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Ms. Betty McCauley, Commission Secretary Ohio Public Utilities Commission 180 Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215

> BCN Telecom. Inc. – Case No. 12-2211-TP-ATA Re:

> > Switched Access Rate Reduction

Dear Ms, McCauley:

Enclosed for filing please find the Telecommunications Application Filing Form with revised switched access tariff pages, submitted on behalf of BCN Telecom, Inc. ("BCN"). With this filing, all of BCN's Ohio intrastate switched access rates are at or below it corresponding interstate access rates.

The following items are included with this filing.

Telecommunications Filing Form

Exhibit A – Superceded Tariff Sheets

Exhibit B – Proposed Access Tariff Revisions

Exhibit C – Description and Type of Customers Affected

Exhibit D – Customer Notice – not applicable

Also enclosed is a duplicate copy of this filing. Please date-stamp the duplicate and return same in the enclosed stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Should you have any questions concerning this filing, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

CROCKER & CROCKER

/s/ Patrick D. Crocker

Patrick D. Crocker

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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 BCN Telecom, Inc.	TRF Docket No. 90- <u>9282</u>	
to Revise its Access Services Tariff PUCO Tariff No. 3	Case No. 12 - 2211 - TP NOTE: Unless you have reserved a C BLANK.	
Name of Registrant(s) BCN Telecom, Inc.		
DBA(s) of Registrant(s) <u>Not applicable</u>		
Address of Registrant(s) 550 Route 202/206, Bedminster, NY 07921		
Company Web Address <u>www.bcntele.com</u>		
Regulatory Contact Person(s) Kathleen Gorey	Phone (908) 470-4700	Fax (908) 470-4707
Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address <u>kgorey@bcntele.com</u>		
Contact Person for Annual Report Kathleen Gorey		Phone (908) 470-4700
Address (if different from above)		
Consumer Contact Information Kelly McKinlay		Phone (800) 768-2852
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 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.

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.
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).

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

Carrier Type Other (explain below)	For Prof	fit ILEC	Not For I	Profit ILEC	☐ CI	LEC
Change terms & conditions existing BLES		ATA <u>1-0</u> (Auto 30 day		ATA <u>1-6</u> (Auto 30 day)			TA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> 30 days)
Introduce non-recurring ch surcharge, or fee to BLES	arge,					(Auto 3	TA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> 30 days)
Introduce or Increase Late	Payment	ATA <u>1-</u> (Auto 30 day	ys)	ATA <u>1-6</u> (Auto 30 day)			TA <u>1-6-14(I)</u> 30 days)
Revisions to BLES Cap.		(0 day Notic	e)				
Introduce BLES or expand service area (calling area)	local	ZTA <u>1-6</u> (0 day Notic		TTA <u>1-6-</u> (0 day Notice			'A <u>1-6-14(H)</u> Notice)
Notice of no obligation to of facilities and provide BLES		ZTA <u>1-6</u> (0 day Notic		TTA <u>1-6-</u> (0 day Notice			
Change BLES Rates		TRF <u>1-6</u> (0 day Notic	e)	TRF <u>1-6-</u> (0 day Notice			RF <u>1-6-14(G)</u> Notice)
To obtain BLES pricing fle	exibility	BLS <u>1-6-6</u> (C)(1)(c) (Auto 30 da	ıys)				
Change in boundary		ACB <u>1-0</u> (Auto 14 day		ACB <u>1-6</u> (Auto 14 days			
Expand service operation a	rea						AF <u>1-6-08(G)</u> (0 day)
BLES withdrawal						TTA <u>1-6-25(B)</u> (0 day Notice)	
Other* (explain)							
Section I – Part II – Cus							,
Type of Notice	Direc	t 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 <u>4901:1-6-22 OAC</u>							
IOS	Introdu	ice New	Tariff	Change	Price Cha	ange	Withdraw
☐ IOS							

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

	ILEC	CLEC	Telecommunications	CESTC	CETC
Certification	(Out of Territory)		Service Provider		
			Not Offering Local		
* 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	Telecommunications Service Provider Not Offering Local
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)	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)	X 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	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

	
	, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.
_Patrick D. Crocker, Attorney (Name)	
Please Check ALL that apply:	
☑ I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules for the state of Ohio imply Commission approval and that the Commission's rules as modified contradictory provisions in our tariff. We will fully comply with the rules of the can result in various penalties, including the suspension of our certificate to oper	and clarified from time to time, supersede any ne state of Ohio and understand that noncompliance
☐ I attest that customer notices accompanying this filing form were sent to affect accordance with Rule 4901:1-6-7, Ohio Administrative Code.	cted customers, as specified in Section II, in
I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.	
Executed on (Date) August 1, 2012 at (Location) Kalamazoo, MI 49007	
*(Signature and Title)	/s/ Patrick D. Crocker (Date) 8/1/2012
• This affidavit is required for every tariff-affecting filing. It may be sign authorized agent of the applicant.	ned by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an
<u>VERIFICATION</u>	
I <u>, Patrick D. Crocker</u> , Attorney verify that I have utilized the Teleprovided by the Commission and that all of the information submitted here, and with this case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.	
*(Signature and Title) /s/ Patrick D. Crocker. Attorney to BCN Telecom, I *Verification is required for every filing. It may be signed by counsel or an off applicant.	icer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the

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

Superceded Tariff Sheets

CHECK SHEET

The sheets are effective as of the date shown. Revised pages as named below contain all changes from the original tariff that are in effect on the date thereof.

