplemental www.puco.ohio.gov
Carrier Type Other (explain below)		☐ CLEC	☐ CTS	AOS/IOS
Tier 1 Regulatory Treatment	<u> </u>			
Change Rates within approved Range	TRF <u>1-6-04(B)</u>	☐ TRF <u>1-6-04(B)</u>		
New Service, expanded local calling	(0 day Notice) ZTA <u>1-6-04(B)</u>	(0 day Notice) ZTA <u>1-6-04(B)</u>		
area, correction of textual error	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)		
Change Terms and Conditions,	☐ ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u>	☐ ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u>		
Introduce non-recurring service charges	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)		
Introduce or Increase Late Payment or	ATA 1-6-04(B)	ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u>		
Returned Check Charge	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)		
Business Contract	CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)		
Withdrawal	☐ ATW <u>1-6-12(A)</u> (Non-Auto)	ATW <u>1-6-12(A)</u> (Auto 30 days)		
Raise the Ceiling of a Rate	Not Applicable	SLF <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)		
Tier 2 Regulatory Treatment				
Residential - Introduce non-recurring	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u>	TRF 1-6-05(E)		
service charges	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)		
Residential - Introduce New Tariffed Tier	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(C)</u>	☐ TRF 1-6-05(C)	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(C)</u>	
2 Service(s)	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)	
Residential - Change Rates, Terms and	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u>	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u>	☐ TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u>	
Conditions, Promotions, or Withdrawal	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)	
Residential - Tier 2 Service Contracts	CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	
Commercial (Business) Contracts	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	
Business Services (see "Other" below)	Detariffed	Detariffed	Detariffed	
Residential & Business Toll Services	Detariffed	Detariffed	Detariffed	
(see "Other" below)				

Section I - Part II - Certificate Status and Procedural

Certificate Status

Certification (See Supplemental ACE form)

CMRS Providers See 4901:1-6-15

Other* (explain)

Add Exchanges to Certificate	☐ ATA <u>1-6-09(C)</u> (Auto 30 days)	AAC <u>1-6-10(F)</u> (0 day Notice)	CLECs must attach a current CLEC Exchange Listing Form		
Abandon all Services - With Customers	ABN <u>1-6-11(A)</u> (Non-Auto)	ABN <u>1-6-11(A)</u> (Auto 90 day)	ABN <u>1-6-11(B)</u> (Auto 14 day)	ABN <u>1-6-11(B)</u> (Auto 14 day)	
Abandon all Services - Without Customers		ABN <u>1-6-11(A)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ABN <u>1-6-11(B)</u> (Auto 14 day)	☐ ABN <u>1-6-11(B)</u> (Auto 14 day)	
Change of Official Name (See below)	ACN <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ACN <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	O day Notice)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	
Change in Ownership (See below)	ACO <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ACO <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	O day Notice)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice) (
Merger (See below)	☐ AMT <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ AMT <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	
Transfer a Certificate (See below)	☐ ATC <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ ATC <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	
Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business (See below)	☐ ATR <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATR <u>1-6-14(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	CIO <u>1-6-14(A)</u> (0 day Notice)	
Procedural		,,,,			
Designation of Process Agent(s)	TRF (0 day Notice)	TRF (0 day Notice)	TRF (0 day Notice)	☐ 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	NAG <u>1-7-07</u> (Auto 90 day)	☐ NAG <u>1-7-07</u> (Auto 90 day)			
Request for Arbitration	☐ ARB <u>1-7-09</u> (Non-Auto)	☐ ARB <u>1-7-09</u> (Non-Auto)			
Introduce or change c-t-c service tariffs,	☐ ATA <u>1-7-14</u> (Auto 30 day)	☐ ATA <u>1-7-14</u> (Auto 30 day)			
Introduce or change access service pursuant to 07-464-TP-COI	ATA (Auto 30 day)				
Request rural carrier exemption, rural carrier supension or modifiction	UNC <u>1-7-04</u> or (Non-Auto) <u>1-7-05</u>	UNC <u>1-7-04</u> or (Non-Auto) 1-7-05			
Pole attachment changes in terms and conditions and price changes.	UNC 1-7-23(B) (Non-Auto)	UNC <u>1-7-05</u> (Non-Auto)			

ILEC

CLEC

☐ ACE <u>1-6-10</u>

(Auto 30 days)

*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.

[Registration & Change in Operations]

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

RCC

(0 day)

Commission's Web Page for a complete list of exhibits.

Exhibit	Description:
Α	The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s) as they exist before the change(s)
В	The Tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s), reflecting the change, with the change(s) marked in the right margin.
С	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).

AOS/IOS

ACE 1-6-10

(Auto 30 days)

CTS

ACE 1-6-10

(Auto 30 days)

NAG

(Auto 90 days)

[Interconnection Agreement or Amendment]

AFFIDAVIT

Compliance with Commission Rules and Service Standards

I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, <u>United Telephone Company of Ohio</u> , and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf. d/b/a CenturyLink
(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, Joseph R. Stewart 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) *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:

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Summary: Agreement filed between WOW and CenturyLink (CenturyTel) electronically filed by GARY BAKI on behalf of CenturyTel of Ohio dba CenturyLink