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#### Via electronic filing

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Docketing Division 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215-3793 (614) 466-4095

#### RE: <u>Case No.14-1854-TP-ACE</u> <u>Application of Vision Concept Technology, LLC dba Vision CTS, LLC as a Non-BLES Competitive Local Exchange Carrier</u>

Dear Commission:

With this filing we submit an application for Authority to operate as a Non-BLES Competitive

Local Exchange Carrier on behalf of Vision Concept Technology, LLC dba Vision CTS, LLC's.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me at (405) 755-8177

extension 103, or by email at <u>mdean@telecompliance.net</u>.

Respectfully,

/s/ Matt W. Dean

Matt W. Dean Regulatory Agent

Enclosures

#### 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.

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In the Matter of the Application of <u>Vision Concept Technology LLC</u> to Operate as a Non-BLES Competitive Local Exchange Carrier in the State of Ohio

ΓRF	Docket	No.	90-	

Case No. 14 - 1854 -TP - ACE

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

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Name of Registrant(s) Vision Concept Technology LLC	
DBA(s) of Registrant(s) Vision CTS LLC	
Address of Registrant(s) 690 Kintner Parkway North, Sunbury, OH 43074-8038	
Company Web Address www.vision-tech.net	
Regulatory Contact Person(s) Chad Brownfield Phone 740-965-8521 ext. 2001	Fax 740-965-8522
Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address <u>accounts@visioncts.com</u>	
Contact Person for Annual Report Chad Brownfield	Phone ext. 2001
Address (if different from above) 690 Kintner Parkway North, Sunbury, OH 43074-8038	
Consumer Contact Information Chad Brownfield	Phone 877-596-2534
Address (if different from above) 690 Kintner Parkway North, Sunbury, OH 43074-8038	
Motion for protective order included with filing? I Yes No	
Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? Tyes I No [Note: Waivers may toll any automatic	timeframe.]
Notes:	
Section I and II are Pursuant to Chapter $\underline{4901:1-6}$ OAC. Section III – Carrier to Carrier is Pursuant to $\underline{4901:1-7}$ OAC, and Wireless is Pursuant to $\underline{4901:1-6-24}$ C Section IV – Attestation.	DAC.

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

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

IOS	Introduce New	Tariff Change	Price Change	Withdraw

### 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	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
	* (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>	ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u>
	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0 day Notice)
Change in Ownership *	ACO <u>1-6-29(E)</u>	ACO <u>1-6-29(E)</u>	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u>
	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0 day Notice)
Merger *	AMT <u>1-6-29(E)</u>	AMT <u>1-6-29(E)</u>	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u>
	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0 day Notice)
Transfer a Certificate *	ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u>
	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0 day Notice)
Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business *	ATR <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	ATR <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u>
	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0 day Notice)
	A REAL PROPERTY.		

\* 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 an approved agreement	□ NAG <u>1-7-07</u> (Auto 90 day)	□ NAG <u>1-7-07</u> (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)	ATA <u>1-7-14</u> (Auto 30 day)
Request rural carrier exemption, rural carrier suspension or modification	UNC <u>1-7-04</u> or 05 (Non-Auto)	
Changes in rates, terms & conditions to Pole Attachment, Conduit Occupancy and Rights- of-Way.	UNC 1-7-23(B) (Non-Auto)	
Wireless Providers See <u>4901:1-6-24</u>	RCC [Registration & Change in Operations]	Interconnection Agreement or

#### 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.
(Name)	
Please Check ALL that apply:	
■ I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules for the state of Oh imply Commission approval and that the Commission's rules as modified contradictory provisions in our tariff. We will fully comply with the rules of t can result in various penalties, including the suspension of our certificate to open	and clarified from time to time, supersede any he state of Ohio and understand that noncompliance
I attest that customer notices accompanying this filing form were sent to affer accordance with Rule 4901:1-6-7, Ohio Administrative Code.	ected customers, as specified in Section II, in
I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.	
Executed on (Date) 10-20-14 at (Location) 12316 Hidden Forest, Blvd., Oklassical at (Signature and Title	Date) 10/20/14
• This affidavit is required for every tariff-affecting filing. It may be sig authorized agent of the applicant.	( med by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an
VERIFICATION	
I. Matt Dean have utilized the Telecommunications Filing Form for most proceedings information submitted here, and all additional information submitted in connec- my knowledge.	verify that I provided by the Commission and that all of the ction with this case, is true and correct to the best of

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## \*(Signature and Title) (Date) 10-20-14 \*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

### The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio TELECOMMUNICATIONS RETAIL SERVICE OFFERING FORM For Non-BLES Carriers Per the Commission's 01/19/2011 "Implementation Order" in Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD (Effective: 01/20/2011)

Company Name Vision Concept Technology LLC
Company Address 690 Kintner Parkway North, Sunbury, OH 43074-8038
Company Web Address www.vision-tech.net
Regulatory Contact Person Chad Brownfield Phone 740-965-8521 ext. 2001 Fax 740-965-8522
Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address accounts@visioncts.com
Contact Person for Annual Report Chad Brownfield Phone 740-965-8521 ext. 2001 Fax 740-965-8522
Consumer Contact Information Chad Brownfield Phone 877-596-2534 Fax 217-698-0100
TRF Docket No. <u> TP-TRF</u>
I. Company Type (Check all applicable):
$\blacksquare$ Non-BLES CLEC $\square$ IXC $\square$ Other (explain)
II. <u>Services offered (Check all applicable):</u>
□ Toll services (intrastate)
Local Exchange Service (i.e., residential or business bundles)
$\Box$ Other (explain) 1854
III. Tariffed Provisions/Services (To the extent offered, check all applicable and attach tariff pages):
□ Toll Presubscription
Intrastate Special and Switched Access Services to Carriers (facilities-based local carriers only)*
□ N-1-1 Service
Pole Attachment and Conduit Occupancy
□ Pay Telephone Access Lines
□ Inmate Operator Service
Telephone Relay Service

\*Access service tariffs shall be maintained separately and are subject to the Commission's carrier-to-carrier rules found in Chapter 4901:1-7, Ohio Administrative Code.

#### Part IV. - Attestation

#### Carrier hereby attests to its compliance with pertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission. Chad Brownfield

I am an officer/agent of the carrier/telephone company, Vision Concept Technology LLC , and am authorized to make statements on it behalf.

(Name)

I understand that Telephone companies have certain responsibilities to its customers under the Telecommunications Rules (Ohio Adm. Code 4901:1-6). These responsibilities include: warm line service; not committing unfair or deceptive acts and practices; truth in billing requirements; and slamming and preferred carrier freeze requirements. We will comply with the rules of the state of Ohio and understand that non-compliance can result in various penalties, including the suspension of our certificate to operate within the state of Ohio.

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

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(Signature and Title)

10/16/2014

(Date)

The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio TELECOMMUNICATIONS SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION FORM for CARRIER CERTIFICATION (Effective: 01/20/2011) (Pursuant to Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD) NOTE: This SUPPLEMENTAL form must be used WITH the TELECOMMUNICATIONS FILING FORM for ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS.		
In the Matter of the Application of <u>Vision Concept Technology LLC</u> ) to <u>Operate as a Non-BLES Competitive Local Exchange Carrier in the State of Ohio</u> )		
Name of Registrant(s) <u>Vision Concept Technology</u> DBA(s) of Registrant(s) <u>Vision CTS LLC</u> Address of Registrant(s) <u>690 Kintner Parkway No</u>		
Motion for protective order included with filing? ■ Yes □ No Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? □ Yes ■ No [Note: waiver(s) tolls any automatic timeframe]		
List of Required Exhibits		
Tariffs: (Include all that apply)		
Interexchange Tariff	Local Tariff	CESTC Tariff
	Carrier-to-Carrier (Access) Tariff	
Description of Services	NOTE: All Facilities-Based carriers must file an Access Tariff	
Service provisioned via Resale	Service provisioned via Facilities	Both Resold and Facilities-based
Description of Proposed Services	Statement about the provision of CTS services	Description of the general geographic area served
Explanation of how the proposed services in the proposed market area are in the public interest.	Description of the class of customers (e.g., residence, business) that the applicant intends to serve	
<b>Business Requirements</b>		
Evidence of Registration with:	Ohio Department of Taxation	Ohio Secretary of State <sup>1</sup> & Certificate of Good Standing
Documentation attesting to the applic	ant's financial viability, including the f	ollowing:
An executive Summary describing the applicant's current financial condition, liquidity, and capital resources. Describe internally generated sources of cash and external funds available to support the applicant's operations that are the subject of this certification application.		
Copy of financial statements (actual and pro forma income statement and a balance sheet). Indicate if financial statements are based on a certain geographical area(s) or information in other jurisdictions		
Documentation to support the applicant's cash and funding sources.		
Documentation attesting to the applicant's managerial ability and corporate structure, including the following:		
Documentation attesting to the applicant's technical and managerial expertise relative to the proposed service offering(s) and proposed service area		
List of names, addresses, and phone numbers of officers and directors, or partners.		
Documentation indicating the applicant's corporate structure and ownership		
Information regarding any similar operations in other states.		
If this company has been previously certified in the State of Ohio, include that certification number 10-1010		

Verification that the applicant will follow federal communications commission (FCC) accounting requirements, if applicable.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Certification from Ohio Secretary of State (domestic or foreign corporation, authorized use of fictitious name, etc.), and Certificate of Good Standing is required.

#### Documentation attesting to the applicant's proposed interactions with other Carriers

Explanation as to whether rates are derived through (check all applicable):

interconnection agreement

🗌 retail tariffs

resale tariffs

- Explanation as to which service areas company currently has an approved interconnection or resale agreement.
- A notarized affidavit accompanied by bona fide letters requesting negotiation pursuant to Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and a proposed timeline for construction, interconnection, and offering of services to end users.

#### Documentation attesting to the applicant's proposed interactions with Customers

- A sample copy of the customer bill and disconnection notice the applicant plans to utilize.
- Provide a copy of any customer application form required in order to establish residential service, if applicable.
- For CLECs, List of Ohio ILEC Exchanges the applicant intends to serve (Use spreadsheet from: <u>http://www.puc.state.oh.us/puco/forms/form.cfm?doc\_\_id=357</u>)
- □ If Mirroring the entire ILEC local service areas, tariffs may incorporate by reference. If not mirroring the entire ILEC local exchange areas, the CLEC shall specifically define its local service areas in the tariff.

		Affidavit
I am an autho	rized representative of the applicant corporation	Judith A Riley
and I am authorized to make this statement on its behalf. I attest that I have utilized the Telecommunications Supplemental Application Form for Carrier Certification 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.		
Executed on	October 20, 2014	at 12316 Hidden Forest Blvd., Oklahoma City, OK 73142
(Signature ar		October 20, 2014

# LIST OF EXHIBITS

#### **EXHIBIT A DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES**

#### EXHIBIT B

#### **BUSINESS REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS**

- Exhibit B-1 Registration with the Ohio Department of Taxation Ohio Secretary of State Certificate
- Exhibit B-2
- Exhibit B-3

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**Ohio Good Standing Certificate** 

- Financial Statements Public Copy Exhibit C-1
- Exhibit C-2 Motion to Protect – Financial Statements
- Exhibit C-3 Financial Statements - CONFIDENTIAL Copy

#### EXHIBIT D

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#### MANAGERIAL ABILITY AND CORPORATE STRUCTURE

- Exhibit D-1 List of Officers
- Exhibit D-2 **Biographies of Key Personnel**
- Statement of Operations in Other States Exhibit D-3
- Verification of GAAP Records Maintenance Exhibit D-4
- Exhibit D-5 Statement of Affiliates
- Corporate Structure and Ownership Exhibit D-6

#### **EXHIBIT E**

### PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CARRIERS

- Statement of how Rates Derived Exhibit E-1
- Exhibit E-2 **Explanation of Service Areas**
- Exhibit E-3 Letters Requesting Negotiations

#### **EXHIBIT F**

### **PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CUSTOMERS**

- Prepayment Requirements Statement Exhibit F-1
- Exhibit F-2 Sample Invoice
- Exhibit F-3 Sample Disconnect Notice
- Listing of Ohio Exchanges Exhibit F-4
- Public Interest Statement Exhibit F-5

#### EXHIBIT G **PROPOSED ACCESS TARIFF**

## **EXHIBIT** A

**DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES** 

#### **DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES**

VisionCTS plans to service customers in Ohio out of a Worthington, Ohio Colocation facility. From that facility we will provision SIP trunks, CO lines (Analog), T-1's and PRI's. Those services use three different transport methods to get to the customers. Our transport methods are Fiber, MPLS and broadband. The majority of our customers are projected to be on-net and delivered on Fiber or MPLS.

We will provide our customers with local dial tone including directory services and 911, Long Distance, and fax services. When our service is not a good fit, we will wholesale other provider's services, providers such as XO, ATT and Level (3).

Our customers will be exclusively business customers. We plan to have customers in the following verticals, Health Care, Retail, Manufacturing and Real-estate to name a few.

## **EXHIBIT B**

BUSINESS REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

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EXHIBIT B-1 – REGISTRATION WITH THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TAXATION



### **Registration Confirmation**

Taxpayer Services Division P. O. Box 182215 Columbus, OH 43218-2215 Phone: 1-888-405-4089 Fax: 1-614-387-2165 TTYITDD: 1-800-750-0750 tax.ohio.gov

3/6/2013

Vision CTS LLC 690 Kintner Parkway North Sunbury, OH 43074

RE: Account Type: COUNTY VENDOR'S LICENSE Account Number: 21900823 Effective Date: 1/1/2013 Filing Frequency: MONTHLY

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TIN:

Dear Taxpayer:

Please verify the information listed below is complete and accurate. If there are corrections and/or additions, please note them on this form and return it by mail or fax. You may also contact us by telephone or by e-mail through our Web site at tax.ohio.gov.