SHEET	<u>REVISION</u>	SHEET	<u>REVISION</u>	SHEET	REVISION
<u>Preface</u>	. et .	Section 3		34	ORIGINAL
1	1 st *	1	ORIGINAL	35	ORIGINAL
2	ORIGINAL	2	ORIGINAL	36	ORIGINAL
3	ORIGINAL	3	ORIGINAL	37	ORIGINAL
4	ORIGINAL	4	ORIGINAL	38	ORIGINAL
Section 1		5	ORIGINAL	Section 4	
1	ORIGINAL	6	ORIGINAL	1	1 st *
2	ORIGINAL	7	ORIGINAL	2	1 st *
Section 2		8	ORIGINAL	3	1 st *
1	ORIGINAL	9	ORIGINAL	4	ORIGINAL
2	ORIGINAL	10	ORIGINAL	5	ORIGINAL
3	ORIGINAL	11	ORIGINAL	6	1 st *
4	ORIGINAL	12	ORIGINAL	7	ORIGINAL
5	ORIGINAL	13	ORIGINAL	8	ORIGINAL
6	ORIGINAL	14	ORIGINAL	9	ORIGINAL
7	ORIGINAL	15	ORIGINAL	10	1 st *
8	ORIGINAL	16	ORIGINAL	11	1 st *
9	ORIGINAL	17	ORIGINAL		
10	ORIGINAL	18	ORIGINAL		
11	ORIGINAL	19	ORIGINAL		
12	ORIGINAL	20	ORIGINAL		
13	ORIGINAL	21	ORIGINAL		
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15	ORIGINAL	23	ORIGINAL		
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21	ORIGINAL	29	ORIGINAL		
22	ORIGINAL	30	ORIGINAL		
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24	ORIGINAL	32	ORIGINAL		
25	ORIGINAL	33	ORIGINAL		
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As approved in Case No. 09-729-TP-ATA Effective Date: September 18, 2009

RATES

4.1.3 <u>Local Transport (cont'd)</u>

			Per Ac	ccess Minute	
D)	Access	Tandem Switching	\$0.001	1118	(I)
E)	Interco	nnection Charge	\$0.000	0000	
F)	Networ	k Blocking Charge -Per Blocked/1	\$0.001088		
G)	Comme	on Channel Signaling Access			
			Monthly	Nonrecurring	
	1)	STP Port Termination Per Port	N/A	N/A	
	2)	STP Link Transport	N/A	N/A	
H)	Non Cl	nargeable Optional Features			
				Non recurring	
	1) 2)	SS7 Signaling Option Conversi -Per Trunk Converted Change in Point Code	on	N/A	
	<i>2)</i>	-Per Trunk		N/A	

1/ Applies to FGD only

EXHIBIT B

Proposed Access Tariff Revision

CHECK SHEET

The sheets are effective as of the date shown. Revised pages as named below contain all changes from the original tariff that are in effect on the date thereof.

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Section 2		8	ORIGINAL	3	2 nd *
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23	ORIGINAL	31	ORIGINAL		
24	ORIGINAL	32	ORIGINAL		
25	ORIGINAL	33	ORIGINAL		

As approved in Case No. 12-xxx-TP-ATA Effective Date: September 1, 2012

BCN Telecom, Inc. Ohio Tariff No. 3 Issued Date: August 1, 2012 Section $4 - 2^{nd}$ Revised Page No. 3 Replacing 1^{st} Revised Page No. 3

RATES

4.1 <u>Access Rates</u>

4.1.3 <u>Local Transport (cont'd)</u>

			Per A	Access Minute	
D)	Access	Tandem Switching	\$0.00	\$0.001084	
E)	Interco	onnection Charge	\$0.00	00000	
F)	Netwo	rk Blocking Charge -Per Blocked/1	\$0.001088		
G)	Comm	on Channel Signaling Access			
			Monthly	Nonrecurring	
	1)	STP Port Termination Per Port	N/A	N/A	
	2)	STP Link Transport	N/A	N/A	
H)	Non C	hargeable Optional Features			
				Non recurring	
	1)	SS7 Signaling Option Conversi -Per Trunk Converted	on	N/A	
	2)	Change in Point Code -Per Trunk		N/A	

1/ Applies to FGD only

EXHIBIT C

Description and Type of Customers Affected

This filing is submitted to reduce access tandem switching rates to interstate levels.

EXHIBIT D

Customer Notice

Not applicable to Carrier to Carrier Services

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Case No(s). 12-2211-TP-ATA, 90-9282-TP-TRF

Summary: Application of BCN Telecom, Inc.to revise its access services tariff PUCO Tariff No. 3 electronically filed by Mr. Patrick D. Crocker on behalf of BCN TELECOM INC PRES NATIONWIDE REG COMPLIANCE LLC