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

RE: Independent Telecommunications Systems, Inc.
d/b/a ITS Communications
d/b/a IXC Direct, Inc.
Docket No. 11-5056-TP-ATA

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

In compliance with Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD, enclosed for filing please find the Telecommunications Application Form for Detariffing and Related Actions submitted on behalf of the above captioned company.

Should you have any questions or concerns relating to this matter, please contact the undersigned at (269) 381-8893 or patrick@crockerlawfirm.com

Very truly yours,

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Patrick D. Crocker

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The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
TELECOMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION FORM for
DETARIFFING AND RELATED ACTIONS

Per the Commission's 01/19/2011 "Implementation Order" in Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD
(Effective: 01/20/2011 through 05/20/2011)

In the Matter of the Application of)
Independent Telecommunications Systems, Inc.)
d/b/a ITS Communications d/b/a IXC Direct, Inc.)
to Detariff Services and make other changes related to the)
Implementation of Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD)

TRF Docket No. 90-__

Case No. 11 - ____ - **TP - ATA**

NOTE: Unless you have reserved a Case No. leave the "Case No." fields BLANK.

Name of Registrant(s) Independent Telecommunications Systems, Inc.
DBA(s) of Registrant(s) d/b/a ITS Communications d/b/a IXC Direct, Inc.
Address of Registrant(s) 4079 Park East Court, Kentwood, MI 49546
Company Web Address www.itscommunications.com
Regulatory Contact Person(s) Douglas Becker Phone (269) 373-0151 Fax (269) 344-0186
Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address dbecker@itscommunications.vom
Contact Person for Annual Report Douglas Becker Phone (269) 381-8888
Address (if different from above) 135 North Church Street, Kalamazoo, MI 49007
Consumer Contact Information Douglas Becker Phone (888) 693-9509
Address (if different from above) 135 North Church Street, Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Part I – Tariffs

Please indicate the Carrier Type and the reason for submitting this form by checking the boxes below.

NOTE: All cases are ATA process cases, tariffs are effective the day they are filed, and remain in effect unless the Commission acts to suspend.

Carrier Type	<input type="checkbox"/> ILEC	<input type="checkbox"/> CLEC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CTS
Tariff for Basic Local Exchange Service (BLES) and/or other services required to be tarified pursuant to 4901:1-6-11(A); detariffing of all other services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other changes required by Chapter 4901:1-6 (Describe in detail in Exhibit C)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Part II – Exhibits

Note that the following exhibits are required for all filings using this form.

Included	Identified As:	Description of Required Exhibit:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Exhibit A	The existing affected tariff pages.
N/A <input type="checkbox"/>	Exhibit B	The proposed revised tariff pages.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Exhibit C	Narrative summarizing all changes proposed in the application, and/or other information intended to assist Staff in the review of the Application.
N/A <input type="checkbox"/>	Exhibit D	One-time customer notice of detariffing and related changes consistent with rule 4901:1-06-07
N/A <input type="checkbox"/>	Exhibit E	Affidavit that the Customer Notice described in Exhibit C has been sent to Customers.

Part III. – Attestation

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

AFFIDAVIT

Compliance with Commission Rules

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

I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules for the state of Ohio. I understand that tariff notification filings do not imply Commission approval and that the Commission's rules, 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) 9/7/2011 at (Location) Kalamazoo
*(Signature and Title) [Signature] Vice President (Date) 9/7/2011

- 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, Doug Becker verify that I have utilized the Telecommunications Application Form for Detariffing and Related Actions 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) [Signature] Vice President (Date) 9/7/2011

*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

EXHIBIT A

Existing Affected Tariff Pages

INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES

TITLE PAGE

INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES TARIFF

OF

INDEPENDENT TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS, INC.
D/B/A ITS COMMUNICATIONS, D/B/A IXC DIRECT, INC.

Toll Services, except for Customer Deposits, Return Check Charge and Late Payment Charges are now located in the Company's Pricing Guide and may also be viewed at the Company's headquarters: 4079 Park East Court, Kentwood, MI 49546.