Legal Name:	Vision CTS LLC
Federal Employer Identification Number:	461559675
Social Security Number:	
Ohio Charter Number:	02136957

Filing periods beginning 01/01/09 are required to be filed electronically. You can file and pay your sales tax returns electronically through the Ohio Business Gateway at obg.ohio.gov. Payments may be made directly from your bank account (electronic check) or by credit card.

The Ohio Department of Taxation must receive all returns and payments on or before the 23rd of the month following the end of the reporting period. Failure to file and pay taxes due in a timely manner may result in the loss of discount and the imposition of interest, penalties and/or additional charges. You must file a return even if you made no taxable sales for the filing period.

If you have questions concerning your tax responsibilities or how to file your retum(s) please contact us.

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Ohio Department of Taxation

Taxpayer Services Division Compliance Support Division P. O. Box 182215 Columbus, OH 43218-2215 Phone: 1-888-405-4089 Fax: 1-614-466-8892 TTYITDD: 1-800-750-0750 tax.ohio.gov

Vision CTS LLC 690 Kintner Parkway North Sunbury, OH 43074

### Vendor's License

21900823
Delaware
1/1/2013

This is to certify that the vendor herein named, having complied with the provisions of section 5739.17 of the Ohio Revised Code, is hereby authorized to sell tangible personal property and selected services at retail, at the location specified below. This license shall terminate and be null and void if the business is moved to a new location outside the county where it is presently located, if the business is sold, if an individual or partnership incorporates the business, if a partnership is dissolved, or if a corporation dissolves or is canceled for cause by the tax commissioner.

Vision CTS LLC 690 Kintner Parkway North Sunbury, OH 43074

The Ohio Sales Tax Law provides that no vendor shall fail to collect the full and exact tax as required by sections 5739.01 to 5739.31, inclusive, of the Ohio Revised Code, or fail to comply with such sections and the rules and regulations of the tax commissioner.

Whoever violates this provision may be fined not less than \$25 nor more than \$100 for a first offense; for each subsequent offense such person shall, if a corporation, be fined not less than \$100 nor more than \$500; or if an individual or member of a partnership, firm or association, be fined not less than \$25 nor more than \$100, or imprisoned not more than 60 days, or both.

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### Vendor's Guide to Ohio Sales and Use Tax

#### What Is Sales Tax?

Sales tax is a "trust" tax that must be collected on taxable retail sales to Ohio customers by all Ohio retailers and those out-of-state retailers that are registered with Ohio. It is called a "trust" tax because the consumer has entrusted this tax to retailers with the understanding that it will be reported and paid to the state of Ohio in a timely manner.

#### **Types of Vendors' Licenses**

To apply for any of the license types listed below, please visit the Ohio Business Gateway (OBG) at **business.ohio. gov** or for a paper application, the Ohio Department of Taxation's (ODT) Web site at **tax.ohio.gov**.

**Regular County Vendor's License** – This type of license is required by vendors making sales from a fixed place of business and vendors that make sales online or by catalog. Vendors of tangible personal property and certain services must have one regular vendor's license for each sales location. The application form is ST 1. Services requiring a regular vendor's license are as follows:

- Fabrication, installation, repair and/or storage of tangible personal property.
- Hotel or similar room rentals.
- Laundry and dry cleaning (excludes coin-operated machine sales).
- Personal care services, including skin care, application of cosmetics, manicures, pedicures, hair removal, tattoos, body piercing, tanning, massage and other similar services. It does not include hair care, cutting, coloring or style. **Note:** If no fixed place of business, these services require a transient vendor's license.
- Physical fitness facility service (membership fees and sales of tangible personal property).
- Recreation and sports club service (membership fees and sales of tangible personal property).
- Towing of motor vehicles, including those wrecked, disabled, or illegally parked.
- Washing (except coin-operated), cleaning, waxing, polishing or painting of motor vehicles.
- Transportation of persons within Ohio (except by public transit systems or commercial airlines).
- · Landscaping, lawn care & snow removal services
- Building maintenance & janitorial services

**Note:** Services are taxed at the location where the customer receives the benefit or makes first use of the service.

**Transient Vendor's License** – This type of license is required when making sales from a non-fixed location such as a fair, an exhibition or a trade show, when the vendor travels to the customer's location to sell taxable items. These licenses are valid throughout Ohio and allow a vendor to make sales in all 88 counties in Ohio. The application form is ST 1T. Service and Delivery Vendor's Licenses – As of September 2012, these two types of vendor's licenses are no longer being issued. However, if you already have one or both of these license types, please continue to file your sales tax using them.

#### **Filing Requirements**

The Universal Sales Tax return (UST1) is used for all of the above licenses and must be electronically filed and paid by the due date. The filing frequency is determined by the ODT. Your frequency is stated on the Registration Confirmation notice and you will be informed in writing of any filing frequency changes.

**Monthly Filers** – The UST1 must be electronically filed and paid by the 23rd day of the month following the reporting period, for all tax collected during the preceding month. If the 23rd is on a weekend or holiday, the due date is the next business day.

**Semi-annual Filers** – Vendors and sellers whose tax liability is less than \$1,200 per six-month period may file and pay their sales taxes semi-annually. Such returns are due by the 23rd day of the month following the close of each semi-annual period for the tax collected during the preceding six-month period.

- Jan. 1 through June 30 return and payment are due on or before July 23rd.
- July 1 through Dec. 31 return and payment are due on or before Jan. 23rd.

Returns must still be filed even if no sales are made or no tax is due. Failing to file a return or remit tax due will result in fines, penalties and possibly criminal charges.

**Ohio Tax Alerts** – Vendors may sign up to receive tax alerts via e-mail for multiple tax types, including sales and use tax. These alerts include reminders of when semi-annual and monthly universal sales tax (UST1) returns and payments are due. These reminders can assist vendors in remitting timely returns and payments. This can be a very helpful service, as the ODT does not mail returns or information to new or existing vendors. To use this service, simply sign-up from our Web site at **tax.ohio.gov.** 

#### **Mandatory Electronic Filing**

Each person holding a vendor's license, regardless of sales volume, is required to file a UST1 return electronically. ODT offers two ways to file a sales tax return electronically.

**The Ohio Business Gateway** – OBG allows taxpayers to electronically file their UST1 return and accepts electronic checks and credit cards for online payment and also allows taxpayers the option to pay with a paper check. To use this option, please visit business.ohio.gov and click on the "Login Now" or "Create an Account" link on the OBG home page. **TeleFile** – Vendors with a regular (single) county vendor's license beginning with 01-88 may electronically file their UST1 returns over the phone through Ohio's TeleFile system. TeleFile users can remit payment by electronic check or credit card. To utilize the Ohio Telefile system, a vendor must have their vendor's license number and their two-digit TIN available. This information can be found on the Registration Confirmation issued when their vendor's license was activated. To use this option please call 1-800-697-0440.

#### **Canceling a Vendor's License**

If a vendor stops making taxable retail sales, a final UST1 must be filed and all taxes must be paid within 15 days of the final sale. Vendors must complete the space provided on the final UST1 indicating the last day of business. All electronic filing options, including OBG and TeleFile, allow a vendor to cancel their vendor's license when filing their final UST1. If you are a liquor permit holder, you cannot cancel the vendor's license until action has been taken on the liquor permit.

#### Are Vendors' Licenses Transferable?

Any change in ownership (sole proprietor to partnership, partnership to corporation, corporation to sole proprietor, partnership to sole proprietor, etc.) that requires the issuance of a new Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN) requires a new license. A final UST1 return must be filed and all taxes paid within 15 days of the last day of business.

Any change in location of a fixed place of business for a regular county vendor's license (beginning with 01-88) not within the same county, or if there is also a liquor permit, even within the same county, requires a new license, and a final UST1 return must be filed within 15 days of the last day of business for the preceding license.

A change in location of a fixed place of business for a regular county vendor's license within the same county does not require a new license. However, you are required to complete form ST3 TL – Request for Transfer of Vendor's License. A change in the mailing address does not require a new license and can be requested by completing a ST 3C and can be found on ODT's Web site at **tax.ohio.gov.** 

#### **Determining Sales Tax Rates**

Please visit the ODT Web site (**tax.ohio.gov**) or call the Business Taxpayer Services line (1-888-405-4039) for information on the tax rates and rules governing Ohio's sales and use tax. Sign up for Ohio Tax Alert and receive notification of tax rate changes.

Sales and use tax rates for any address in Ohio can be verified by using The Finder, an online resource available at **tax.ohio.gov.** 

#### Important Notes for Sales Tax

Nonprofit organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code that make retail sales no more than six days a year are not required to have a vendor's license or collect tax on those sales. If sales occur on more than six days, the organization must obtain a license and charge and remit tax. School-related, parent-teacher, and booster groups are exempt from registering and collecting the tax.

#### Sales Tax Exemptions – Blanket Exemption Certificate

**(STEC B)** – is used to purchase items exempt from sales tax with a valid reason for exemption (resale, agriculture, manufacturing, nonprofit, etc). The exemption form can be obtained from ODT's Web site at **tax.ohio.gov.** 

Promoters, organizers or owners of trade shows, fairs, flea markets, exhibitions or similar events where transient vendors make retail sales are required to maintain for at least four years and make available to the ODT records of the vendors names, addresses, vendor's license numbers and types of goods sold.

#### What Is Use Tax?

Use tax is a tax on the storage, use or other consumption of tangible personal property and certain taxable services in Ohio. These include purchases made from both Ohio and out-of-state vendors. The tax is a complement to the Ohio sales tax. In general, if you have paid Ohio sales tax on purchases of certain items or certain taxable services, then you do not owe Ohio use tax. If you have not paid Ohio sales tax, then you have a responsibility to remit Ohio use tax directly to the ODT, unless there is an exception or exemption that applies to the transaction.

Please refer to the ODT's Web site (**tax.ohio.gov**) for more information on what is subject to use tax and the appropriate sales/use tax rate for your county. Sales and use tax rates for any address in Ohio can be verified by using The Finder, an online resource available at tax.ohio.gov.

#### How Do I Remit Use Tax Directly to Ohio?

The Universal Use Tax return (UUT1) is used for filing use tax. Businesses need to register for a Consumer's Use Tax account to begin remitting use tax directly to Ohio. Registration and filing are available on OBG at business.ohio.gov. OBG accepts electronic checks and credit cards for online payment and also allows taxpayers the option to print a payment coupon to pay with a paper check.

#### **Important Numbers**

Business Taxpayer Assistance	(888) 405-4039
Tax Fraud Hotline	(800) 757-6091
Ohio Relay for the Hearing Impaired	(800) 750-0750

## **EXHIBIT B**

BUSINESS REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

**EXHIBIT B-2 – OHIO SECRETARY OF STATE CERTIFICATE** 



DATE 09/19/2012 DOCUMENT ID

DESCRIPTION DOMESTIC FOR PROFIT LLC - ARTICLES 201226201558 OF ORG (LCP)

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This is not a bill. Please do not remit payment.

WELDON HUSTON & KEYSER 76 NORTH MULBERRY ST. MANSFIELD, OH 44902

## STATE OF OHIO CERTIFICATE **Ohio Secretary of State, Jon Husted**

2136957

It is hereby certified that the Secretary of State of Ohio has custody of the business records for

#### VISION CTS, LLC

and, that said business records show the filing and recording of:

Document(s): DOMESTIC FOR PROFIT LLC - ARTICLES OF ORG Document No(s): 201226201558



United States of America State of Ohio Office of the Secretary of State Witness my hand and the seal of the Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio this 17th day of September, A.D. 2012.

for Husted

Ohio Secretary of State

## **EXHIBIT B**

BUSINESS REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

**EXHIBIT B-3 – OHIO GOOD STANDING CERTIFICATE** 

## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA STATE OF OHIO OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

I, Jon Husted, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected, qualified and present acting Secretary of State for the State of Ohio, and as such have custody of the records of Ohio and Foreign business entities; that said records show VISION CTS, LLC, an Ohio For Profit Limited Liability Company, Registration Number 2136957, was organized within the State of Ohio on September 17, 2012, is currently in FULL FORCE AND EFFECT upon the records of this office.



