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.

In the Matter of the Application of Cincinnati Bell)	TRF Docket No. 90- <u>5013</u>	
Telephone Company LLC to Revise its Lifeline Recovery)	Case No. <u>11</u> - <u>1339</u> -	TP - ATA
Surcharge)	NOTE: Unless you have reserved a C	
)	BLANK.	
Name of Registrant(s) Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company	y LLC		
DBA(s) of Registrant(s)			
Address of Registrant(s) 221 East Fourth Street, Cincinnat	i, OH 4520	2	
Company Web Address <u>cincinnatibell.com</u>			
Regulatory Contact Person(s) Robert Wilhelm		Phone <u>513-397-6858</u>	Fax <u>513-421-1367</u>
Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address <u>bob.wilhelm@</u>	@cinbell.com	<u>n</u>	
Contact Person for Annual Report Robert Wilhelm			Phone <u>513-397-6858</u>
Address (if different from above)			
Consumer Contact Information Kathy Campbell			Phone <u>513-397-1296</u>
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.]
Notes:			
Section Land II are Pursuant to Chapter 4001:1 6 OAC			

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 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) 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.

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

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Exhibit	Description:
A	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).

$Section \ I-Part \ I-Common \ Filings$

Carrier Type Other (explain below	·)	For Pro	fit ILEC	Not For I	Profit ILEC	CI	LEC	
Change terms & condition existing BLES	·	ATA <u>1-</u> (Auto 30 da		ATA <u>1-6</u> (Auto 30 day			ΓΑ <u>1-6-14(H)</u> 30 days)	
Introduce non-recurring ch surcharge, or fee to BLES	narge,						ΓΑ <u>1-6-14(H)</u> 30 days)	
Introduce or Increase Late	Payment	ATA <u>1</u> (Auto 30 da	ys)	ATA <u>1-0</u> (Auto 30 day			ΓΑ <u>1-6-14(I)</u> 30 days)	
Revisions to BLES Cap.		O day Notice	ce)					
Introduce BLES or expand service area (calling area)	l local	ZTA <u>1-0</u> (0 day Notice	ce)	TTA <u>1-6</u> (0 day Notice	e)		ΓΑ <u>1-6-14(H)</u> Notice)	
Notice of no obligation to facilities and provide BLE		ZTA <u>1-0</u> (0 day Notice		ZTA <u>1-6</u> (0 day Notice				
Change BLES Rates		TRF <u>1-0</u> (0 day Notic		TRF <u>1-6-</u> (0 day Notice			RF <u>1-6-14(G)</u> Notice)	
To obtain BLES pricing flo	exibility	BLS <u>1-6</u> (C)(1)(c) (Auto 30 da	nys)					
Change in boundary		ACB <u>1-</u> (Auto 14 da						
Expand service operation a	area						RF <u>1-6-08(G)</u> (0 day)	
BLES withdrawal						TTA <u>1-6-25(B)</u> (0 day Notice)		
Other* (explain) Lifeline Surcharge True-Up	Recovery	Y	K					
Section I – Part II – Cu	stomer Not	tification Of	ferings Purs	suant to Chapt	ter <u>4901:1-6-7</u>	OAC		
Type of Notice	Direc	ct Mail	Bill	Insert	Bill Nota	tion	Electronic Mail	
☐ 15-day Notice	[
☐ 30-day Notice								
Date Notice Sent:								
Section I – Part III –IOS Offerings Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-22 OAC								
IOS	Introdu	ice New	Tariff	Change	Price Cha	ange	Withdraw	
□ IOS	Г							

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)

^{*}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)	ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice)
Change in Ownership *	ACO <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ACO <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice)
Merger *	AMT <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days)	AMT <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (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)	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (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 the 4901:1-6-29 Filing Requirements on the Commission's Web Page 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)	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	\square UNC 1-7-23(B)	
Attachment, Conduit Occupancy and Rights-	(Non-Auto)	
of-Way.		
	RCC	□NAG
Wireless Providers See 4901:1-6-24	[Registration &	[Interconnection
	Change in Operations]	Agreement or

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, <u>Cincinnati Bell Telephone</u> <u>Company LLC</u> , and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.
(Name) Theodore W. Heckmann
Please Check ALL that apply:
I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules for the state of Ohio. I understand that tariff notification filings on timply 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.
I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
Executed on (Date) July 23, 2012 at (Location) Cincinnati, Ohio
*(Signature and Title) (Date)
/s/ Theodore W. Heckmann Managing Director of Regulatory Affairs and Assistant Corporate Secretary This affidavit is required for every tariff-affecting filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, an authorized agent of the applicant.
<u>VERIFICATION</u>
I <u>. Theodore W. Heckmann</u> verify that I have utilized the Telecommunications Filing Form for most proceedings provided the Commission and that all of the information submitted here, and all additional information submitted in connection with the case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
*(Signature and Title) (Date) 7/23/12
/s/ Theodore W. Heckmann Managing Director of Regulatory Affairs and Assistant Corporate Secretary *Verification is required for every filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent
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

