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April 8, 2013

Ms. Barcy McNeal  
Chief of Docketing  
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
180 East Broad Street  
Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Attention: Docketing Division

Re: In the Matter of the Application of The Chillicothe Telephone Company to Revise its Intrastate Access Service Tariff P.U.C.O. No. 5 to revise its intrastate terminating rates to mirror the carrier's interstate access rates effective July 1, 2013. This material is being filed per Case No. 13-0750-TP-ATA and 90-5012-TP-TRF.

Dear Ms. McNeal:

The accompanying tariff materials issued by The Chillicothe Telephone Company (Chillicothe), and bearing P.U.C.O No. 5, effective July 1, 2013, are being sent in compliance with the Commission Rules. Please find enclosed the original transmittal letter, the Commission's Telecommunications Filing Form, the current and proposed check sheet and tariff pages, and the description and justification.

The purpose of the filed tariff materials is to comply with Case No. 10-2387-TP-COI "In the Matter of the Commission's Investigation into Intrastate Carrier Access Reform Pursuant to Sub S.B. 162" and revise its intrastate terminating carrier common line rate to mirror its interstate access rate, which is zero. The other intrastate terminating switched end office and transport rates, dedicated transport rates and reciprocal compensation rates already mirror or are less than the equivalent interstate rates.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please contact me at 941.244.0982.

Respectfully Submitted,



Kym Rupeiks  
The Pinnacle Group Inc

**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 The Chillicothe )  
Telephone Company to Revise its Intrastate Access Tariff to )  
set terminating CCL rate to mirror the interstate rate. )

TRF Docket No. 90-5012 – TP - TRF

Case No. 13 - 0750 - **TP** - ATA

NOTE: Unless you have reserved a Case #, leave the “Case No” fields  
BLANK.

Name of Registrant(s) The Chillicothe Telephone Company  
DBA(s) of Registrant(s) The Chillicothe Telephone Company  
Address of Registrant(s) PO Box 480, Chillicothe Ohio 45601  
Company Web Address www.horizontel.com

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Address (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_

Consumer Contact Information Jeff Blevins Phone 740.772.8327

Address (if different from above) \_\_\_\_\_

Motion for protective order included with filing? ☐ Yes x No

Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? ☐ Yes x 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](http://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)
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).

## Section I – Part I - Common Filings

<b>Carrier Type</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other</b> (explain below)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>For Profit ILEC</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Not For Profit ILEC</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>CLEC</b>
Change terms & conditions of existing BLES	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(H)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(H)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(H)</a> (Auto 30 days)
Introduce non-recurring charge, surcharge, or fee to BLES			<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(H)</a> (Auto 30 days)
Introduce or Increase Late Payment	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)
Revisions to BLES Cap.	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(F)</a> (0 day Notice)		
Introduce BLES or expand local service area (calling area)	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(H)</a> (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(H)</a> (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(H)</a> (0 day Notice)
Notice of no obligation to construct facilities and provide BLES	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-27(C)</a> (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-27(C)</a> (0 day Notice)	
Change BLES Rates	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-14(F)</a> (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-14(F)(4)</a> (0 day Notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-14(G)</a> (0 day Notice)
To obtain BLES pricing flexibility	<input type="checkbox"/> BLS <a href="#">1-6-14(C)(1)(c)</a> (Auto 30 days)		
Change in boundary	<input type="checkbox"/> ACB <a href="#">1-6-32</a> (Auto 14 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACB <a href="#">1-6-32</a> (Auto 14 days)	
Expand service operation area			<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-08(G)</a> (0 day)
BLES withdrawal			<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-25(B)</a> (0 day Notice)
<b>Other*</b> (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
<input type="checkbox"/> 15-day Notice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> 30-day Notice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Date Notice Sent:</b>				

## Section I – Part III –IOS Offerings Pursuant to Chapter [4901:1-6-22 OAC](#)

IOS	Introduce New	Tariff Change	Price Change	Withdraw
<input type="checkbox"/> IOS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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

Certification	ILEC (Out of Territory)	CLEC	Telecommunications Service Provider Not Offering Local	CESTC	CETC
* See Supplemental form	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE <a href="#">1-6-08</a> * (Auto 30- day)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE <a href="#">1-6-08</a> * (Auto 30 day)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE <a href="#">1-6-08</a> * (Auto 30 day)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE <a href="#">1-6-10</a> (Auto 30 day)	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC <a href="#">1-6-09</a> * (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		<input type="checkbox"/> ABN <a href="#">1-6-26</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ABN <a href="#">1-6-26</a> (Auto 30 days)
Change of Official Name *	<input type="checkbox"/> ACN <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACN <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0 day Notice)
Change in Ownership *	<input type="checkbox"/> ACO <a href="#">1-6-29(E)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACO <a href="#">1-6-29(E)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0 day Notice)
Merger *	<input type="checkbox"/> AMT <a href="#">1-6-29(E)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> AMT <a href="#">1-6-29(E)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0 day Notice)
Transfer a Certificate *	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0 day Notice)
Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business *	<input type="checkbox"/> ATR <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATR <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (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 an approved agreement	<input type="checkbox"/> NAG <a href="#">1-7-07</a> (Auto 90 day)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>FORMCHECKBOX</b> <del>(Auto 90 day)</del> <a href="#">1-7-07</a>
Request for Arbitration	<input type="checkbox"/> ARB <a href="#">1-7-09</a> (Non-Auto)	<input type="checkbox"/> ARB <a href="#">1-7-09</a> (Non-Auto)
Introduce or change c-t-c service tariffs,	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-7-14</a> (Auto 30 day)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-7-14</a> (Auto 30 day)
Request rural carrier exemption, rural carrier suspension or modification	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC <a href="#">1-7-04</a> or 05 (Non-Auto)	
Changes in rates, terms & conditions to Pole Attachment, Conduit Occupancy and Rights- of-Way.	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC <a href="#">1-7-23(B)</a> (Non-Auto)	
<b>Wireless Providers</b> See <a href="#">4901:1-6-24</a>	<input type="checkbox"/> RCC [Registration & Change in Operations]	<input type="checkbox"/> NAG [Interconnection Agreement or

Section IV. – 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,

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

Mr. Pete Holland  
(Name)

Please Check ALL that apply:

X 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.