Witness my hand and the seal of the Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio this 8th day of September, A.D. 2014.

on Huster

**Ohio Secretary of State** 

Validation Number: 201425100861

## **EXHIBIT C**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## **EXHIBIT C**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**EXHIBIT C-1 – FINANCIAL STATEMENTS – PUBLIC COPY** 

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#### 07/21/14 Accrual Basis

### VisionCTS, LLC **Balance Sheet**

As of December 31, 2013

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ASSETS Current Assets Checking/Savings VCTS Operating	REDACT
Total Checking/Savings	REDACT
Accounts Receivable 11000 · Accounts Receivable	REDACT
Total Accounts Receivable	REDACT
Total Current Assets	REDACT
Fixed Assets 15000 · Furniture and Equipment 17000 · Accumulated Depreciation	REDACT REDACT REDACT
Total Fixed Assets	REDACT
Other Assets 19000 · Investment Triad Communications	REDACT
Total Other Assets	REDACT
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Liabilities **Current Liabilities** Accounts Payable 20000 · Accounts Payable

Total Accounts Payable

Other Current Liabilities 25500 · Sales Tax Payable

**Total Other Current Liabilities** 

**Total Current Liabilities** 

Long Term Liabilities 21000 · A/P Vision Concept Technology

**Total Long Term Liabilities** 

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TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY

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07/21/14 Accrual Basis

### VisionCTS, LLC Profit & Loss January through December 2013

Jan - Dec 13

Ordinary Income/Expense Income	
4800 Commissions Earned Discount	R
Sales Income	R R R R R R R
Vendor Rebates	R
47900 · Sales	R
Total Income	R
Cost of Goods Sold	R
50000 · Cost of Goods Sold	R
Total COGS	
Gross Profit	R
Expense	R R R R R R R R R R R R R R R R R R R
60400 · Bank Service Charges	R
6100 · Bad Debt	R
61700 Computer and Internet Expenses	R
62400 Depreciation Expense	R
64900 · Office Supplies	R
66700 · Professional Fees	R
66800 · Management Fee Expense - VCT 67100 · Rent Expense	R
67200 · Repairs and Maintenance	В
68000 · Taxes Other	B
68100 · Telephone Expense	R
68400 · Travel Expense	R
68600 · Utilities	R

Total Expense

Net Ordinary Income

Other Income/Expense Other Income Discounts Taken

Total Other Income

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**Total Other Expense** 

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Accrual Basis

### VisionCTS, LLC Profit & Loss

January through June 2014

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Total Income	REDACTED
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Net Ordinary Income Other Income/Expense Other Income Discounts Taken	REDACTED REDACTED REDACTED REDACTED REDACTED
Total Other Income	REDACTED REDACTED
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07/21/14 Accrual Basis

### VisionCTS, LLC **Balance Sheet**

As of June 30, 2014

Jun 30, 14 ASSETS Current Assets Checking/Savings VCTS Operating **Total Checking/Savings** Accounts Receivable 11000 · Accounts Receivable **Total Accounts Receivable** Other Current Assets 12000 · Undeposited Funds **Total Other Current Assets Total Current Assets** Fixed Assets 15000 · Furniture and Equipment 17000 · Accumulated Depreciation **Total Fixed Assets** Other Assets 19000 · Investment Triad Communications Total Other Assets TOTAL ASSETS LIABILITIES & EQUITY Liabilities **Current Liabilities** Accounts Payable 20000 · Accounts Payable **Total Accounts Payable** Other Current Liabilities 25500 · Sales Tax Payable **Total Other Current Liabilities** 

**Total Current Liabilities** 

Long Term Liabilities 21000 · A/P Vision Concept Technology

**Total Long Term Liabilities** 

#### **Total Liabilities**

Equity

30700 · Members Draw 32000 · Members Equity Net Income

**Total Equity** 

TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY

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## **EXHIBIT C**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**EXHIBIT C-2 – MOTION TO PROTECT FINANCIAL STATEMENTS** 

#### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of Vision Concept Technology, LLC ) dba Vision CTS, LLC to the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio for Authority to Operate as a Non-BLES Competitive Local Exchange Carrier in the State of Ohio

Case No. 14-1854-TP-ACE

#### **MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER**

COMES NOW Vision Concept Technology, LLC dba Vision CTS, LLC hereby moves the Public Utility Commission of Ohio for a Protective Order covering certain confidential information submitted in support of the Company's above-captioned Application for a Certificate of Convenience and Authority ("Application"). In support of this Motion, Vision Concept Technology, LLC dba Vision CTS, LLC submits the following:

- Vision Concept Technology, LLC dba Vision CTS, LLC is not a publicly traded (1)company. As such, Vision Concept Technology, LLC dba Vision CTS, LLC does not file financial statements with the SEC;
- (2)The statements contain sensitive financial information, which Vision Concept Technology, LLC dba Vision CTS, LLC protects from disclosure. This information is not generally available to those inside the Company without specific need-to-know, and the Company keeps it in a secure location to prevent inadvertent disclosure. This information has not been released previously;
- (3)Public disclosure of the information would cause undue harm to Vision Concept Technology, LLC dba Vision CTS, LLC and would prove detrimental to Vision Concept Technology, LLC dba Vision CTS, LLC's competitive position in the marketplace; and

(4) Due to the sensitive nature of this information, it is appropriate for the Commission to limit access to the information. The Confidential Information is being provided for the sole use of the Commission in exercising their respective governmental functions by examining the Application. There is no legitimate purpose to be served in disclosing this proprietary material to any person other than the appropriate reviewing staffs of the Commission.

WHEREFORE, Vision Concept Technology, LLC dba Vision CTS, LLC respectfully moves that the Commission issue a Protective Order that will limit the availability of Applicant's Financial Qualifications to the above referenced Application to the reviewing staffs of the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 20, 2014

Judith A. Riley, Regulatory Consultant On behalf of Vision Concept Technology, LLC dba Vision CTS, LLC PO Box 720128 Oklahoma City, OK 73172-0128 Phone (405) 755-8177 Facsimile (405) 755-8377 jriley@telecompliance.net

## **EXHIBIT C**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## EXHIBIT C-3 – FINANCIAL STATEMENTS CONFIDENTIAL COPY

TO BE CONFIDENTIALLY FILED AT PUC'S REQUEST

## **EXHIBIT D**

MANAGERIAL ABILITY AND CORPORATE STRUCTURE

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MANAGERIAL ABILITY AND CORPORATE STRUCTURE

**EXHIBIT D-1 – LIST OF OFFICERS** 

### **List of Officers**

Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC has no managers or officers. Its owner information is as follows:

Chad C. Brownfield, Owner 690 Kintner Parkway North Sunbury, OH 43074-8038

Mr. Brownfield can be contacted by phone at (740) 965-8521 or Toll Free at (877) 596-2534.

## **EXHIBIT D**

### MANAGERIAL ABILITY AND CORPORATE STRUCTURE

#### **EXHIBIT D-2 – BIOGRAPHIES OF KEY PERSONNEL**

Chad Brownfield is a veteran in the telecommunications industry and owner of Vision Concept Technology in Sunbury, Ohio. Mr. Brownfield held the Communications Technician title at InfiNET Network Communications for a number of years before moving to Global Knowledge to instruct for the largest Cisco training partner in the world. While at Global Knowledge, Chad was responsible for the Cisco Unity and Cisco CallManager product lines. He designed all hands-on labs, course curriculum, and managed courses and instructors all over the world. Certifications and experience include: MCSE, Cisco, Mitel and NEC. Chad brings 21 years of experience and a proven record in the insurance, education and retail markets. In addition to his telecommunication contributions, Chad is an active member of his community as President of Chamber of Commerce and board member of church.

## **EXHIBIT D**

#### MANAGERIAL ABILITY AND CORPORATE STRUCTURE

**EXHIBIT D-3 – STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS IN OTHER STATES** 

#### **Statement of Operations in Other States**

Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC has no operations in other states. Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC has not had a request for authorization denied by any state, nor have they had authorization revoked by any state. There are no civil or criminal proceedings against Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC in any jurisdiction, nor have there ever been.

### **EXHIBIT D**

MANAGERIAL ABILITY AND CORPORATE STRUCTURE

**EXHIBIT D-4 – VERIFICATION OF GAAP RECORDS MAINTENANCE** 

#### VERIFICATION

STATE OF OHIO ) ) §§ COUNTY OF DELAWARE )

Chad C. Brownfield, being duly sworn, states:

That he is the Owner of Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC, sole member of Vision CTS, LLC, Applicant for Certificate of Authority to Operate as a Non-BLES Competitive Local Exchange Carrier in the state of Ohio;

That he is authorized to make this statement; and

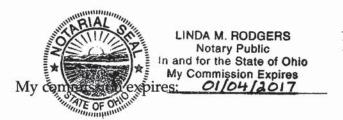
That local telephony records are kept separate and apart from any other accounting records in accordance with the Generally Accepted Accounting Procedures ("GAAP").

DATED this 16 day of October, 2014.

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Chad C. Brownfield Owner of Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN before me this 16 day of October, 2014.



Notary Public

## **EXHIBIT D**

MANAGERIAL ABILITY AND CORPORATE STRUCTURE

**EXHIBIT D-5 – STATEMENT OF AFFILIATES LISTING** 

#### **Statement of Affiliates Listing**

Exhibit D-5 contains an organizational chart depicting the corporate structure of the Applicant and its Affiliates. Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC's Affiliates are as follows:

(Business Unit also owned by Chad Brownfield)Vision Concept Technology, LLC965 Kintner ParkwaySunbury, OH 43074

## **EXHIBIT D**

MANAGERIAL ABILITY AND CORPORATE STRUCTURE

**EXHIBIT D-5 – CORPORATE STRUCTURE AND OWNERSHIP** 

### **CORPORATE STRUCTURE AND OWNERSHIP**

Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC is a Limited Liability Company.

Member	Membership Interest	Voting Interest
Chad Brownfield	100%	100%
Total	100%	100%

# **EXHIBIT E**

PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CARRIERS

### **EXHIBIT E**

PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CARRIERS

**EXHIBIT E-1 – STATEMENT OF HOW RATES DERIVED** 

### STATEMENT OF HOW RATES DERIVED

The Company's rates will derive from Interconnection Agreements.

### **EXHIBIT E**

PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CARRIERS

**EXHIBIT E-2 – EXPLANATION OF SERVICE AREAS** 

#### **EXPLANATION OF SERVICE AREAS**

Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC proposes to provide service in all areas of the State of Ohio serviced by AT&T Ohio, United Telephone d/b/a CenturyLink, and Frontier North.

### **EXHIBIT E**

PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CARRIERS

**EXHIBIT E-3 – LETTERS REQUESTING NEGOTIATIONS** 



October 15, 2014

Director – Contract Management AT&T Ohio 45 Erieview Plaza, Suite 1500 Cleveland, OH 44114

RE: Interconnection with Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC within the State of Ohio

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to Section 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, we hereby request AT&T Ohio to engage in negotiations to enter into an agreement with Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC.

Certified Name of Carrier:

Physical Street Address: City/State/Zip: Name of Contact Person: Contact Person's Title:

Contact Person's Telephone: Contact Person's Facsimile: Contact Person's Email: Type of Negotiation Desired: State in which carrier wishes to do business: State of Incorporation: State Certification (Ohio): Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC 690 Kintner Parkway North Sunbury, OH 43074-8038 Chad Brownfield Owner of Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC 740-965-8521 ext. 2001 740-965-8522 <u>accounts@visioncts.com</u> Competitive Local Exchange Agreement Ohio Ohio Yes

If AT&T Ohio has a template agreement for purposes of resale, please forward a copy to my attention. If there are any questions, please contact me at the number listed above.

Sincerely,

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Chad Brownfield, Owner Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC



October 15, 2014

Director – Contract Management United Telephone Company of Ohio d/b/a CenturyLink 50 West Broad Street, Suite 3600 Cincinnati, OH 43215

RE: Interconnection with Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC within the State of Ohio

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to Section 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, we hereby request United Telephone Company of Ohio d/b/a CenturyLink to engage in negotiations to enter into an agreement with Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC.

Certified Name of Carrier:

Physical Street Address: City/State/Zip: Name of Contact Person: Contact Person's Title:

Contact Person's Telephone: Contact Person's Facsimile: Contact Person's Email: Type of Negotiation Desired: State in which carrier wishes to do business: State of Incorporation: State Certification (Ohio): Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC 690 Kintner Parkway North Sunbury, OH 43074-8038 Chad Brownfield Owner of Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC 740-965-8521 ext. 2001 740-965-8522 <u>accounts@visioncts.com</u> Competitive Local Exchange Agreement Ohio Ohio Yes

If United Telephone Company of Ohio d/b/a CenturyLink has a template agreement for purposes of resale, please forward a copy to my attention. If there are any questions, please contact me at the number listed above.

Sincerely,

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Chad Brownfield, Owner Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC



October 15, 2014

Director – Contract Management Frontier North – HQE03D44 600 Hidden Ridge Irving, TX 75038

RE: Interconnection with Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC within the State of Ohio

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pursuant to Section 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, we hereby request Frontier North to engage in negotiations to enter into an agreement with Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC.

Certified Name of Carrier:

Physical Street Address: City/State/Zip: Name of Contact Person: Contact Person's Title:

Contact Person's Telephone: Contact Person's Facsimile: Contact Person's Email: Type of Negotiation Desired: State in which carrier wishes to do business: State of Incorporation: State Certification (Ohio): Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC 690 Kintner Parkway North Sunbury, OH 43074-8038 Chad Brownfield Owner of Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC 740-965-8521 ext. 2001 740-965-8522 <u>accounts@visioncts.com</u> Competitive Local Exchange Agreement Ohio Ohio Yes

If Frontier North has a template agreement for purposes of resale, please forward a copy to my attention. If there are any questions, please contact me at the number listed above.

Sincerely,

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Chad Brownfield, Owner Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC

#### LETTERS REQUESTING NEGOTIATION ATTESTATION

I hereby swear under penalty of perjury as follows:

I, <u>Chad Brownfield</u>, am the Owner of Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC and I certify that on October <u>/b</u>, 2014 I have signed and caused be sent via United States Mail, postage prepaid, the required Letters Requesting Negotiation for Interconnection with the following Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers ("ILECs") on behalf of Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC:

- AT&T Ohio
- United Telephone Company of Ohio d/b/a CenturyLink
- Frontier North

Said letters requesting negotiation were signed by me and the attached copies are true, correct, bona fide copies of what was sent to the aforementioned ILECs.

