Address

### COMPETITIVE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDERS

For the provision of (check all that apply):

Y INTEREXCHANGE CARRIER

N COMPETITIVE ACCESS

N ALTERNATIVE OPERATOR SERVICE PROVIDER N VOICE OVER INTERNET PROTOCOL (VOIP) Y COMPETITIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS

NOTHER (Describe):

## ANNUAL REPORT

OF

Birch Telecom of the Great Lakes, Inc.

(Exact legal name of respondent)

If name was changed during year, show also the previous name and date of change.

www.birch.com

Website URL

2300 Main Street Ste 340. Kansas City, Jackson MO 64108

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916 200 1040

City

816-300-1049

County

State

Zip Code

Phone: (Area Code) Number

2300 Main St Suite 340 Kansas City, MO 64108-2414

(Address of principal business office at end of year)

# TO THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO



#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2011

Name, title, address, e-mail address and telephone number (including area code) of the person to be contacted concerning this report.

Angela Hoke, Manager - Legal & Regulatory, 2300 Main Street, Ste 340, Kansas City, MO 64108

Email: angela.hoke@birch.com, Phone: 816-300-1049, Fax:816-300-1808

#### **IDENTITY OF RESPONDENT**

1. Identify respondent's form of business organization: sole proprietorship, partnership, corporation, or other (explain).

Corporation

2. If a consolidated, merged, or reorganized company, briefly provide particulars of such transactions, the date of the transactions, and PUCO authority. If a reorganized company, give name of original company.

n/a

3. Identify any other names (other than shown on title page) under which respondent conducted any part of its business during the year.

n/a

- 4. If incorporated specify:
  - a. Date of filing articles of incorporation: September 27, 1999
  - b. State in which incorporated: DE
- 5. Identify PUCO Case Number (and date issued) granting operating authority and identify certificate number(s) issued.

Case No. 00-1042-TP-ACE, issued 12/07/00, cert no 90-9134

6. State whether respondent is operational in Ohio (actually providing service and the date operations began), or available (but not currently providing service).

Respondent is operating in OH

\$687,310

#### Instructions:

Schedule 1 is used for PUCO annual assessment purposes pursuant to Section 4905.10, RC. The reporting company shall maintain supporting and/or subsidiary records to separately record revenues derived from total operations and from its Ohio intrastate operations. Information presented herein is subject to audit by the PUCO.

The jurisdictional separation of revenues reported in this schedule should conform, to the extent applicable, to the procedures and instructions of CFR 47 Parts 32 and 36.

For interexchange carriers, intrastate refers to messages originating and terminating in Ohio.

For cellular, competitive access, and paging providers, intrastate refers to amounts billed to an Ohio account.

#### SCHEDULE: 1

**TOTAL (3) - (4)** 

#### STATEMENT OF INTRASTATE GROSS EARNINGS (REVENUE)

| 1 | Operating and Miscellaneous Revenue - Wholesale Cellular Communications, Radio Common Carrier, Directory Revenue, Rent Revenue, Special Billings (revenue from work performed for others, rent revenue-nonoperating return on regulated investment used to provide nonregulated products and services, etc.)                                   | \$687,310 |
|---|--|-----------|
| 2 | Other Revenue, Dividend and Interest Income, Gains From Disposition of Property Operating and Nonoperating, Other Operating or Nonoperating Gains (foreign currency exchange or transfer, extinguishment of debt, company's share of earnings of affiliated company accounted for on equity method, income from sinking and other funds, etc.) | \$0       |
| 3 | <b>SUBTOTAL</b> (1) + (2)  | \$687,310 |
| 4 | Earnings or receipts from sales to other public utilities for resale   | \$0       |
|   |  |           |

## IN ORDER TO ENSURE THAT PUCO CORRESPONDENCE/INVOICES IS/ARE DIRECTED TO THE APPROPRIATE PERSON AT THE CORRECT ADDRESS, PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING.

#### Name, Title, E-mail, Address, and Phone Number of the Company's Contact Persons

| Angela Hoke | Manager - Legal & Regulatory |  |  |
|-------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| Name        | Title                        |  |  |

angela.hoke@birch.com

E-mail

 $2300\ Main\ Street,\ Ste\ 340\ Kansas\ City,\ MO\ 64108$ 

Address

816-300-1049

Phone Number (Including Area Code)

# Name, Title, E-mail, Address, and Phone Number of Person to whom Invoice should be Directed

Stephen Spohrer Tax Manager
Name Title

sspohrer@birch.com E-mail

2300 Main Street, Ste 340 Kansas City, MO 64108 Address

816-300-3352

Phone Number (Including Area Code)

#### Name and Address of the President

Vincent Oddo, President Name

4885 Riverside Dr Suite 304 Macon, GA 31210 Address

#### VERIFICATION

The foregoing report must be verified by the President or Chief Officer of the company.

OATH

State of MO County of Jackson

Chris Bunce makes oath and says that

s/he is Sr. VP Legal & General Counsel

of Birch Telecom of the Great Lakes, Inc.

that s/he has examined the foregoing report; that to the best of her/his knowledge, information, and belief, all statements of fact contained in the said report are true and the said report is a correct statement of the business and affairs of the above-named respondent in respect to each and every matter set forth therein during the period from and including January 1, 2011 to and including December 31, 2011.

(Signature of affiant.)

Sworn and subscribed before me this  $31^{ot}$  day of 500, 2012 Month/Yea

Signature of notary

My commission expires on \_\_(g-G-1 U

ANGELA A. HOKE
Notary Public-Notary Seal
STATE OF MISSOURI
Platte County
My Commission Expires June 9, 2014

Commission # 10887286

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Summary: Annual Report Annual report for Birch Telecom of the Great Lakes, Inc. electronically filed by Angela Hoke on behalf of Birch Telecom of the Great Lakes, Inc. and Mr. Chris Bunce