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

Executed on (Date): 4.01.2013 at (Location) Chillicothe, Ohio

\*(Signature) 

(Date) 4-1-13

**Title: Chief Financial Officer**

- 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, Mr. Pete Holland 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) 

(Date) 4-1-13

\*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 SHEETS



TARIFF P.U.C.O. NO. 5  
ACCESS SERVICE TARIFF

This tariff contains the following listed pages, each of which is effective on the date shown thereon.

<i><b>SECTION</b></i>	<i><b>REVISED</b></i>	<i><b>SHEET</b></i>
<b>Checklist</b>	8th*	1
<b>Preface</b>	5th	1
<b>Preface</b>	1st	2
1	4th	1
1	Original*	1.1
1	Original*	1.2
1	Original*	1.3
1	Original*	1.4
1	Original*	1.5
1	Original*	1.6
1	5th*	2
1	3rd*	3
1	1st*	3.1
2	2nd	1
2	Original	2
2	Original	3
2	Original	4
2	Original	5
2	Original	6
2	Original	7
2	Original	8
2	Original	9
2	Original	10
2	Original	11
2	Original	12
2	Original	13
2	1st	14

\* New or Revised Page

Case No. 12-1865-TP-ATA

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Issued by:

The Chillicothe Telephone Company  
P.O. Box 480  
Chillicothe, Ohio 45601-0480

INTRASTATE CARRIER COMMON LINE ACCESS SERVICE  
REFERENCE TARIFF

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## Section 2. Intrastate Carrier Common Line Access Service Reference Tariff (Cont'd)

(8) Rates

Intrastate carrier common line access service charges shall be as follows:

		<u>Monthly</u> <u>Rate</u>	
(A)	Premium Access, per minute		
	Terminating	\$.0214	(R)
	Originating	\$.0150	

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The Chillicothe Telephone Company  
P.O. Box 480  
Chillicothe, Ohio 45601-0480



## EXHIBIT B

### PROPOSED TARIFF SHEETS

TARIFF P.U.C.O. NO. 5  
ACCESS SERVICE TARIFF

This tariff contains the following listed pages, each of which is effective on the date shown thereon.

<i><b>SECTION</b></i>	<i><b>REVISED</b></i>	<i><b>SHEET</b></i>
<b>Checklist</b>	9th*	1
<b>Preface</b>	5th	1
<b>Preface</b>	1st	2
1	4th	1
1	Original	1.1
1	Original	1.2
1	Original	1.3
1	Original	1.4
1	Original	1.5
1	Original	1.6
1	5th	2
1	3rd	3
1	1st	3.1
2	2nd	1
2	Original	2
2	Original	3
2	Original	4
2	Original	5
2	Original	6
2	Original	7
2	Original	8
2	Original	9
2	Original	10
2	Original	11
2	Original	12
2	Original	13
2	2nd*	14

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Case No. 13-0750-TP-ATA

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The Chillicothe Telephone Company  
P.O. Box 480  
Chillicothe, Ohio 45601-0480

INTRASTATE CARRIER COMMON LINE ACCESS SERVICE  
REFERENCE TARIFF

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## Section 2. Intrastate Carrier Common Line Access Service Reference Tariff (Cont'd)

(8) Rates

Intrastate carrier common line access service charges shall be as follows:

		<u>Monthly</u> <u>Rate</u>	
(A)	Premium Access, per minute		
	Terminating	\$ .0000	(R)
	Originating	\$ .0150	

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Issued by:

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## EXHIBIT C

### DESCRIPTION OF FILING

The Applicant proposes to modify its Intrastate Access Service Tariff to comply with provisions in accordance with the Federal Communications Commission's Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, WC Docket Nos. 07-135, et al., FCC No. 11-161 (Released Nov. 18, 2011) "In the Matter of Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers", and to comply with Case No. 10-2387-TP-COI "In the Matter of the Commission's Investigation into Intrastate Carrier Access Reform Pursuant to Sub S.B. 162."

In the second phase of the intercarrier compensation restructuring, the FCC directed that rate-of-return carriers with intrastate terminating switched end office and transport rates, dedicated transport rates, and reciprocal compensation rates that differ from the carrier's interstate access rates, to revise the respective intrastate rates to mirror the carrier's interstate access rates by July 1, 2013. Chillicothe is hereby reducing its intrastate terminating carrier common line rate to zero.

**This foregoing document was electronically filed with the Public Utilities**

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**Case No(s). 10-2387-TP-COI**

Summary: Tariff The purpose of the filed tariff materials is to comply with Case No. 10-2387-TP-COI "In the Matter of the Commission's Investigation into Intrastate Carrier Access Reform Pursuant to Sub S.B. 162" and revise its intrastate terminating rate(s) to mirror its interstate access rate(s). electronically filed by Ms. Kym D Rupeiks on behalf of The Chillicothe Telephone Company