Dated this 16 day of October, 2014

Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC

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Print Name and Title:

Chad Brownfield, Owner

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 16 day of October, 2014

LINDA M. RODGERS (SEAL) Notary Public Notary In and for the State of Ohio My Commission Expires My Com res EOF

PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CUSTOMERS

PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CUSTOMERS

**EXHIBIT F-1 – PREPAYMENT REQUIREMENT STATEMENT** 

### **Prepayment Requirements Statement**

Applicant requires neither prepayment nor payment in advance for services.

PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CUSTOMERS

**EXHIBIT F-2 – SAMPLE INVOICE** 

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690 Kintner Parkway North Sunbury, OH 43074

#### FEIN 46-1559675

Bill To:

### Invoice

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PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CUSTOMERS

**EXHIBIT F-3 – SAMPLE DISCONNECT NOTICE** 



Please be advised that your account has been scheduled for disconnect due to past due account status.

Disconnect Date:

Approximate Time: no later than 5:00 PM EST

Payment of all past due amounts plus a reconnection fee of \$XXX.00 will be required to reinstate service. Please note that this process may take up to 24 hours to complete.

To avoid disruption of service, please contact our Accounting Department by email at <u>accounts@visioncts.com</u> or by phone 740-965-8521 x2000 and make arrangements for payment.

Thank you.

VCTS Service Department service@visioncts.com 740-965-8521 Option 3

PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CUSTOMERS

**EXHIBIT F-4 – LISTING OF OHIO EXCHANGES** 

#### Proposed Market Area (PMA) for CLECs Provision of Local Service

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AT&T Ohio	ERIE	Castalia	X
AT&T Ohio	FAIRFIELD	Sandusky Carroll	×
AT&T Ohio AT&T Ohio	FAIRFIELD	Lancaster	X
AT&T Ohio	FAIRFIELD	Rushville	x
AT&T Ohio	FAIRFIELD	Sugar Grove Bloomingburg	××
AT&T Ohio AT&T Ohio	FAYETTE	Jeffersonville	x
AT&T Ohio	FAYETTE	Milledgeville	x
AT&T Ohio	FAYETTE	Washington Court House Alton	x
AT&T Ohio	FRANKLIN	Canal Winchester	X
AT&T Ohio	FRANKLIN	Columbus	×
AT&T Ohio	FRANKLIN	Dublin Gahanna	××
AT&T Ohio AT&T Ohio	FRANKLIN	Grove City	x
AT&T Ohio	FRANKLIN	Groveport	×
AT&T Ohio	FRANKLIN	Harrisburg Hillard	x
AT&T Ohio AT&T Ohio	FRANKLIN	Lockbourne	x x
AT&T Ohio	FRANKLIN	New Albany	x
AT&T Ohio	FRANKLIN	Reynoldsburg Westerville	x
AT&T Ohio AT&T Ohio	FRANKLIN	Worthington	x
AT&T Ohio	GALLIA	Cheshire	X
AT&T Ohio	GALLIA	Gallipolis Guyan	X
AT&T Ohio AT&T Ohio	GALLIA GALLIA	Rio Grande	××
AT&T Ohio	GALLIA	Vinton	x
AT&T Ohio	GALLIA	Walnut	x
AT&T Ohio AT&T Ohio	GEAUGA GEAUGA	Burton Chesterland	X
AT&T Ohio	GREENE	Beavercreek	x
AT&T Ohio	GREENE	Bellbrook	×
AT&T Ohio	GREENE	Bowersville Cedarville	- × ×
AT&T Ohio AT&T Ohio	GREENE	Fairborn	x
AT&T Ohio	GREENE	Jamestown	
AT&T Ohio	GREENE	Spring Valley	X
AT&T Ohio AT&T Ohio	GREENE	Xenia Yellow Springs-Clifton	X
AT&T Ohio	HANCOCK	Findlay	x
AT&T Ohio	HIGHLAND	Belfast	××
AT&T Ohio	HIGHLAND	Danville (HIG) Hillsboro	X
AT&T Ohio	HIGHLAND	. (INDUVIV	x

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AT&T Ohio	HIGHLAND	Rainsboro	Х
T&T Ohio	HIGHLAND	Sugar Tree Ridge	x
T&T Ohio	HOCKING	Murray City	X
T&T Ohio T&T Ohio	JEFFERSON JEFFERSON	Mingo Junction Steubenville	X
T&T Ohio	JEFFERSON	Toronto	x
T&T Ohio	LAKE	Leroy	x
T&T Ohio	LAKE	Mentor	X
T&T Ohio	LAKE	Painesville	X
T&T Ohio	LAKE	Wickliffe	X
T&T Ohio	LAKE	Willoughby	X
T&T Ohio	LAWRENCE	Arabia	X
T&T Ohio T&T Ohio	LAWRENCE	Ironton	X
T&T Ohio	LUCAS	Maumee	x
T&T Ohio	LUCAS	Toledo	x
T&T Ohio	LUCAS	Whitehouse	x
T&T Ohio	MADISON	London	X
T&T Ohio	MADISON	Sedalia	X
T&T Ohio	MADISON	South Solon	х
T&T Ohio	MADISON	West Jefferson	x
T&T Ohio	MAHONING	Canfield	X
T&T Ohio T&T Ohio	MAHONING	Lowellville	x
T&T Ohio	MAHONING	North Jackson North Lima	Ŷ
T&T Ohio	MAHONING	Sebring	Ŷ
T&T Ohio	MAHONING	Youngstown	x
T&T Ohio	MIAMI	Fletcher-Lena	x
T&T Ohio	MIAMI	Piqua	x
T&T Ohio	MONROE	Beallsville	X
T&T Ohio	MONROE	Clarington	x
T&T Ohio	MONROE	Duffy	X
T&T Ohio	MONROE	Graysville	X
T&T Ohio	MONROE	Lewisville Woodsfield	X
T&T Ohio T&T Ohio	MONROE MONTGOMERY	Centerville [MOT]	X
T&T Ohio T&T Ohio	MONTGOMERY	Dayton	X
T&T Ohio	MONTGOMERY	Miamisburg-W.Carrollton	x
T&T Ohio	MONTGOMERY	Vandalia	Ŷ
T&T Ohio	MUSKINGUM	Dresden	x
T&T Ohio	MUSKINGUM	Fultonham	x
T&T Ohio	MUSKINGUM	Norwich	X
T&T Ohio	MUSKINGUM	Philo	X
T&T Ohio	MUSKINGUM	Zanesville	X
T&T Ohio	PERRY	Corning	X
T&T Ohio	PERRY	Glenford New Lexington	x
T&T Ohio T&T Ohio	PERRY	Roseville	Ŷ
T&T Ohio	PERRY	Shawnee	- Â
T&T Ohio	PERRY	Somerset	x
T&T Ohio	PERRY	Thornville	x
T&T Ohio	PICKAWAY	New Holland	x
T&T Ohio	PORTAGE	Atwater	х
T&T Ohio	PORTAGE	Kent	x
.T&T Ohio	PORTAGE	Mantua	X
T&T Ohio	PORTAGE	Mogadore	X
T&T Ohio	PORTAGE	Ravenna	X
T&T Ohio	PORTAGE	Rootstown	X
T&T Ohio	SANDUSKY	Fremont	X
T&T Ohio T&T Ohio	SANDUSKY SENECA	Lindsey Fostoria	X
T&T Ohio	SENECA	New Riegel	x
T&T Ohio	SENECA	Tiffin	x
T&T Ohio	STARK	Alliance	x
T&T Ohio	STARK	Canal Fulton	x
T&T Ohio	STARK	Canton	х
T&T Ohio	STARK	Hartville	x
T&T Ohio	STARK	Louisville	X
T&T Ohio	STARK	Magnolia-Waynesburg	X
T&T Ohio	STARK	Marlboro Massillon	X
T&T Ohio	STARK	Navarre	Ŷ
T&T Ohio T&T Ohio	STARK	North Canton	x
T&T Ohio	STARK	Uniontown	- î
T&T Ohio	SUMMIT	Akron	x
T&T Ohio	SUMMIT	Greensburg	x
T&T Ohio	SUMMIT	Manchester [SUM]	X
T&T Ohio	TRUMBULL	Girard	x
T&T Ohio	TRUMBULL	Hubbard	X
T&T Ohio	TRUMBULL	Kirtland	X
T&T Ohio	TRUMBULL	Niles	X
T&T Ohio T&T Ohio	TRUMBULL	Sharon Gnadenhutten	X
T&T Ohio T&T Ohio	TUSCARAWAS TUSCARAWAS	Gnadenhutten Newcomerstown	X
T&T Ohio	TUSCARAWAS	Uhrichsville	x
T&T Ohio	WARREN	Franklin	x
T&T Ohio	WASHINGTON	Belpre	x
T&T Ohio	WASHINGTON	Marietta	x
T&T Ohio	WASHINGTON	New Matamoras	X
T&T Ohio	WASHINGTON	Newport	X
T&T Ohio	WAYNE	Dalton	X
T&T Ohio	WOOD	Perrysburg	X
T&T Ohio	WYANDOT	Upper Sandusky	x
yersville ascom Mutual	DEFIANCE SENECA	Ayersville Bascom	
ascom Mutual enton Ridge	HANCOCK	Bascom Benton Ridge	
enton Ridge	HENRY	New Bavaria	
enton Ridge	PUTNAM	North Creek	
uckland	AUGLAIZE	Buckland	
C&S Telco	WILLIAMS	Cooney	
enturyTel dba CenturyLink	ERIE	Birmingham	
enturyTel dba CenturyLink	ERIE	Vermilion	
enturyTel dba CenturyLink	LORAIN	Amherst	
enturyTel dba CenturyLink	LORAIN	Avon	
enturyTel dba CenturyLink	LORAIN	Avon Lake	
enturyTel dba CenturyLink	LORAIN	Lorain	
hampaign	CHAMPAIGN	Terre Haute	
	CHAMPAIGN	Urbana	
hampaign hillicothe	ROSS	Bainbridge [ROS]	