LOCAL SERVICE TARIFF PUCO NO. 1

CINCINNATI BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY LLC

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1. General

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The Company's Lifeline Recovery Surcharge is calculated to recover the difference between the Company's Lifeline prices and the Company's standard retail service prices, minus any portion of the price differences that are recovered through federal or state funding. The Company will update this calculation at least once per year in accordance with 4901:1-6-19 (R) O.A.C.

The Lifeline Recovery Surcharge is imposed on each residence, nonresidence, and payphone access line, other than Lifeline service. For purposes of application of this surcharge, access lines are defined as facilities, which provide access to and from the telecommunications network for toll service and for local calling. Not included in this definition are remote call forwarding and Cincinnati Bell official accounts.

2. Rates and Charges

Monthly Charge

Lifeline Recovery Surcharge, per Line: \$ 0.30

Issued: May 30, 2012 Effective: June 1, 2012

By: Ted Heckmann, Assistant Secretary and Managing Director, Regulatory Affairs

In accordance with Case No. 12-1701-TP-ATA

Exhibit B Revised Tariff Page

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2. Rates and Charges

Monthly Charge

Lifeline Recovery Surcharge, per Line: \$ 0.18 (R)

Issued: July 23, 2012 Effective: August 1, 2012

By: Ted Heckmann, Assistant Secretary and Managing Director, Regulatory Affairs

In accordance with Case No. 11-1339-TP-ATA

Exhibit C Description of Filing

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Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company LLC (CBT) is filing, pursuant to 4901:1-6-19(P)(1), O.A.C. to adjust its Lifeline Recovery Surcharge downward from \$0.30 to \$0.18, effective August 1, 2012. The proposed rate reduction results from the FCC's current efforts to control Lifeline expenses and modernize the program.

CBT is completing implementation of the new federal Lifeline discount of \$9.25 per line effective August 1, 2012. Currently, CBT Lifeline customers receive a \$12.28 discount under the tiered federal Lifeline discount structure. With implementation of the \$9.25 discount, net prices (standard prices less the Lifeline discount) for all CBT Lifeline customers will increase by \$3.03 per month beginning August 1, 2012. (See CBT tariff filing to revise Lifeline terms and conditions in Case No. 12-1954-TP-ATA on June 29, 2012 for additional details regarding the Lifeline discount calculation and resulting Lifeline price change.)

The \$3.03 discount that customers will no longer receive is currently recovered through CBT's Lifeline Recovery Surcharge. Removing this discount will significantly reduce CBT's Lifeline expenses, so CBT is filing to reduce its Lifeline Recovery Surcharge, effective August 1, 2012, to prevent over-recovery of these expenses.

CBT's historic and projected Lifeline service expenses, amounts recovered through the Lifeline Recovery Surcharge, and true-up calculation are detailed in the accompanying worksheets. The calculation of the Lifeline expenses follows the same methodology as CBT's March 17, 2011 initial filing and the April 30, 2012 true-up calculation in this docket. That is, CBT calculated the number of Lifeline subscribers purchasing BLES, bundles, or measured service by exchange and the historic Lifeline discounts applicable to those services. The historic surcharge revenue is calculated from actual billing and adjustments for each month through June 2012. The net result was an under-recovery of \$23,109 through June 2012.

The estimated future expenses to be recovered via the Lifeline Recovery Surcharge are based on the most current month's Lifeline enrollment data and follow the same methodology as CBT's initial filing with two exceptions. First, CBT estimated its month expenses using current data with the Lifeline discounts that will be in effect August 1, 2012. Second, this estimated monthly expense was adjusted to recover CBT's historic under-recovery. CBT assumed four months for

¹ The historic monthly Lifeline discount changed in May 2012 as CBT began the transition to the new \$9.25 federal Lifeline discount. As a result, the state provided discount decreased from \$3.50 to \$3.02 effective May 1, 2012. Elimination of this state provided discount (adjusted for a one cent increase in the federal EUCL) effective August 1, 2012, completes the transition to the revised federal Lifeline discount.

² CBT bills the Lifeline Recovery Surcharge in advance to be consistent with access line billing. Because of the advance billing, May and June 2012 revenue includes bill credits to adjust for the Lifeline Recovery Surcharge rate reduction that was effective May 1, 2012.

this recovery because CBT expects it will need to true-up the Lifeline Recovery Surcharge effective December 1, 2012 as a result of the FCC required audit of all Lifeline subscribers.³

Finally, CBT calculated the ratio of the projected monthly Lifeline expenses to the most recent month's historic Lifeline expenses and applied this ratio to the current surcharge to calculate the revised surcharge.

