The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio TELECOMMUNICATIONS FILING FORM

(Effective: 01/20/2011)

This form is intended to be used with most types of required filings. It provides check boxes with rule references for the most common types of filings. It does not replace or supersede Commission rules in any way.

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In the Matter of the Application of Wabash Mutual	
Telephone Company to Modify the Terms of its Late	
Payment Policy	

1 RF Docket No. 90- <u>504</u>	<u>44</u> -1P-1RF
Case No. <u>12</u> - <u>1895</u>	- TP - <u>ATA</u>
NOTE: Unless you have res	erved a Case #, leave the "Case No" fields
BLANK.	

Name of Registrant(s)	Wabash Mutual Telephone Company

DBA(s) of Registrant(s)		
Address of Registrant(s) 6670 Wabash Road, Celina, OH 45822		
Company Web Address www.wabash.com		
Regulatory Contact Person(s) Carolyn S. Flahive	Phone <u>614-469-3294</u>	Fax <u>614-469-3361</u>
Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address Carolyn.Flahive@ThompsonHin	ne.com	
Contact Person for Annual Report Mike Boley, General Manager		Phone <u>419-942-1111</u>
Address (if different from above)		
Consumer Contact Information Mike Boley, General Manager		Phone <u>419-942-1111</u>
Address (if different from above)		
Motion for protective order included with filing? Yes No		
Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? \Box Yes \boxtimes No [Note: Waiv	ers may toll any automatic	c timeframe.]

Notes:

Section I and II are Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6 OAC

Section III – Carrier to Carrier is Pursuant to 4901:1-7 OAC, and Wireless is Pursuant to 4901:1-6-24 OAC. Section IV – Attestation

(1) Indicate the Carrier Type and the reason for submitting this form by checking the boxes below.

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

(3) Information regarding the number of copies required by the Commission may be obtained from the Commission's web site at <u>www.puco.ohio.gov</u> 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) An Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier (ILEC) offering basic local exchange service (BLES) outside its traditional service area should choose CLEC designation when proposing to offer BLES outside its traditional service area or when proposing to make changes to that service.

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).

All Filings that result in a change to one or more tariff pages require, at a minimum, the following exhibits.

Section I – Part I - Common Filings

Carrier Type Other (explain below)	For Profit ILEC	Not For Profit ILEC	
Change terms & conditions of existing BLES	ATA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> (Auto 30 days)
Introduce non-recurring charge, surcharge, or fee to BLES			ATA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> (Auto 30 days)
Introduce or Increase Late Payment	ATA <u>1-6-14(1)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATA <u>1-6-14(1)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATA <u>1-6-14(1)</u> (Auto 30 days)
Revisions to BLES Cap.	$\Box ZTA 1-6-14(F)$ (0 day Notice)		
Introduce BLES or expand local service area (calling area)	ZTA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ ZTA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> (0 day Notice)	ZTA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> (0 day Notice)
Notice of no obligation to construct facilities and provide BLES	ZTA <u>1-6-27(C)</u> (0 day Notice)	ZTA <u>1-6-27(C)</u> (0 day Notice)	
Change BLES Rates	TRF <u>1-6-14(F)</u> (0 day Notice)	$\Box \text{ TRF } \underline{1-6-14(F)(4)} \\ (0 \text{ day Notice})$	TRF <u>1-6-14(G)</u> (0 day Notice)
To obtain BLES pricing flexibility	BLS 1-6-14 (C)(1)(c) (Auto 30 days)		
Change in boundary	ACB <u>1-6-32</u> (Auto 14 days)	ACB <u>1-6-32</u> (Auto 14 days)	
Expand service operation area	•	•	$\Box \text{ TRF } 1-6-08(G)(0 \text{ day})$
BLES withdrawal			ZTA <u>1-6-25(B)</u> (0 day Notice)
Other* (explain)			

Section I – Part II – Customer Notification Offerings Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-7 OAC

Type of Notice	Direct Mail	Bill Insert	Bill Notation	Electronic Mail	
15-day Notice					
30-day Notice			\square		
Date Notice Sent: August 1, 2012					

Section I – Part III – IOS Offerings Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-22 OAC

IOS	Introduce New	Tariff Change	Price Change	Withdraw

Section II – Part I – Carrier Certification - Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-08, 09 & 10 OAC

Contification	ILEC	CLEC	Carrier's Not	CESTC	CETC
Certification	(Out of Territory)		Offering BLES		
* See Supplemental	ACE <u>1-6-08</u>	ACE <u>1-6-08</u>	ACE <u>1-6-</u> 08	ACE <u>1-6-</u> 10	UNC <u>1-6-</u> 09
form	* (Auto 30- day)	*(Auto 30 day)	*(Auto 30 day)	(Auto 30 day)	*(Non-Auto)
*Sumplemental Cartification forms can be found on the Commission Web Date					

*Supplemental Certification forms can be found on the Commission Web Page.