Chillicothe	ROSS	Chillicothe	
Chillicothe	ROSS	Clarksburg	
Chillicothe	ROSS	Frankfort	
Chillicothe	ROSS	Hallsville	
Chillicothe	ROSS	Kingston	
Chillicothe	ROSS	Londonderry	
Chillicothe	ROSS	Massieville	
Chillicothe	ROSS	Richmondale	
Cincinnati Bell	BUTLER	Bethany-West Chester	
Cincinnati Bell	BUTLER	Hamilton	
Cincinnati Bell	BUTLER	Reily	
Cincinnati Bell	BUTLER	Seven Mile	
Cincinnati Bell	BUTLER	Shandon	
Cincinnati Bell	CLERMONT	Bethel	
Cincinnati Bell	CLERMONT	Clermont	
Cincinnati Bell	CLERMONT	Little Miami	
Cincinnati Bell	CLERMONT	Newtonsville	
Cincinnati Bell	CLERMONT	Williamsburg	
Cincinnati Bell	HAMILTON	Cincinnati	
Cincinnati Bell	HAMILTON	Harrison	
Columbus Grove	PUTNAM	Columbus Grove	
Conneaut	ASHTABULA	Conneaut	
Continental	PAULDING	Grover Hill	
Continental	PUTNAM	Continental	
Continental	PUTNAM	Miller City	
Doylestown	WAYNE	Doylestown	
Farmers Mutual	HENRY	Okolona	
Fort Jennings	PUTNAM	Fort Jennings	
Frontier North	ADAMS	Manchester [ADA]	)
rontier North	ADAMS	Peebles	)
rontier North	ADAMS	Seaman	)
Frontier North	ADAMS	West Union	)
rontier North	ALLEN	Spencerville	)
Frontier North	ASHLAND	Ashland	)
rontier North	ASHLAND	Hayesville	,
Frontier North	ASHLAND	Loudonville	,
Frontier North	ASHLAND	Perrysville	,
Frontier North	ASHLAND	Polk	,
Frontier North	ASHLAND	Redhaw	,
Frontier North	ASHLAND	Savannah	;
Frontier North	ATHENS	Albany	,
Frontier North	ATHENS	Amesville	;
rontier North	ATHENS	Athens	;
Frontier North	ATHENS	Guysville	;
Frontier North	ATHENS	New Marshfield	)
rontier North	ATHENS	Shade	)
Frontier North	ATHENS	The Plains	,
Frontier North	AUGLAIZE	Minster	,
Frontier North	AUGLAIZE	New Bremen	,
Frontier North	AUGLAIZE	St. Marys	
Frontier North	BELMONT	Flushing	,
Frontier North	BROWN	Decatur	;
Frontier North	BROWN	Georgetown	,
Frontier North	BROWN	Hamersville	,
Frontier North	BROWN	Higginsport	ź
Frontier North	BROWN	Mount Orab	ź
Frontier North	BROWN	Russellville	ź
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Frontier North	BROWN	Sardinia	;
Frontier North	BUTLER	Morning Sun	
Frontier North	BUTLER	Oxford	?
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	CARROLL	Dellroy	;
Frontier North	CARROLL	Harlem Springs	
Frontier North	CARROLL	Malvern	
Frontier North	CARROLL	Mechanicstown	<u> </u>
Frontier North	CHAMPAIGN	Mechanicsburg	>
Frontier North	CHAMPAIGN	Woodstock	
rontier North	CLARK	Catawba	
Frontier North	CLERMONT	Felicity	)
Frontier North	CLINTON	Blanchester	
Frontier North	CLINTON	Clarksville	
Frontier North	CLINTON	Martinsville	)
Frontier North	CLINTON	New Burlington	
Frontier North	CLINTON	New Vienna	
rontier North	CLINTON	Port William	
Frontier North	CLINTON	Sabina	
rontier North	CLINTON	Wilmington	
rontier North	COLUMBIANA	East Rochester	<u> </u>
rontier North	COLUMBIANA	Hanoverton	
rontier North	COLUMBIANA	North Georgetown	>
rontier North	COLUMBIANA	Winona	?
rontier North	COSHOCTON	Cooperdale	}
Frontier North	COSHOCTON	Warsaw	
Frontier North	CRAWFORD	Crestline	
Frontier North	CRAWFORD	Galion	)
Frontier North	CRAWFORD	New Washington	?
rontier North	DARKE	North Star	)
rontier North	DARKE	Yorkshire	?
rontier North	DEFIANCE	Hicksville	?
rontier North	DEFIANCE	Ney	}
rontier North	DELAWARE	Ashley	
rontier North	DELAWARE	Cheshire Center	?
rontier North	DELAWARE	Delaware	)
rontier North	DELAWARE	Kilbourne	
rontier North	DELAWARE	Ostrander	)
rontier North	DELAWARE	Radnor	)
rontier North	DELAWARE	Rathbone	)
Frontier North	ERIE	Berlin Heights	)
Frontier North	ERIE	Huron	)
Frontier North	ERIE	Kelleys Island	,
Frontier North	ERIE	Milan	;
Frontier North	FAIRFIELD	Amanda	Ś
Frontier North	FAIRFIELD	Baltimore	;
Frontier North	FAIRFIELD	Bremen	;
Frontier North	FAIRFIELD	Millersport	;
	FAIRFIELD	Pleasantville Fayette	
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rontier North	FULTON		
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Frontier North	HANCOCK	Jenera	x
rontier North	HANCOCK	McComb	X
rontier North	HANCOCK	Mount Blanchard	X
rontier North	HANCOCK	Rawson	X
Frontier North	HARDIN	Van Buren Forest	- Â
Frontier North	HARRISON	Bowerston	x
rontier North	HARRISON	Cadiz	x
Frontier North	HARRISON	Freeport	x
rontier North	HARRISON	Jewett	X
Frontier North	HARRISON	Scio	x
rontier North	HIGHLAND	Greenfield	X
Frontier North	HIGHLAND	Leesburg	X
-rontier North Frontier North	HIGHLAND	Lynchburg Mowrystown	x
Frontier North	HIGHLAND	Sinking Spring	x
Frontier North	HOCKING	Laurelville	x
Frontier North	HOCKING	Logan	x
rontier North	HOLMES	Berlin	x
Frontier North	HOLMES	Lakeville	x
Frontier North	HURON	Bellevue	X
rontier North	HURON	Greenwich	x
rontier North	HURON	Monroeville	X
Frontier North	HURON	New London	X
Frontier North	HURON	Norwalk Wakeman	x
Frontier North	HURON	Willard	- Â
Frontier North	JACKSON	Jackson	x
Frontier North	JACKSON	Oak Hill	x
rontier North	JACKSON	Wellston	x
rontier North	JEFFERSON	Adena	X
Frontier North	JEFFERSON	Amsterdam	X
Frontier North	JEFFERSON	Bergholz	x
rontier North	JEFFERSON	Brilliant	X
Frontier North	JEFFERSON	Dillonvale-Mt. Pleasant	X
Frontier North	JEFFERSON	Knoxville Richmond	x
-rontier North Frontier North	JEFFERSON	Smithfield	x
-rontier North	JEFFERSON	Tiltonsville	x
Frontier North	LAWRENCE	Chesapeake	x
rontier North	LORAIN	Grafton	x
Frontier North	LORAIN	North Eaton	x
Frontier North	LORAIN	Oberlin	X
rontier North	LORAIN	Wellington	X
rontier North	LUCAS	Curtice-Oregon	X
rontier North	LUCAS	Sylvania	X
rontier North	MADISON	Resaca	x
Frontier North	MARION	Green Camp Larue	X
Frontier North	MARION	Marion	x
Frontier North	MARION	Morral	x
rontier North	MARION	Prospect	X
Frontier North	MARION	Waldo	x
rontier North	MEDINA	Brunswick	X
Frontier North	MEDINA	Chatham	X
rontier North	MEDINA	Homerville	X
rontier North	MEDINA	Lodi	X
rontier North	MEDINA	Medina	X
Frontier North	MEDINA	Seville Sharan Cantar	X
Frontier North	MEDINA	Sharon Center Spencer	- Â
Frontier North	MEDINA	Valley City	x
Frontier North	MEDINA	Wadsworth	x
rontier North	MEDINA	Westfield Center	x
Frontier North	MEIGS	Letart Falls	X
rontier North	MEIGS	Pomeroy	X
rontier North	MEIGS	Portland	X
rontier North	MERCER	Celina	X
rontier North	MERCER	Coldwater	X
rontier North	MERCER	Fort Recovery	X
Frontier North	MERCER	Maria Stein Mendon	x
Frontier North	MAMI	Laura	x
rontier North	MIAMI	Tipp City	x
rontier North	MIAMI	Troy	x
rontier North	MIAMI	West Milton	X
Frontier North	MONTGOMERY	Brookville	X
rontier North	MONTGOMERY	Englewood	X
rontier North	MONTGOMERY	Farmersville	X
Frontier North	MONTGOMERY	Liberty New Lebapop	X
rontier North	MONTGOMERY MONTGOMERY	New Lebanon Phillipsburg	x
-rontier North Frontier North	MONTGOMERY	Trotwood	x
Frontier North	MUSKINGUM	New Concord	x
Frontier North	NOBLE	Caldwell	x
Frontier North	NOBLE	Dexter City	x
rontier North	NOBLE	Summerfield	x
rontier North	OTTAWA	Elmore	x
rontier North	OTTAWA	Genoa	X
rontier North	OTTAWA	Marblehead	X
Frontier North	OTTAWA	Oak Harbor	X
Frontier North	OTTAWA	Port Clinton Put-In-Bay	X
Frontier North	PAULDING	Antwerp	x
Frontier North	PAULDING	Payne	x
rontier North	PICKAWAY	Ashville	x
rontier North	PICKAWAY	Circleville	X
rontier North	PICKAWAY	Williamsport	x
rontier North	PIKE	Beaver	X
rontier North	PIKE	Idaho	X
rontier North	PIKE	Piketon	X
rontier North	PIKE	Waverly	x
rontier North	PORTAGE	Garrettsville	X
rontier North	PREBLE	Gratis	X
rontier North	PREBLE	Lewisburg	X
rontier North	PREBLE	West Alexandria	X
rontier North	RICHLAND	Plymouth	X
rontier North	SANDUSKY	Clyde	X
Frontier North	SANDUSKY	Gibsonburg	

Frontier North	SCIOTO	Portsmouth	x
Frontier North	SENECA	Attica	x
Frontier North	SENECA	Bettsville	х
Frontier North	SENECA	Bloomville	х
rontier North	SENECA	Republic	X
Frontier North	STARK STARK	Beach City Brewster	X
Frontier North	STARK	Minerva	Ŷ
Frontier North	STARK	Paris	X
Frontier North	STARK	Wilmot	х
Frontier North	SUMMIT	Montrose [SUM]	х
Frontier North	TUSCARAWAS	Baltic	х
Frontier North	TUSCARAWAS	Bolivar	x
rontier North	TUSCARAWAS	Mineral City	X
Frontier North	TUSCARAWAS	New Philadelphia	X
Frontier North	TUSCARAWAS	Strasburg Sugarcreek	Ŷ
Frontier North	UNION	Plain City	â
Frontier North	UNION	Richwood	x
Frontier North	VAN WERT	Convoy	x
Frontier North	VAN WERT	Ohio City	X
Frontier North	VAN WERT	Scott	х
Frontier North	VAN WERT	Willshire-Wren	х
Frontier North	VINTON	McArthur	х
rontier North	VINTON	Wilkesville	X
Frontier North	WASHINGTON	Barlow	X
Frontier North	WASHINGTON	Beverly	x
Frontier North	WASHINGTON	Lower Salem	â
Frontier North	WASHINGTON	Watertown	Ŷ
Frontier North	WAYNE	Burbank	x
rontier North	WAYNE	Congress	x
rontier North	WAYNE	Creston	х
Frontier North	WAYNE	West Salem	х
rontier North	WILLIAMS	Bryan	х
rontier North	WILLIAMS	Edgerton	X
Frontier North	WILLIAMS	Edon	X
Frontier North	WILLIAMS	Evansport	X
Frontier North	WILLIAMS	Montpelier Pioneer	X
rontier North	WILLIAMS	West Unity	Ŷ
Frontier North	WOOD	Bowling Green	â
Frontier North	WOOD	Grand Rapids	x
Frontier North	WOOD	Haskins-Tontogany	Х
Frontier North	WOOD	North Baltimore	х
Frontier North	WOOD	Pemberville	X
rontier North	WOOD	Wayne-Bradner	X
Frontier North	WOOD	Weston	X
rontier North	WYANDOT WYANDOT	Carey Harpster	x
Frontier North	WYANDOT	Nevada	Ŷ
Frontier North	WYANDOT	Wharton	x
Germantown	MONTGOMERY	Germantown	
Glandorf	PUTNAM	Glandorf	1
Kalida	PUTNAM	Kalida	1
_ittle Miami	BROWN	Fayetteville	
ittle Miami	WARREN	Butlerville	_
AcClure	HENRY	McClure	-
Middle Point Home	VAN WERT	Middle Point	-
/linford	SCIOTO	Minford	-
New Knoxville	AUGLAIZE	New Knoxville Nova	-
Nova	ASHLAND	Sullivan	1
Dakwood	PAULDING	Oakwood	1
Drwell	ASHTABULA	Colebrook	1
Drwell	ASHTABULA	Orwell	1
Drwell	ASHTABULA	Windsor	
Drwell	HANCOCK	Mount Cory	
Drwell	PUTNAM	Belmore	-
Drwell	PUTNAM	Gilboa	-
Drwell	PUTNAM	Leipsic	-
Drwell Drwell	PUTNAM	Pandora North Bloomfield	-
Drweii Dttoville Mutual	PUTNAM	Cloverdale	-
Dttoville Mutual	PUTNAM	Ottoville	1
Pattersonville	CARROLL	Pattersonville	1
Ridgeville	HENRY	Ridgeville Corners	1
Sherwood Mutual	DEFIANCE	Sherwood	1
Sycamore	SENECA	McCutcheonville	_
Sycamore	SENECA	Melmore	-
Sycamore	WYANDOT	Sycamore	-
elephone Service Co	AUGLAIZE	Cridersville	-
elephone Service Co Jnited of Indiana	AUGLAIZE	Wapakoneta Union City	-
Jnited of Indiana Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ALLEN	Beaverdam	x
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ALLEN	Bluffton	â
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ALLEN	Cairo	î.
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ALLEN	Delphos	x
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ALLEN	Elida	Х
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ALLEN	Gomer	Х
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ALLEN	Lafayette	X
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ALLEN	Lima	X
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ALLEN	Westminster	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ASHTABULA	Andover Jefferson	X
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ASHTABULA	New Lyme	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	ATHENS	Glouster	â
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	AUGLAIZE	Waynesfield	î.
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	CHAMPAIGN	North Lewisburg	î.
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	CHAMPAIGN	Rosewood	x
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	CRAWFORD	Bucyrus	x
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	CRAWFORD	Chatfield	х
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	CRAWFORD	Lykens	х
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	CRAWFORD	New Winchester	х
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	DARKE	Ansonia	х
	DARKE	Arcanum	х
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		Bradford Gettysburg Greenville	X X X

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Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	DARKE	Versailles	- î
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	DEFIANCE	Defiance	x
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	DEFIANCE	Jewell	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	DELAWARE FULTON	Sunbury Archbold	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	FULTON	Lyons	- x
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	FULTON	Metamora	- x
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	FULTON	Swanton	x
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	FULTON	Wauseon	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HARDIN	Ada	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HARDIN HARDIN	Alger Dunkirk	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HARDIN	Mount Victory	Ŷ
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HARDIN	Ridgeway	x
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HENRY	Deshler	х
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HENRY	Florida	x
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HENRY	Gerald	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HENRY HENRY	Grelton-Malinta Hamler	X
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HENRY	Holgate	- î
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HENRY	Liberty Center	x
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HENRY	Napoleon	x
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HOLMES	Big Prairie	X
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HOLMES	Glenmont	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HOLMES	Holmesville	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	HOLMES	Killbuck	X
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Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	KNOX	Centerburg	Ŷ
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	KNOX	Danville [KNO]	x
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	KNOX	Fredericktown	x
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	KNOX	Gambier	X
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	KNOX	Martinsburg	X
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	KNOX	Mount Vernon	X
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LICKING	Alexandria Croton	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LICKING	Hebron	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LICKING	Johnstown	- x
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LICKING	Pataskala	x
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LICKING	Utica-Homer	x
Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LOGAN	Belle Center	X
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Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LOGAN	De Graff	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LOGAN	East Liberty Huntsville	X
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LOGAN	Rushsylvania	Ŷ
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Inited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LOGAN	West Liberty	x
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LOGAN	West Mansfield	х
Jnited Telephone dba CenturyLink	LUCAS	Richfield Center-Berkey	x
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PROPOSED INTERACTION WITH CUSTOMERS

**EXHIBIT F-5 – PUBLIC INTEREST STATEMENT** 

#### **PUBLIC INTEREST STATEMENT**

The Commission's grant of Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC's application will serve the public interest. Competition in telecommunications markets previously served by a single provider will bring great benefit to the people of the State of Ohio because it will lead to efficient pricing, improved service quality, expanded product and service capabilities, and greater reliability. Competition will be further enhanced by the greater efficiencies and more rapid introduction of new technologies in the use of telecommunications service. The granting of a certificate of convenience and necessity to the Applicant will enhance competition and will be in the public interest.

