## The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio TELECOMMUNICATIONS FILING FORM

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In the Matter of the Application of Conneaut Telephone Company to Revise its Intrastate Access Tariff to Set Terminating CCL Rate to Mirror the Interstate Rate TRF Docket No. 90-<u>5015</u>- TP - TRF

Case No. 13 - 0935 - **TP** - **ATA** 

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

| Name of Registrant(s) Conneaut Telephone Company                             |                           |                           |
|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| DBA(s) of Registrant(s)  |                           |                           |
| Address of Registrant(s) 224 State Street, P.O. Box 579, Conneaut, Ohio 4403 | 0                         |                           |
| Company Web Address  |                           |                           |
| Regulatory Contact Person(s) Norman J. Kennard, Esquire                      | Phone 717-255-7627        | Fax 717-236-8278          |
| Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address <u>nkennard@thomaslonglaw.com</u>  |                           |                           |
| Contact Person for Annual Report Karen Picard, Chief Financial Officer       |                           | Phone <u>440-593-7127</u> |
| Address (if different from above)  |                           |                           |
| Consumer Contact Information Karen Picard, Chief Financial Officer           |                           | Phone <u>440-593-7127</u> |
| Address (if different from above)  |                           |                           |
| Motion for protective order included with filing?  Yes X No                  |                           |                           |
| Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? 	Yes 	No [Note: Waive        | rs may toll any automatic | timeframe.]               |

#### Notes:

Section I and II are Pursuant to Chapter  $\underline{4901:1-6 \text{ OAC}}$ Section III – Carrier to Carrier is Pursuant to  $\underline{4901:1-7}$  OAC, and Wireless is Pursuant to  $\underline{4901:1-6-24}$  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.

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

| Exhibit | Description:  |  |  |
|---------|---|--|--|
| А       | 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                         | For Profit ILEC        | <b>Not For Profit ILEC</b> |  |
|--------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|--|
| <b>Other</b> (explain below)         |                        |                            |  |
| Change terms & conditions of         | ☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(H)</u> | ☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(H)</u>     | ☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(H)</u>                       |
| existing BLES                        | (Auto 30 days)         | (Auto 30 days)             | (Auto 30 days)                               |
| Introduce non-recurring charge,      |                        |                            | ☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(H)</u>                       |
| surcharge, or fee to BLES            |                        |                            | (Auto 30 days)                               |
| Introduce or Increase Late Payment   | ATA <u>1-6-14(I)</u>   | □ ATA <u>1-6-14(1)</u>     | □ ATA <u>1-6-14(1)</u>                       |
| Introduce of increase Late Payment   | (Auto 30 days)         | (Auto 30 days)             | (Auto 30 days)                               |
| Revisions to BLES Cap.               | ZTA <u>1-6-14(F)</u>   |                            |  |
|                                      | (0 day Notice)         |                            |  |
| Introduce BLES or expand local       | ZTA <u>1-6-14(H)</u>   | ZTA <u>1-6-14(H)</u>       | ZTA <u>1-6-14(H)</u>                         |
| service area (calling area)          | (0 day Notice)         | (0 day Notice)             | (0 day Notice)                               |
| Notice of no obligation to construct | ZTA <u>1-6-27(C)</u>   | ZTA <u>1-6-27(C)</u>       |  |
| facilities and provide BLES          | (0 day Notice)         | (0 day Notice)             |  |
| Change DLES Dates                    | TRF <u>1-6-14(F)</u>   | TRF <u>1-6-14(F)(4)</u>    | TRF <u>1-6-14(G)</u>                         |
| Change BLES Rates                    | (0 day Notice)         | (0 day Notice)             | (0 day Notice)                               |
|                                      | BLS <u>1-6-14</u>      |                            |  |
| To obtain BLES pricing flexibility   | <u>(C)(1)(c)</u>       |                            |  |
|                                      | (Auto 30 days)         |                            |  |
| Change in boundary                   | □ ACB <u>1-6-32</u>    | ☐ ACB <u>1-6-32</u>        |  |
|                                      | (Auto 14 days)         | (Auto 14 days)             |  |
| Expand service operation area        |                        |                            | $\Box \text{ TRF } 1-6-08(G)(0 \text{ day})$ |
| BLES withdrawal                      |                        |                            | $\Box ZTA \underline{1-6-25(B)}$             |
|                                      |                        |                            | (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 | <b>Bill Notation</b> | <b>Electronic Mail</b> |  |  |
|--------------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------|------------------------|--|--|
| 15-day Notice                  |             |             |                      |                        |  |  |
| ☐ 30-day Notice                |             |             |                      |                        |  |  |
| Date Notice Sent: July 1, 2012 |             |             |                      |                        |  |  |

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

| IOS | Introduce New | Tariff Change | Price Change | Withdraw |
|-----|---------------|---------------|--------------|----------|
|     |               |               |              |          |

| Certification      | 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)        |