CBT will notify customers of the reduction in the surcharge on each customer's first bill with the reduced surcharge, as described in Exhibit D.

³ Based on prior audits, CBT expects the audit will result in a significant one-time reduction in the number Lifeline customers such that CBT will adjust the Lifeline recovery surcharge downward to adjust for this Lifeline expense reduction and avoid significant over-recovery of Lifeline expenses.

Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company Lifeline Surcharge True-Up Calculation July 2012

A	Historic Revenue Shortfall - April 2012 True-Up Filing (Surcharge Revenue minus CBT Funded Discounts May 2011 - March 2012 See April 30, 2012 Filing in Case No. 11-1339-TP-ATA)	(\$11,688)
В	Surcharge Revenue April 2012 - June 2012 Note: May and June revenue includes credits resulting from advance billing of the Lifeline surcharge prior to the May 1, 2012 Lifeline surcharge rate decrease.	Redacted
С	CBT Funded Lifeline Discounts April 2011 - June 2012	Redacted
D = B - C + A	Historic Shortfall (Revenue minus Discounts) May 2011 - June 2012 Note: July surcharge revenue will not include credits resulting from advance billing of the surcharge and is assumed to equal the Lifeline expenses. Any July shortfall/surplus will be included in the next true up.	(\$23,019)
E	Months the Revised Lifeline Surcharge will Apply Note: CBT expects to true-up the Lifeline Surcharge effective December 1, 2012 to adjust for the removal of Lifeline benefits from customers who do not recertify eligibility through the annual Lifeline audit. Thus, the revised surcharge would be effective from August 1, 2012 to December 1, 2012.	4
F = D / E	Average Shortfall to Recover per Month	(\$5,755)
G	Estimated CBT Funded BLES Lifeline Discount - Monthly Total Note: June 2102 data repriced with August 2012 Lifeline discounts	Redacted
H = G - F	Total Monthly Lifeline Expenses to Recover via Surcharge (Repriced Monthly Discount and Average Monthly Shortfall)	Redacted
1	Current Monthly Lifeline Expenses (June 2012)	Redacted
J = H / I	Ratio of New Monthly Lifeline Expenses to Historic Monthly Lifeline Expenses	0.60172
К	Current Surcharge	\$0.30
L = J * K	New Surcharge Rate = Current Surcharge Rate * Ratio Note: This calculation assumes the current surcharge does not result in a surplus or shortfall versus current Lifeline expenses and the current surcharge rate would not have resulted in a shortfall in May or June absent the advance billing credits.	\$0.18

Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company Lifeline Surcharge Revenue and Expenses April 2012 - June 2012

	Lifeline Discounts and Lifeline Prices with BLES									
			April 2012		May 2012 - June 2012					
Exchange	BLES Standard Price (A)	Standard Federal Discount (Note 1)	Standard State Discount (Note 2)	State Alt Reg Discount (Note 3)	Lifeline BLES Net Price (E)=(A) -(B)-(C)-(D)	Standard Federal Discount (Note 4)	State Transition Discount (Note 4)	CBT Funded Discount for BLES (H)=(D)+(G)		
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Bethany	\$22.95	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$3.75	\$12.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$6.77		
Bethel	\$21.45	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$1.25	\$13.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$4.27		
Cincinnati	\$24.45	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$6.25	\$11.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$9.27		
	\$25.45	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$6.25	\$12.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$9.27		
Clermont	\$20.70	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$2.50	\$11.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$5.52		
	\$21.70	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$2.50	\$12.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$5.52		
	\$22.70	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$2.50	\$13.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$5.52		
Hamilton	\$24.45	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$6.25	\$11.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$9.27		
	\$25.45	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$6.25	\$12.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$9.27		
Harrison	\$22.95	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$3.75	\$12.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$6.77		
Little Miami	\$22.95	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$3.75	\$12.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$6.77		
Newtonsville	\$22.70	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$2.50	\$13.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$5.52		
Reily	\$21.45	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$1.25	\$13.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$4.27		
Seven Mile	\$21.45	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$1.25	\$13.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$4.27		
Shandon	\$21.45	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$1.25	\$13.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$4.27		
Williamsburg	\$23.95	\$3.50	\$3.50	\$3.75	\$13.20	\$3.98	\$3.02	\$6.77		
Total										

All prices and quantities are end of month.

Enrollment totals do not include Lifeline customers with vacation service.