Commission authorization of the Applicant to operate as Non-BLES Competitive Local Exchange Carrier will result in an increase in the diversity of the supply of existing and future telecommunications services and products in the Ohio telecommunications market. Increased choices among providers will promote competitively driven cost-based rates for telecommunications services. Accordingly, Commission grant of the Applicant's application is in the public interest because it will enhance competition, thereby generating the benefits that result from competition such as a more efficient, innovative, technologically advanced, and a diversified telecommunications industry in the State of Ohio.

# **EXHIBIT G**

PROPOSED ACCESS TARIFF

# TITLE PAGE

This tariff applies to Access Services furnished by Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC between one or more points within the State of Ohio. This tariff is on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio and copies may be inspected, during normal business hours, at Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC, 649 Kintner Parkway North, Sunbury, OH 43074-8038.

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# **CONCURRING CARRIERS**

None

# **CONNECTING CARRIERS**

None

## **OTHER PARTICIPATING CARRIERS**

None

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# **SYMBOLS**

The following are the only symbols used for the purposes indicated below:

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- (I) Change resulting in an increase to a customer's bill
- (M) Moved from another tariff location
- (N) New
- (R) Change resulting in a reduction to a customer's bill
- (T) Change in text or regulation but no change in rate or charge

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## **SECTION 1 - TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS**

Access - as used in this tariff means an arrangement which connects the Customer's or Subscriber's telecommunications service to the Underlying Carrier's designated point of presence or network switching center.

Access Code - Denotes a uniform code assigned by the Company to an individual Customer. The code has the form 101XXXX, 950-0XXX, or 950-1XXX.

**Authorized User** – A person, corporation or other entity who is authorized by the Company's customer to utilize service provided by the Company to the Customer. The Customer is responsible for all charges incurred by an Authorized User.

**Access Minutes** – Denotes that usage of exchange facilities in intrastate service for the purpose of calculating chargeable usage.

**Access Tandem** – A switching system that provides a traffic concentration and distribution function for originating or terminating traffic between end offices and a Customer's premises.

**Answer Supervision -** The transmission of the switch trunk equipment supervisory signal (off-hook or on-hook) to the Customer's point of termination as an indication that the called party has answered or disconnected.

**Call** - A Customer attempt for which the complete address code is provided to the service end office.

**Carrier or Common Carrier** – Any individual, partnership, association, corporation or other entity engaged in intrastate communication for hire by wire or radio between two or more exchanges.

**Carrier-to-Carrier** - a wholesale provider where the Company is a communications Carrier and the Customer is a communications Carrier.

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# SECTION 1 - TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS (con't)

**Central Office** – A local Company switching system where exchange service Customer station loops are terminated for purposes of interconnection to each other and to trunks.

**Channel** – A communications path between two or more points of termination. **Commission** - means the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

**Communications System** - Denotes channels and other facilities which are capable of communications between terminal equipment provided by other than the Company

**Company** - means Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC, unless otherwise specified in this tariff.

**Customer** - The person, firm, corporation or other entity which orders service and is responsible for payment of charges due and compliance with the Company's tariff regulations.

**Customer Designated Premises** – The premises specified by the Customer for termination of Access Services.

**Dual Tone Multifrequency (DTMF)** - Tone signaling, also known as touch tone signaling.

**Delinquent** - means a payment for a billing for services provided, which is not in dispute, where payment is not received on or before the due date as posted on the bill.

**End Office Switch** – A Company switching system where exchange service Customer station loops are terminated for purposes of interconnection to each other and to trunks.

**End User -** Any Customer of an interstate telecommunications service that is not a Carrier or Common Carrier, except that a Carrier shall be deemed to be an End User when such Carrier uses a telecommunications service for administrative purposes. A person or entity that offers telecommunications service exclusively as a reseller shall be deemed to be an End User if all resale transmissions offered by such reseller originate on the premises of such reseller when making such service available to others, directly or indirectly.

**Entry Switch** – First point of switching.

**Exchange** - A group of lines in a unit generally smaller than a LATA established by the Company for the administration of communications service in a specified area. An Exchange may consist of one or more central offices together with the associated facilities used in furnishing communications service within that area.

**Facilities** – Denotes any cable, poles, conduit, carrier equipment, wire center distribution frames, central office switching equipment, etc., utilized to provide the service offered under this Tariff.

**First Point of Switching -** The first Company location at which switching occurs on the terminating path of a call proceeding from the Customer premises to the terminating end office and, at the same time, the last Company location at which switching occurs on the originating path of a call proceeding from the originating end office to the Customer premises.

**Individual Case Basis (ICB)** - A service arrangement for private line or private circuit services the Company will make available to Customers in a non-discriminatory manner. Rates for interexchange dedicated access, private line or circuit, non-switched services will be determined on an Individual Customer Basis (ICB). ICB rates will be structured to recover the Company's cost of providing the service and will be made available to Commission Staff upon request on a proprietary basis. ICB rates will not be used for switched services.

**Interstate Communications -** Any communications with that crosses over a state boundary. Interstate Communications includes interstate and international communications.

# SECTION 1 - TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS (con't)

**Intrastate Communications -** Any communication which originates and terminates within the same state and is subject to oversight by a state regulatory commission as provided by the laws of the state involved.

**IXC** means interexchange carrier or interexchange company which is a carrier or company authorized by the Commission to provide long distance communications services, but not local exchange services, within the State of Ohio borders.

**Local Access and Transport Area (LATA)** - A geographic area established for the provision and administration of communications service. A LATA encompasses designated exchanges, which are grouped to serve common social, economic and other purposes.

**Local Calling Area -** A geographical area, as defined in the Company's local or general exchange service Tariff in which an End User may complete a call without incurring toll usage charges.

**Message** – A Message is a Call as defined above.

**Off-Hook** – The active condition of Switched Access Service or a telephone exchange line.

**On-Hook** – The idle condition of Switched Access Service or a telephone exchange line.

**Originating Direction** – The use of Switched Access Service for the origination of calls from an End User premises to a carrier's premises.

**Point of presence - ("POP") -** means the location where an IXC has transmission equipment in a service area that serves as, or relays calls to, the interexchange network.

# SECTION 1 - TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS (con't)

**Point of Termination -** The point of demarcation within a Customer-designated premises at which the Company's responsibility for the provision of access service ends. The point of demarcation is the point of interconnection between Company communications facilities and Customer-provided facilities as defined in Part 68 of the Federal Communications Commission's Rules and Regulations.

**Premises -** A building or buildings on contiguous property, not separated by a public highway or right- of-way.

Service - means the offering of telecommunications for a fee to other telecommunication carriers

**Serving Wire Center** – The wire center from which the Customer-designated premises normally obtains dial tone from the Company.

**Special Access Circuit** – The physical pathway for transmission of information between a dedicated originating point and a dedicated terminating point.

**Telecommunications service -** means the transmission of voice communications or, subject to the transmission capabilities of the services, the transmission of data, facsimile, signaling, metering, or other similar communications.

**Terminating Direction** – The use of Switched Access Service for the completion of calls from a carrier's premises to an End User premises.

**Transmission Path** – An electrical path capable of transmitting signals within the range of the service offering. A transmission path is comprised of physical or derived facilities consisting of any form or configuration of plant used in the telecommunications industry.

# SECTION 1 - TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS (con't)

**Trunk** – A communications path connecting two switching in systems in a network, used in the establishment of connections between switching systems in which all of the communications paths are interchangeable.

**Trunk Group** – A set of trunks which are traffic engineered as a unit for the establishment of connections between switching systems in which all of the communications paths are interchangeable.

**Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic** – A Customer's interexchange voice traffic exchanged with the Telephone Company in Time Division Multiplexing format over PSTN facilities, which originates and/or terminates in Internet Protocol (IP) format. "Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic" originates and/or terminates in IP format when it originates from and/or terminates to an End User Customer of a service that requires IP-compatible Customer Premises Equipment.

**Underlying carrier(s)** - Means the provider of facilities utilized by a wholesaler in the provisioning of its interexchange service to its customers.

**Wire Center** – A physical location in which one or more central offices, used for the provision of exchange services, are located.

# SECTION 2 – APPLICATION AND SCOPE OF TARIFF

### 2.1 Application of Tariff

This Tariff contains regulations, rates and charges applicable to the provision of competitive access tandem telecommunications services by Vision Concept Technology LLC dba Vision CTS LLC, hereinafter referred to as the "Company", with its principal address at 649 Kintner Parkway North, Sunbury, OH 43074-8038 for communications within the State of Ohio. This Tariff is on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio and copies may be inspected during normal business hours at the Company's principal place of business at 649 Kintner Parkway North, Sunbury, OHio, 43074-8038.

The company may, from time to time and in particular circumstances provide discounts or promotional offerings or otherwise waive or modify these general rates and regulation for potential customers, in conformance with this Tariff and the rules, regulations and order of the Commission.

# 2.2 Scope

Company's services are provided subject to the availability of facilities and subject to the terms and conditions of this tariff. All services within the jurisdiction of the Commission provided by Company between and among points in Ohio are governed by this tariff.

# **2.3** Interconnection with Other Carriers

Service provided by Company may be connected with services or facilities of other carriers or may be provided over facilities provided by carriers other than Company. However, service provided by Company is not a part of a joint undertaking with any other carrier providing telecommunications channels, facilities, or services.

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## **SECTION 3 - RULES AND REGULATIONS**

## 3.1 USE OF FACILITIES AND SERVICE

# 3.1.1 Use of Service

- A) Service may be used for any lawful purpose by the Customer.
- B) The Customer obtains no property right or interest in the use of any specific type of facility, service, equipment, number, process, or code. All right, title and interest to such items remain, at all times, solely with the Company.
- C) Recording of telephone conversations of service provided by the Company under this Tariff is prohibited except as authorized by applicable federal, state and local laws.
- D) Any service provided under this Tariff may be resold to or shared (jointly used) with other persons at the Customer's option. The Customer remains solely responsible for all use of service ordered by it or billed to its account(s) pursuant to this Tariff, for determining who is authorized to use its service, and for promptly notifying the Company of any unauthorized use. The Customer may advise its Customers that a portion of its service is provided by the Company, but the Customer shall not represent that the Company jointly participates with the Customer in the provision of the service.

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## 3.1 USE OF FACILITIES AND SERVICE (Cont'd)

### 3.1.2 Limitations

- A) Service is offered subject to the availability of the necessary facilities and/or equipment and subject to the provisions of this Tariff. The Company may decline applications for service to or from a location where the necessary facilities or equipment are not available. The Company may discontinue furnishing service in accordance with the terms of this Tariff.
- B) The Company reserves the right to discontinue or limit service when necessitated by conditions beyond its control (examples of these conditions are more fully set forth elsewhere in this Tariff), or when service is used in violation of provisions of this Tariff or the law.
- C) The Company does not undertake to transmit messages, but offers the use of its service when available, and, as more fully set forth elsewhere in this Tariff, shall not be liable for errors in transmission or for failure to establish connections.
- D) The Company reserves the right to discontinue service, limit service, or to impose requirements as required to meet changing regulatory or statutory rules and standards, or when such rules and standards have an adverse material effect on the business or economic feasibility of providing service, as determined by the Company in its reasonable judgment.
- E) The Company reserves the right to refuse an application for service made by a present or former Customer who is indebted to the Company for service previously rendered pursuant to this Tariff until the indebtedness is satisfied.

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#### **3.1** USE OF FACILITIES AND SERVICE (Cont'd)

#### 3.1.3 Use and Ownership of Equipment

The Company's equipment, apparatus, channels and lines shall be carefully used. Equipment furnished by the Company shall remain its property and shall be returned to the Company whenever requested, within a reasonable period following the request, in good condition (subject to reasonable wear and tear). The Customer is required to reimburse the Company for any loss of, or damage to, the facilities or equipment on the Customer's premises, including loss or damage caused by agents, employees or independent contractors of the Customer through any negligence.

### **3.2 MINIMUM PERIOD OF SERVICE**

The minimum period for which services are provided and for which rates and charges are applicable is one month unless otherwise specified. When a service is discontinued prior to the expiration of the minimum period, charges are applicable, whether the service is used or not.

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## **3.3 PAYMENT FOR SERVICE RENDERED**

- 3.3.1 Service is provided and billed on a monthly basis. Bills are due and payable upon receipt.
  In the event that the Company incurs fees or expenses, including attorney's fees, collecting, or attempting to collect, any charges owed to the Company, the Company may charge the Customer all such fees and expenses reasonably incurred. Collection fees on overdue charges shall begin to accrue when the Account is assigned to an outside collection agency. Such collection fees are separate and distinct from attorney's fees and other costs incurred in collecting charges owed to the Company.
- **3.3.2** The Customer is responsible for payment of all charges for service furnished to the Customer, or the Customer's agents, End Users or Customers. All charges due by the Customer are payable to the Company or to the Company's authorized billing agent. Any objections to billed charges should be reported promptly to the Company.
- **3.3.3** The Company reserves the right to assess a charge of \$20.00 whenever a check or draft presented for payment of service is not accepted by the institution upon which it is written. The foregoing shall not limit the Company's right to discontinue service for returned checks or drafts.
- **3.3.4** Application of Late Payment Charge

Late payment charges do not apply to final accounts.