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

\*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<br>Offering BLES         |
|--|--|--|--|
| Abandon all Services   |  | ABN <u>1-6-26</u><br>(Auto 30 days)                      | ABN <u>1-6-26</u><br>(Auto 30 days)    |
| Change of Official Name *  | ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u><br>(Auto 30 days)                   | $\square ACN 1-6-29(B)$ (Auto 30 days)                   | CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u><br>(0 day Notice) |
| Change in Ownership *  | $\Box \text{ ACO } \underline{1-6-29(E)}$ (Auto 30 days) | $\Box \text{ ACO } \underline{1-6-29(E)}$ (Auto 30 days) | CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u><br>(0 day Notice) |
| Merger *   | AMT <u>1-6-29(E)</u><br>(Auto 30 days)                   | $\square AMT 1-6-29(E)$ (Auto 30 days)                   | CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u><br>(0 day Notice) |
| Transfer a Certificate *   | ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u><br>(Auto 30 days)                   | ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u><br>(Auto 30 days)                   | CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u><br>(0 day Notice) |
| Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business * | ATR <u>1-6-29(B)</u><br>(Auto 30 days)                   | ATR <u>1-6-29(B)</u><br>(Auto 30 days)                   | CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u><br>(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>       | ARB <u>1-7-09</u>   |
|  | (Non-Auto)              | (Non-Auto)          |
| Introduce or change c-t-c service tariffs,     | 🛛 ATA <u>1-7-14</u>     | ATA <u>1-7-14</u>   |
| Introduce of change e-t-e service tarms,       | (Auto 30 day)           | (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, Conneaut Telephone Company, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.

Ken Johnson (Name)

Please Check ALL that apply:

 $\Box$  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

at (Location) Conneaut, Ohio

\*(Signature and Title) /s/ Ken Johnson, General Manager (Date) May 1, 2013

• 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. Norman J. Kennard 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)<u>/s/ Norman J. Kennard</u> (Date) <u>May 1, 2013</u> \*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-WV

# **EXHIBIT A**

# **CURRENT TARIFF SHEET**

### P.U.C.O. No. 1

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE TARIFF REGULATIONS, RATES AND CHARGES

| 1. | Carrier Common Line Charge                              | Rate      |     |
|----|---|-----------|-----|
|    | Premium Access, per minute                              |           |     |
|    | Terminating   | \$.021657 |     |
|    | Originating   | \$.0150   |     |
| 2. | Transport Interconnection Charge (TIC)                  |           |     |
|    | Terminating   | \$.007527 |     |
|    | Originating   | \$.015055 |     |
| 3. | Local Transport   |           |     |
|    | Tandem Switched Transport                               |           |     |
|    | 1) Tandem Switched Facility, per access minute per mile | \$.000090 |     |
|    | 2) Tandem Switched Termination, per access minute per   |           |     |
|    | termination   | \$.000443 |     |
| 4. | End Office  |           |     |
|    | a) Local Switching                                      |           |     |
|    | Terminating   | \$.027192 |     |
|    | Originating   | \$.040400 | (T) |
|    | b) Information Surcharge, per minute                    | \$.000198 |     |

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# EXHIBIT B

# **PROPOSED TARIFF SHEET**

#### P.U.C.O. No. 1

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE TARIFF REGULATIONS, RATES AND CHARGES

| 1. | Carrier Common Line Charge                              | Rate              |                              |
|----|---|-------------------|------------------------------|
|    | Premium Access, per minute                              |                   |                              |
|    | Terminating   | \$ *              | (C)                          |
|    | Originating   | \$.0150           |                              |
|    |   |                   |                              |
| 2. | Transport Interconnection Charge (TIC)                  |                   |                              |
|    | Terminating   | \$ *              | (C)                          |
|    | Originating   | \$.015055         |                              |
| 3. | Local Transmort   |                   |                              |
| э. | Local Transport   |                   |                              |
|    | Tandem Switched Transport                               |                   |                              |
|    | 1) Tandem Switched Facility, per access minute per mile | \$ *              | $\langle \mathbf{C} \rangle$ |
|    | Terminating<br>Originating                              | \$ *<br>\$.000090 | (C)                          |
|    | 2) Tandem Switched Termination, per access minute per   | \$.000070         |                              |
|    | termination   |                   |                              |
|    | Terminating   | \$ *              | (C)                          |
|    | Originating   | \$.000443         |                              |
| 4. | End Office  |                   |                              |
|    | a) Local Switching                                      |                   |                              |
|    | Terminating   | \$ *              | (C)                          |
|    | Originating   | \$.040400         |                              |
|    |   |                   |                              |
|    | b) Information Surcharge, per minute                    |                   |                              |
|    | Terminating   | \$ *              | (C)                          |
|    | Originating   | \$.000198         |                              |
|    |   |                   |                              |

\* The rates, charges and conditions for the provision of intrastate terminating Carrier Access Service are as specified in the NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 as it now exists, and as it may be revised, added to or supplemented.

# EXHIBIT C DESCRIPTION OF FILING

The Applicant proposes to modify its Intrastate Access Service Tariff to comply with the Federal Communications Commission's ("FCC") Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, WC Docket Nos. 07-135, et al., FCC No. 11-161 (Released November 18, 2011) "In the Matter of Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers," and to comply with the Commission Entry of March 20, 2013 in Case No. 10-2387-TP-COI.

In the second phase of the intercarrier compensation restructuring, the FCC directed that carriers with intrastate terminating switched access rates that differ from the carrier's interstate access rates, to revise the respective intrastate tariffs to mirror the carrier's interstate access rates by July 2, 2013. This filing accomplishes that required result pursuant to this Commission's Entry.

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## Case No(s). 13-0935-TP-ATA, 90-5015-TP-TRF, 10-2387-TP-COI

Summary: Application of Conneaut Telephone Company to Revise its Intrastate Access Tariff to Set Terminating CCL Rate to Mirror the Interstate Rate electronically filed by Ms. Teresa L Thomas on behalf of Conneaut Telephone Company