

BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Thomas Faul,	)	
	)	
Complainant,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. 13-2335-TP-CSS
	)	
Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company,	)	
	)	
Respondent.	)	

ENTRY

The Commission finds:

- (1) On December 2, 2013, the complainant, Thomas Faul, filed a complaint against the respondent, Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company (Cincinnati Bell), alleging that when the complainant discontinued service in 2003, at a time before he became a lifeline service subscriber in 2008, the respondent kept his deposit of \$80.00.
- (2) On December 20, 2013, Cincinnati Bell filed an answer in this matter. In its answer, Cincinnati Bell states that the complaint has been satisfied. Consequently, Cincinnati Bell requests that the complaint be dismissed as a settled case under Ohio Adm.Code 4901-9-01(F).
- (3) Ohio Adm.Code 4901-9-01(F) provides that, if the public utility complained against files an answer or motion which asserts that the complaint has been satisfied and no response is filed within 20 days, the Commission may presume that satisfaction has occurred and dismiss the complaint. The complainant has filed no response to Cincinnati Bell's assertion, in its answer, that this case has been satisfied. Moreover, the 20-day deadline for filing such a response has now expired. Accordingly, this case should be dismissed.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That this case be dismissed. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this Entry be served on each party of record.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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