## **3.4 DEPOSITS**

- 3.4.1 The Company reserves the right to examine the credit record of the Customer. If the Customer's financial condition is unknown or unacceptable to the Company, the Customer may be required to provide the Company with a security deposit which the Company may apply against overdue charges. The amount of the security deposit shall be equal to two month's estimated usage but may vary with the Customer's credit history and projected usage. The Customer shall be apprised that after one year of service the Account shall be reviewed, and in the event that all amounts due have been paid within the terms and conditions of this Tariff, the deposit shall be refunded in full. If subsequent payment or usage patterns change, the Company may request an increase in or resubmission of the security deposit as appropriate. The Company may also require a security deposit before service is restored (along with the payment of overdue charges) from the Customer whose service has been discontinued for nonpayment of overdue charges. Such security deposit may be based on a new credit history (taking into account the discontinuance of service) and estimates of usage.
- **3.4.2** The fact that a security deposit has been made in no way relieves the Customer from the prompt payment of bills upon presentation.
- **3.4.3** If the amount of a deposit is proven to be less than required to meet the requirements specified above, the Customer shall be required to pay an additional deposit upon request.
- **3.4.4** When a deposit is to be returned, the Customer may request that the full amount of the deposit be issued by check. If the Customer requests that the full amount be credited to amounts owed the Company, the Company will apply the deposit to any amount currently owed to the Company, and return any remaining amount of the deposit to the Customer by check.

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## **3.5 ADVANCE PAYMENTS**

The Company reserves the right to require an advance payment from the Customer instead of or in addition to a security deposit. The advance payment shall be in an amount equal to or less than estimated installation charges plus two months estimated billing.

### **3.6 DISPUTED BILLS**

In the case of a billing dispute between the Customer and the Company for service furnished to the Customer, which cannot be settled with mutual satisfaction, the Customer may, within (90) days of the date of the bill containing the disputed amount, request an in-depth investigation and review of the disputed amount. The Company shall comply with the request. The undisputed portion and subsequent bills must be paid on a timely basis. The Company shall communicate to the Customer the results of such investigation and review as soon as reasonably possible. If the dispute notification is not made within ninety (90) days of the bill date, the bill will be considered final. If the Customer and the Company are unable to resolve the dispute to their mutual satisfaction the customer may file a complaint with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio in accordance with the Commission's rules and procedure at:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 E. Broad St. Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

> (800)-686-7826 (voice) (800)-686-1570 (TDD) (614) 752-8351 (Fax)

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## 3.7 INSPECTION, TESTING AND ADJUSTMENT

- **3.7.1** The Company may, upon reasonable notice, make such tests and inspections as may be necessary to determine whether the terms and conditions of this Tariff are being complied with in the installation, operation or maintenance of the Customer's or the Company's facilities or equipment. The Company may interrupt service at any time, without penalty or liability, due to the departure from or reasonable suspicion of the departure from any of these terms and conditions.
- **3.7.2** The Customer shall be responsible for making arrangements or obtaining permission for safe and reasonable access for Company employees or agents of the Company to enter the premises of the Customer or any joint user or Customer of the Customer at any reasonable hour for the purpose of inspecting, repairing, testing or removing any part of the Company's facilities.
- **3.7.3** Upon reasonable notice, the facilities or equipment provided by the Company shall be made available to the Company for such tests and adjustments as may be necessary for their maintenance in a condition satisfactory to the Company. No interruption allowance shall be granted for the time during which such tests and adjustments are made, unless such interruption exceeds twenty-four hours in length and is requested by the Customer.

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## 3.8 SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION OF SERVICE

#### **3.8.1** Suspension or Termination for Nonpayment

In the event that any bill rendered or any deposit required is not paid, the Company may suspend service or terminate service until the bill or the required deposit has been paid. If service is suspended or terminated for nonpayment, the Customer must remit a Connection Charge as well as any payment due and any applicable deposits prior to re-connection.

Suspension or termination shall not be made until:

- A) At least thirty (30) days after written notification has been served personally on the Customer, or at least twenty (20) days after written notification has been mailed to the billing address of the Customer or;
- B) At least thirty (30) days after the Customer has either signed for or refused a registered letter containing written notification mailed to the billing address of the Customer.

Access service shall not be suspended or terminated for nonpayment on weekends, public holidays, other federal and state holidays proclaimed by the President or the Governor, or on days when the main business office of the Company is not open for business.

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#### **3.8.2** Exceptions to Suspension and Termination

Access service shall not be suspended or terminated for:

- A) Nonpayment of bills rendered for charges other than access service or deposits requested in connection with access service;
- B) Nonpayment for service for which a bill has not been rendered;
- C) Nonpayment for service which have not been rendered;
- D) Nonpayment of any billed charge which is in dispute or for the nonpayment of a deposit which is in dispute during the period before a determination of the dispute is made by the Company in accordance with Company's complaint handling procedures.
- E) Access service may be suspended or terminated for nonpayment of the undisputed portion of a disputed bill or deposit if the Customer does not pay the undisputed portion after being asked to do so.

#### **3.8.3** Verification of Nonpayment

Access service shall not be suspended or terminated for nonpayment of a bill rendered or a required deposit unless the Company has verified, in a manner approved by the Commission, that payment has not been received at any office of the Company or at any office of an authorized collection agent through the end of the period indicated in the notice.

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#### **3.8** SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION OF SERVICE (Cont'd)

### **3.8.4** Termination For Cause Other Than Nonpayment

A) General

The Company, after notice in writing to the Customer and after having given the Customer an appropriate opportunity to respond to such notice, may terminate service and sever the connection(s) from the Customer's premises under the following conditions:

- 1. in the event of prohibited, unlawful or improper use of the facilities or service, or any other violation by the Customer of the rules and regulations governing the facilities and service furnished, or
- 2. if, in the judgment of the Company, any use of the facilities or service by the Customer may adversely affect the Company's personnel, plant, property or service. The Company shall have the right to take immediate action, including termination of the service and severing of the connection, without notice to the Customer when injury or damage to telephone personnel, plant, property or service is occurring, or is likely to occur, or
- 3. in the event of unauthorized use, where the Customer fails to take reasonable steps to prevent the unauthorized use of the facilities or service received from the Company, or
- 4. in the event that service is connected for a Customer who is indebted to the Company for service or facilities previously furnished, that service may be terminated by the Company unless the Customer satisfies the indebtedness within twenty (20) days after written notification.

B) Prohibited, Unlawful or Improper Use of the Facilities or Service

Prohibited, unlawful or improper use of the facilities or service includes, but is not limited to:

- 1. The use of facilities or service of the Company without payment of Tariff charges;
- 2. Permitting fraudulent use.
- C) Abandonment or Unauthorized Use of Facilities
  - 1. If it is determined that facilities have been abandoned, or are being used by unauthorized persons, or that the Customer has failed to take reasonable steps to prevent unauthorized use, the Company may terminate access service.
  - 2. In the event that access service is terminated for abandonment of facilities or unauthorized use and service is subsequently restored to the same Customer at the same location:

a. No charge shall apply for the period during which service had been terminated, and

b. Reconnection charges will apply when service is restored. However, no charge shall be made for reconnection if the service was terminated due to an error on the part of the Company.

#### **3.8** SUSPENSION OR TERMINATION OF SERVICE (Cont'd)

D) Change in the Company's Ability to Secure Access

Any change in the Company's ability (a) to secure and retain suitable facilities and rights for the construction and maintenance of the necessary circuits and equipment or (b) to secure and retain suitable space for its plant and facilities in the building where service is provided to the Customer may require termination of a Customer's service until such time as new arrangements can be made. No charges will be assessed the Customer while service is terminated, and no connection charges will apply when the service is restored.

#### **3.8.5 Emergency Termination of Service**

The Company will immediately terminate the service of any Customer, on request, when the Customer has reasonable belief that the service is being used by an unauthorized person or persons. The Company may require that the request be submitted in writing as a follow-up to a request made by telephone.

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## **3.9 OBLIGATIONS OF THE CUSTOMER**

#### 3.9.1 Damages

The Customer shall reimburse the Company for damages to Company facilities utilized to provide services under this Tariff caused by the negligence or willful act of the Customer, or resulting from improper use of the Company's facilities, or due to malfunction of any facilities or equipment provided by other than the Company, except that no Customer shall be liable for another Customer's actions.

### **3.9.2** Ownership of Facilities

Facilities utilized by the Company to provide service under the provisions of this Tariff shall remain the property of the Company. Such facilities shall be returned to the Company by the Customer, whenever requested, within a reasonable period following the request in as good condition as reasonable wear permits.

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## **3.9 OBLIGATIONS OF THE CUSTOMER (Cont'd)**

#### **3.9.3** Equipment Space and Power

The Customer shall furnish to the Company, at no charge, equipment space and electrical power required by the Company to provide services under this Tariff at the points of termination of such services. The selection of AC or DC power shall be mutually agreed to by the Customer and the Company. The Customer shall make necessary arrangements in order that the Company will have access to such spaces at reasonable times for installation, testing, repair, maintenance or removal of Company service.

#### 3.9.4 Testing

The services provided under this Tariff shall be made available to the Company at mutually agreed upon times in order to permit the Company to test, adjust and maintain the services in satisfactory operating condition. No credit will be allowed for any interruption during such tests and adjustments.

#### **3.9.5** Design of Customer Services

The Customer shall be responsible for its own expense for the overall design of its services and for any redesigning or rearrangements of its services which may be required because of changes in facilities, operations or procedures of the Company, minimum protection criteria or operating or maintenance characteristics of the facilities.

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#### SECTION 3 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (Cont'd)

# 3.9.6 Network Contingency Coordination

The Customer shall, in cooperation with the Company, coordinate in planning the actions to be taken to maintain maximum network capability following natural or man-made disasters which affect telecommunications service.

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## **3.9 OBLIGATIONS OF THE CUSTOMER (Cont'd)**

#### **3.9.7** Jurisdictional Reports

For Switched Access services, the Company will use the percentage of interstate originating Feature Group D usage to determine the Percent of Interstate Usage (PIU) to apply to all other switched access services provided by the Company to the Customer.

For Switched Access Services for which the Company cannot determine the jurisdictional nature of Customer traffic and its related access minutes, the Company reserves the right to require the Customer to provide a projected estimate of its traffic, split between the interstate and intrastate jurisdictions. The Customer shall upon ordering service, and annually thereafter, report the PIU and such report will be used for billing purposes until the Customer reports a different projected interstate percentage for a working trunk group. When the Customer adds trunks to or removes trunks from an existing group, the Customer shall furnish a revised projected PIU that applies to the total trunk group. The revised report will serve as the basis for future billing and will be effective on the next bill date.

No pro-rating or back-billing will be done based on the report. The Company may require call detail records to substantiate any projected PIU provided to the Company. In the event that the required jurisdictional report is not provided, the Company recorded or estimated PIU will be applied to the bill.

The Company may request this detailed information annually. If the audit results represent a substantial deviation from the Customer's previously reported PIU for the period upon which the audit was based, the call detail records may be requested more than once annually.

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# **3.9 OBLIGATIONS OF THE CUSTOMER (Cont'd)**

#### 3.9.8 Mixed Interstate and Intrastate Access Service

When mixed interstate and intrastate Access Service is provided, all charges, including nonrecurring charges, usage charges, and optional features, will be prorated between interstate and intrastate.

### **3.10 DETERMINATION OF MILEAGE**

Service for which rates are mileage sensitive are rated on the airline distance between the Company's switch location and Customer-designated premises or the end office of the Customer- designated premises.

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# 3.11 CALCULATION OF MILEAGE

Airline mileage, where mileage is the basis for rating calls, is obtained by using the "V" and "H" coordinates assigned to each rate center and contained in <u>NECA FCC</u> <u>Tariff No. 4 or</u> successor Tariffs. To determine the airline distance between any two locations, proceed as follows:

- a. Obtain the "V" and "H" coordinates for each location. The "V" coordinate is the first four digits in the "VH" column. The "H" coordinate is the next four digits.
- b. Obtain the difference between the "V" coordinates of each of the locations. Obtain the difference between the "H" coordinates.
- c. Square each difference obtained in step b.
- d. Add the square of the "V" difference and the "H" difference obtained in step c.
- e. Divide the sum of the square by 10. Round to the next higher whole number if any fraction is obtained.
- f. Obtain the square root of the whole number result obtained above. Round to the next higher whole number if any fraction is obtained. This is the airline mileage.