Section II – Part II – Certificate Status & Procedural

Certificate Status	ILEC	CLEC	Carrier's Not Offering BLES
Abandon all Services		ABN <u>1-6-26</u> (Auto 30 days)	ABN <u>1-6-26</u> (Auto 30 days)
Change of Official Name *	ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	$\square ACN 1-6-29(B)$ (Auto 30 days)	$\Box CIO 1-6-29(C)$ (0 day Notice)
Change in Ownership *	$\square ACO 1-6-29(E)$ (Auto 30 days)	$\Box \text{ ACO } \underline{1-6-29(E)}$ (Auto 30 days)	$\Box CIO 1-6-29(C)$ (0 day Notice)
Merger *	AMT <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days)	$\square AMT 1-6-29(E)$ (Auto 30 days)	$\Box CIO 1-6-29(C)$ (0 day Notice)
Transfer a Certificate *	ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	$\Box CIO 1-6-29(C)$ (0 day Notice)
Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business *	ATR <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATR <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice)

* Other exhibits may be required under the applicable rule(s). ACN, ACO, AMT, ATC, ATR and CIO applications see <u>the 4901:1-6-29 Filing Requirements on the Commission's Web Page</u> for a complete list of exhibits.

Section III – Carrier to Carrier (Pursuant to 4901:1-7), and Wireless (Pursuant to 4901:1-6-24)

Carrier to Carrier	ILEC	CLEC
Interconnection agreement, or amendment to	□ NAG <u>1-7-07</u>	□ NAG <u>1-7-07</u>
an approved agreement	(Auto 90 day)	(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)
Request rural carrier exemption, rural carrier	UNC <u>1-7-04</u> or 05	
suspension or modification	(Non-Auto)	
Changes in rates, terms & conditions to Pole	\Box UNC 1-7-23(B)	
Attachment, Conduit Occupancy and Rights-	(Non-Auto)	
of-Way.		
	RCC	□ NAG
Wireless Providers See <u>4901:1-6-24</u>	[Registration &	[Interconnection
	Change in Operations]	Agreement or

Section IV. – Attestation

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

<u>AFFIDAVIT</u> Compliance with Commission Rules

I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, Wabash Mutual Telephone Company, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.

Julie Marchal (Name)

Please Check ALL that apply:

 \square 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 attest that customer notices accompanying this filing form were sent to affected customers, as specified in Section II, in accordance with Rule 4901:1-6-7, Ohio Administrative Code. [An affidavit will be filed in this docket after the customer notices mail on August 1, 2012.]

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on (Date) June 21, 2012 at (Location) Celina, Ohio

*(Signature and Title) <u>/s/ Julie Marchal</u> (Date) <u>June 21, 2012</u>

• 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. <u>Carolyn S. Flahive</u> verify that I have utilized the Telecommunications Filing Form for most 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/ Carolyn S. Flahive (Date) June 22, 2012 *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 (Current Tariff Page)

Section No. 1 First Revised Sheet No. 6 Replaces Original Sheet No. 6

P.U.C.O. NO. 6

MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE OFFERINGS

		MONTHLY CHARGE
1.	DGT Touch Tone This service, more commonly known as Push Button Dialing, will be offered to subscribers.	N/C
2.	Per Call Blocking	
	Enables customers to prevent the disclosure of their telephone number on a per call basis to the called party. The disclosure of the calling party's number can be prevented on a per call basis by dialing a preassigned access code before making a call. This action must be repeated each time a call is made to prevent the disclosure of the calling party's telephone number. If the called party has a display device, a privacy indication will appear instead of the calling party's telephone number. Per Call Blocking will be provided on a universal basis to all eligible customers at no charge. All public and semi-public payphones in Wabash Mutual Telephone Company's service area will be equipped with Per Call Blocking.	
3.	Late Charge A service charge of five (5) percent will be added if payment for services rendered is not made by the due date. The late payment charge will not be applied to previous late payment charges that have been assessed but not yet paid for, but will apply to the accumulated services for which the customer is in arrears. Late payment charges will be applied without discrimination.	(T)

Issued: January 10, 2012

Effective: February 10, 2012

In Accordance with Case No. 12-0185-TP-ATA Issued by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Michael Boley, General Manager Celina, Ohio

EXHIBIT B (Proposed Tariff Page)

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3.	Late Charge A service charge of either five percent (5%) or \$2.50, whichever is greater, will be added if payment for services rendered is not made by the due date. The late payment charge will not be applied to previous late payment charges that have been assessed but not yet paid for, but	(*	Г)

will apply to the accumulated services for which the customer is in arrears. Late payment charges will be applied without discrimination.

EXHIBIT C (Description of Change)

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The Applicant hereby proposes to change the amount it charges for late payments from five percent (5%) to either 5% or \$2.50, whichever is higher.

EXHIBIT D (Customer Notice)

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The customer notice attached hereto will be included as a bill message on customer bills mailing August 1, 2012. In addition, on June 22, 2012, the notice was forwarded to the Commission-provided electronic mailbox (Telecomm-Rule07@puc.state.oh.us) in accordance with Ohio Adm. Code 4901:1-6-07. The attached affidavit will be executed and filed in this docket after the customer notices mail.

Customer Notice

Effective September 1, 2012, Wabash Mutual Telephone Company will change the amount it charges for late payments from 5% to either 5% or \$2.50, whichever is higher.

If you have any questions, please call us at (419) 942-1111, or visit us at

www.wabash.com.

CUSTOMER NOTICE AFFIDAVIT

AFFIDAVIT

I, Julie Marchal, am an authorized agent of the applicant corporation, Wabash Mutual

Telephone Company, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.

I attest that the customer notice accompanying this affidavit was sent to affected customers as a bill message on August 1, 2012, in accordance with Rule 4901:1-6-07, Ohio Administrative Code. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on (Date)_____ at (Location) Celina, Ohio

Signature _____

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Summary: Application to Modify Terms of Late Payment Policy electronically filed by Carolyn S Flahive on behalf of The Wabash Mutual Telephone Company