- Note 1: The Standard Federal Discount is the sum of the federally funded Tier 2 (\$1.75) and Tier 3 (\$1.75) Lifeline support.
- Note 2: The Standard State Discount is the CBT funded \$3.50 discount required to maximize the federal Tier 3 support.
- Note 3: The State Alt Reg Discount is an additional CBT funded discount for BLES Lifeline service resulting from the cap placed on Lifeline rates under PUCO alt reg rules. This discount applies only to BLES.
- Note 4: Effective May 1, 2012, CBT converted to the federal \$9.25 Lifeline discount. The \$9.25 is first applied to waive the EUCL (\$5.27 for May and June, 2012) with the balance, \$3.98, applied to the access line. CBT will complete the transition from the tier pricing structure on August 1, 2012. Until that time, customers will receive a CBT funded discount to maintain the total discount of \$7.00 that customers received under the tier structure.

Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company Lifeline Surcharge Revenue and Expenses April 2012 - June 2012

	BLES Lifeline Enrollment			Bundle and Measured Service Lifeline Enrollment			
Exchange	Apr 2012	May 2012	Jun 2012	Apr 2012	May 2012 (J)	Jun 2012	
Bethany	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Bethel	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Cincinnati	Redacted Redacted	Redacted Redacted	Redacted Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Clermont	Redacted Redacted Redacted	Redacted Redacted Redacted	Redacted Redacted Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Hamilton	Redacted Redacted	Redacted Redacted	Redacted Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Harrison	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Little Miami	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Newtonsville	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Reily	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Seven Mile	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Shandon	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Williamsburg	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Total	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	

Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company Lifeline Surcharge Revenue and Expenses April 2012 - June 2012

	CBT Funded BLES Lifeline Discounts		Mea	CBT Funded Bundle and Measured Service Lifeline Discounts			Total CBT Funded Lifeline Discounts			
Exchange	Apr 2012	May 2012 (K)	Jun 2012	Apr 2012	May 2012	Jun 2012	Apr 2012	May 2012	lun 2012	
Excitatige	(C+D)*(I)	(K) (H)	* (1)	(C)*(J)	(H) ¹	* (.1)		M(1) = (K) + (L)		
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Bethany	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Bethel	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Cincinnati	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
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Clermont	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
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Hamilton	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
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Seven Mile	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Shandon	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Williamsburg	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	
Total	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Red
					Surcharge	Revenue	Redacted	Redacted	Redacted	Red
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					Coin			Redacted		Varia
					Over/Unde	Recovery	\$5,901	(\$9,500)	(\$7,731)	(\$11

Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company Estimated CBT Funded Lifeline Discounts August 2012 Lifeline Pricing

	Estimated CBT Funded Lifeline Discount (See Note)							
Exchange	BLES Lines (June 2012 Data)	State Alt Reg Discount	Total CBT Funded Discount					
Literarige	Dataj	Discount	Discount					
Bethany	Redacted	\$3.75	Redacted					
Bethel	Redacted	\$1.25	Redacted					
Cincinnati	Redacted Redacted	\$6.25 \$6.25	Redacted Redacted					
Clermont	Redacted Redacted Redacted	\$2.50 \$2.50 \$2.50	Redacted Redacted Redacted					
Hamilton	Redacted Redacted	\$6.25 \$6.25	Redacted Redacted					
Harrison	Redacted	\$3.75	Redacted					
Little Miami	Redacted	\$3.75	Redacted					
Newtonsville	Redacted	\$2.50	Redacted					
Reily	Redacted	\$1.25	Redacted					
Seven Mile	Redacted	\$1.25	Redacted					
Shandon	Redacted	\$1.25	Redacted					
Williamsburg	Redacted	\$3.75	Redactred					
Total	Redacted		Redacted					

Notes: Effective August 1, 2012, CBT BLES Lifeline customers receive the \$9.25 federal Lifeline discount plus a CBT funded discount resulting from the PUCO BLES alt reg Lifeline price cap in the previous alt reg rules. This additional discount equals the "State Alt Reg Discount" shown in the variance calculation.

CBT Non-BLES Lifeline customers receive only the \$9.25 federal Lifeline discount beginning August 1, 2012 and will not receive any additional Lifeline discounts that are funded through CBT's Lifeline Recovery Surcharge.

Exhibit D Customer Notice

Customer Notice

Advance customer notice of the rate change is not required because the rate is decreasing. 4901:1-6-07(A), O.A.C. Thus, CBT will notify customers of the decrease in the Lifeline Recovery Surcharge on customers' first bills with the new rate. Because access lines and the associated surcharges, fees, and taxes are billed in advance, all customers will receive a credit for the reduced rate retroactive to the August 1, 2012 effective date. The notice will be provided when the credit is generated and will state that the credit is for the reduction in the Lifeline Recovery Surcharge. The notice will also include the dates for the credit and the amount of the credit.

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