"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.**

Issued: December 11, 2008

Effective: December 11, 2008

Issued by: Robert Sweezie, President
INDEPENDENT TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS, INC.
D/B/A ITS COMMUNICATIONS, D/B/A IXC DIRECT, INC.
4079 Park East Court
Kentwood, MI 49546

INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES

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INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES

1.1 Return Check Charge

A return check charge of \$25.00 will be assessed for checks returned for insufficient funds. Any applicable return check charges will be assessed according to the terms and conditions of this tariff and pursuant to Ohio law and Commission regulations. At the option of the Company, this charge may be waived because of extenuating circumstances (i.e. bank error).

1.2 Late Payment Charge

If any portion of the payment is not received by the Company, or if any portion of the payment is received by the Company in funds that are not immediately available, within thirty (30) days after the billing date, are subject to late payment penalty charges of 1.5% per month. The late payment charge will not be applied to previous late payment charges that have assessed against but not paid for, but will apply to the accumulated services for which the Customer is in arrears. Late payment charges will be applied without discrimination.

1.3 Deposits

Company will not require deposits or advance payments by Customers for services.

EXHIBIT B

Proposed Revised Tariff Pages

This Exhibit is not applicable; all of the Applicant's services are hereby detariffed.

EXHIBIT C

Narrative Summarizing Changes

Applicant hereby detariffs all its interexchange services in accordance with the Commission's January 19, 2011 Entry in Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD.

Applicant provides a TELECOMMUNICATIONS RETAIL SERVICE OFFERING FORM FOR NON-BLES CARRIERS.

The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
TELECOMMUNICATIONS RETAIL SERVICE OFFERING FORM
For Non-BLES Carriers

Per the Commission's 01/19/2011 "Implementation Order" in Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD
(Effective: 01/20/2011)

Company Name Independent Telecommunications Systems, Inc. d/b/a ITS Communications d/b/a IXC Direct, Inc.

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Consumer Contact Information Douglas Becker Phone (888) 693-9509 Fax (269) 344-0186

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I. Company Type (Check all applicable):

☐ Non-BLES CLEC ☒ IXC ☐ Other (explain) _____

II. Services offered (Check all applicable):

- ☒ Toll services (intrastate)
- ☐ Local Exchange Service (i.e., residential or business bundles)
- ☐ Other (explain) _____

III. Tariffed Provisions/Services (To the extent offered, check all applicable and attach tariff pages):

- ☐ Toll Presubscription
- ☐ Intrastate Special and Switched Access Services to Carriers (facilities-based local carriers only)*
- ☐ N-1-1 Service
- ☐ Pole Attachment and Conduit Occupancy
- ☐ Pay Telephone Access Lines
- ☐ Inmate Operator Service
- ☐ Telephone Relay Service

*Access service tariffs shall be maintained separately and are subject to the Commission's carrier-to-carrier rules found in Chapter 4901:1-7, Ohio Administrative Code.

Part IV. – Attestation

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

I am an officer/agent of the carrier/telephone company, Doug Becker, and am authorized to make statements on it behalf.
(Name)

I understand that Telephone companies have certain responsibilities to its customers under the Telecommunications Rules (Ohio Adm. Code 4901:1-6). These responsibilities include: warm line service; not committing unfair or deceptive acts and practices; truth in billing requirements; and slamming and preferred carrier freeze requirements. We will comply with the rules of the state of Ohio and understand that non-compliance 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.



(Signature and Title) Vice President

9/7/2011

(Date)

EXHIBIT D and E

Customer Notice and Affidavit

These Exhibits are not applicable; no customer notice is required because no additional services have been detariffed.

This foregoing document was electronically filed with the Public Utilities

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Summary: Application Independent Telecommunications Systems, Inc. d/b/a ITS Communications d/b/a IXC Direct, Inc. to Detariff Services and make other changes related to Implementation of Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD electronically filed by Mr. Patrick D. Crocker on behalf of Independent Telecommunications Systems, Inc. d/b/a ITS Communications d/b/a IXC Direct, Inc.