Formula:  

$$2 \frac{(V_1 - V_2)^2 + (H_1 - H_2)^2}{10}$$

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# 3.12 LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY

## 3.12.1 LIABILITY

- A) The Company's liability, if any, for its willful misconduct is not limited by this Tariff. With respect to any other claim or suit by a Customer or by any others, for damages associated with the installation, provision, termination, maintenance, repair or restoration of service, and subject to the provisions following, the Company's liability, if any, shall not exceed an amount equal to the proportionate charge for the service for the period during which the service was affected. This liability for damages shall be in addition to any amounts that may otherwise be due the Customer under this Tariff.
- B) The Company is not liable for any act or omission of any other communications utility which furnishes a portion of a tariffed service.
- C) The Company is not liable for damages associated with service which it does not furnish.
- D) The Company shall be indemnified, defended and held harmless against any claim, loss or damage arising from the use of service offered under this Tariff, involving:
  - 1. Claims for libel, slander, invasion of privacy, or infringement of copyright arising from any communication;
  - 2. Claims for patent infringement arising from combining or using the service furnished by the Company in connection with facilities or equipment furnished by others or;
  - 3. All other claims arising out of any act or omission of others in the course of using services provided pursuant to this Tariff.

- 4. The Company does not guarantee or make any warranty with respect to its services when used in an explosive atmosphere. The Company shall be indemnified, defended and held harmless by the Customer and authorized user from any and all claims by any person relating to the services provided.
- 5. No license under patents (other than the limited license to use) is granted by the Company or shall be implied or arise by estoppels, with respect to any service offered under this Tariff. The Company will defend the Customer and authorized user against claims of patent infringement arising solely from the use by the Customer or authorized user of services offered under this Tariff and will indemnify such Customer or authorized user for any damages awarded based solely on such claims.
- 6. The Company's failure to provide or maintain services under this Tariff shall be excused by labor difficulties, governmental orders, civil commotions, preemption of existing services to restore services in compliance with Part 64, Subpart D, Appendix A, of the FCC's Rules and Regulations, acts of God and other circumstances beyond the Company's reasonable control.
- E) Defacement of Premises

The Company is not liable for damages to the Customer's premises resulting from the furnishing of a service, including the installation and removal of facilities, unless the damage is caused by the Company's negligence.

Approval of Limitation of Liability language by the PUCO does not constitute a determination by the Commission that the limitation of liability imposed by the Company should be upheld in a court of law. Approval by the Commission merely recognizes that since it is a court's responsibility to adjudicate negligence and consequent damage claims.

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# **SECTION 4 - SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE**

# 4.1 GENERAL

Switched Access Service, which is available to Customers for their use in furnishing their services to End Users, provides a two-point electrical communications path between a Customer's premises and an End User's premises. It provides for the use of common terminating, switching and trunking facilities, and for the use of common subscriber plant of the Company. Switched Access Service provides for the ability to originate calls from an End User's premises to a Customer's premises in the LATA where it is provided.

The following provision applies to the treatment of Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic pursuant to the Federal Communications Commission's Part 51 Interconnection Rules and in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket Nos. 96-45 and 01-92; GN Docket No. 09-51; WC Docket Nos. 03-109, 05-337, 07-135 and 10-90; and WT Docket No. 10-208, adopted October 27, 2011 and released November 18, 2011 (FCC 11-161). In the absence of an interconnection agreement between the Company and the customer specifying the treatment of Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic, the Company will bill the customer the applicable switched access rates and charges specified in Section 4.2.3, following, on all jurisdictionally intrastate voice traffic identified as Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic.

# 4.2 RATE CATEGORIES

The rate categories that apply to Switched Access Service, as provided by Company, are:

- Tandem Switching
- Tandem Switched Transport Tandem Switched Facility Tandem Switched Termination

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## SECTION 4 - SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE (cont'd)

# 4.2 RATE CATEGORIES (Cont'd)

#### **4.2.1 Service Definition**

Tandem Switched Transport facilities are shared trunks that carry the combined traffic of more than one Interexchange Carrier from an end office to an access tandem where the calls are then switched onto trunks that are dedicated to individual Interexchange Carriers for transport from the access tandem to the serving wire center. Tandem Switched Transport service is provisioned in two parts: (1) transmission from the end office to the tandem over shared circuits; (2) the tandem switching function itself.

### 4.2.2 Billing Components

Tandem Switched Transport service is billed in two parts as applicable: (1) A usage-based, distance sensitive Tandem Switched Facility charge applied to the shared interoffice transmission between the end office and the tandem. In addition, a usage-based Tandem Switched Termination charge is applied at each end of each measured Tandem Switched Facility segment. Distance is measured in airline miles between the end office and the tandem. Additionally, if the mileage is zero, no Facility or Termination charges apply; (2) A usage-based Tandem Switching charge is applied at each tandem that performs a tandem switching function.

#### 4.2.3 Access Rate Element Description

Common Transport Multiplexing provides for multiplexing, on a per access minute basis, in conjunction with Tandem Switched Transport. Switched access facilities are connected to tandem and end office switches at the DS1 level. Multiplexing is required to convert common switched facilities from a typical operating speed of 44.736 Mbps to an operating speed of 1.544 Mbps.

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### SECTION 4 - SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE (cont'd)

### 4.3 OBLIGATIONS OF THE COMPANY

The Company has certain obligations pertaining only to the provision of Switched Access Service. These obligations are as follows:

#### 4.3.1 Network Management

The Company will administer its network to provide acceptable service levels to all telecommunications users of the Company's network services. Generally, service levels are considered acceptable only when both End Users and Customers are able to establish connections with little or no delay encountered within the Company's network. The Company maintains the right to apply protective controls, i.e., those actions, such as call gapping, which selectively cancel the completion of any traffic carried over its network, including that associated with a Customer's Switched Access Service. Generally, such protective measures would only be taken as a result of occurrences such as a failure or overload of Company or Customer facilities, natural disasters, mass calling or national security demands.

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## 4.3 OBLIGATIONS OF THE COMPANY (Cont'd)

#### 4.3.2 Design and Traffic Routing of Switched Access Service

The Company shall design and determine the routing of Switched Access Service, including the selection of the first point of switching and the selection of facilities from the interface to any switching point and to the end offices where busy hour minutes of capacity are ordered. The Company shall also decide if capacity is to be provided by originating only, terminating only, or two-way trunk groups. Finally, the Company will decide whether trunk side access will be provided through the use of two-wire or four-wire trunk terminating equipment. Selection of facilities and equipment and traffic routing of the service are based on standard engineering methods, available facilities and equipment and the Company's traffic routing plans.

## 4.3 OBLIGATIONS OF THE COMPANY (Cont'd)

#### **4.3.3** Provision of Service Performance Data

Subject to availability, end-to-end service performance data available to the Company through its own service evaluation routines may also be made available to the Customer based on previously arranged intervals and format. The data provides information on overall end-to-end call completion and non-completion performance e.g., Customer equipment blockage, failure results and transmission performance. The data does not include service performance data provided under other Tariff sections, e.g., testing service results. If data is to be provided in other than paper format, the charges for such exchange will be determined on an individual case basis.

#### 4.3.4 Trunk Group Measurements Reports

Subject to availability, the Company will make available trunk group data in the form of usage in CCS, peg count and overflow to the Customer based on previously agreed to intervals.

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### 4.4 OBLIGATIONS OF THE CUSTOMER

The Customer has certain specific obligations pertaining to the use of Switched Access Service.

### 4.4.1 Report Requirements

Customers are responsible for providing the following reports to the Company, when applicable.

### (A) Jurisdictional Reports

When a Customer orders Switched Access Service for both interstate and intrastate use, the Customer is responsible for providing reports as set forth in Section 2 preceding. Charges will be apportioned in accordance with those reports.

### (B) Code Screening Reports

When a Customer orders service call routing, trunk access limitation or call gapping arrangements, it must report the number of trunks and/or the appropriate codes to be instituted in each end office or access tandem switch, for each of the arrangements ordered.

The Company will administer its network in such a manner that the impact of traffic surges due to peaked 900 Access Service traffic on other access service traffic is minimized. Network management controls as defined in Section 3.3.1 may be implemented at the Company option to ensure acceptable service levels.

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#### 4.4.2 On and Off-Hook Supervision

The Customer facilities shall provide the necessary on and off-hook supervision for accurate timing of calls.

#### 4.4.3 Trunk Group Measurements Reports

With the agreement of the Customer, trunk group data in the form of usage in CCS, peg count and overflow for its end of all access trunk groups, where technologically feasible, will be made available to the Company. The data will be used to monitor trunk group utilization and service performance and will be based on previously arranged intervals and format.

### 4.5 RATE REGULATIONS

This Section contains the specific regulations governing the rates and charges that apply for Switched Access Service.

Access Charges are applied on a per access minute basis. Access minute charges are accumulated over a monthly period.

#### 4.5.1 Minimum Periods

Switched Access Service is provided for a minimum period of one month.

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## 4.5 **RATE REGULATIONS (Cont'd)**

### 4.5.2 Cancellation of Access Service Order

A Customer may cancel an Access Order for the installation of service on any date prior to notification by the Company that service is available for the Customer's Use or prior to the service date, whichever is later. The cancellation date is the date the Company receives written or verbal notice from the Customer that the order is to be canceled. The verbal notice must be followed by written confirmation within 10 days. If a Customer or End User is unable to accept Access Service within 30 calendar days of the original service date, the Access Order will be canceled and applicable charges will apply.

Prior to Firm Order Confirmation Date:

If an Access Order is canceled prior to the Firm Order Confirmation date, no charges will apply.

On or After Firm Order Confirmation Date:

If an Access Order is canceled on or after the Firm Order Confirmation date, the Customer will be billed a charge equal to the cost incurred in such installation less net salvage, or the charge for the minimum period.

## SECTION 5 - SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS

## 5.1 SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION

#### **5.1.1 Basis for Charges**

Basis for Charges where the Company furnishes a facility or service for which a rate or charge is not specified in the Company's Tariffs, charges will be based on the costs incurred by the Company (including return) and may include:

- nonrecurring charges;
- recurring charges;
- termination liabilities; or
- combinations of (a), (b), and (c).

#### **5.1.2 Termination Liability**

To the extent that there is no other requirement for use by the Company, a termination liability may apply for facilities specially constructed at the request of a Customer.

- A) The period on which the termination liability is based is the estimated service life of the facilities provided.
- B) The amount of the maximum termination liability is equal to the estimated amounts (including return) for:
  - 1. Costs to install the facilities to be provided including estimated costs for the rearrangements of existing facilities. These costs include:
    - a) equipment and materials provided or used;
    - b) engineering, labor, and supervision;
    - c) transportation; and
    - d) rights of way and/or any required easements;

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- 2. License preparation, processing, and related fees
- 3. Tariff preparation, processing and related fees;
- 4. Cost of removal and restoration, where appropriate; and
- 5. Any other identifiable costs related to the specially constructed or rearranged facilities.

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## 5.2 NON-ROUTINE INSTALLATION AND/OR MAINTENANCE

At the Customer's request, installation and/or maintenance may be performed outside the Company's regular business hours, or (in the Company's sole discretion and subject to any conditions it may impose) in hazardous locations. In such cases, charges based on the cost of labor, material, and other costs incurred by or charged to the Company will apply. If installation is started during regular business hours but, at the Customer's request, extends beyond regular business hours into time periods including, but not limited to, weekends, holidays, and/or night hours, additional charges may apply.

### 5.3 INDIVIDUAL CONTRACT BASIS (ICB) ARRANGEMENTS

ICB rates will be structured to recover the Company's cost of providing the service and will be made available to the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Staff on a proprietary basis. Rates may be negotiated and adjusted on an Individual Contract Basis (ICB). ICB rates will be offered to Customers in writing and will be made available to similarly situated Customers. Such ICB arrangements may specify, among other things, length of service, minimum volume of service required, and the rates and charges for the proposed service. Terms of ICB provided to Customers will be provided on a proprietary basis to Commission Staff.

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# **SECTION 6 - RATES AND CHARGES**

## 6.1 Switched Access Service

Tandem Switched Transport

6.1.1	Tandem Switched Facility, Per Minute/Per Mile*		
	AT&T areas	0.0000140	
	Frontier areas	0.0000020	
	CenturyLink areas	0.0000350	
6.1.2	5.1.2 Tandem Switched Termination, Per Minute/Per Term		
	AT&T areas	0.0001030	
	Frontier areas	0.0000000	
	CenturyLink areas	0.0004120	
6.1.3	Tandem Switching, Per Minute/Per Tandem		
	AT&T areas	0.0011160	
	Frontier areas	0.0002000	
	CenturyLink areas	0.0001240	
6.1.4	Ainute		
	AT&T areas	0.0000170	
	Encution encod	0 000000	
	Frontier areas	0.0000000	

\*maximum mileage charge 10 miles

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## 6.2 Other Services

6.2.1 <u>Access Ordering</u>	Non-Recurring <u>Charge</u>
Access Order Charge	
- Per Order	\$140.00
Service Date Change Charge	
A Service Date Change Charge will	
apply, on a per order per occurrence basis, for each service date changed. The Access Order Charge as specified in 9.4.1(A) preceding does not apply.	
- Per Order	\$ 65.00
Design Change Charge	
The Design Change Charge will apply on a per order per occurrence basis, for each order requiring design change	
- Per Order	\$ 65.00
Miscellaneous Service Order Charge	
- Per Occurrence	\$ 65.00

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## 6.2 <u>Other Services</u> (Cont'd)

## 6.2.2 Additional Engineering

		First Half Hour or	
	Additional Engineering Periods	Fraction Thereof	
A.	Basic Time per engineer normally scheduled working hours	\$ 60.00	
B.	Overtime per engineer outside of normally scheduled working hours	\$ 90.00	
C.	Premium Time outside of scheduled work day, per engineer	\$ 120.00	
	These labor charges are applicable for the following:		

Additional Cooperative Acceptance testing Additional Manual Testing Maintenance of Service

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# 6.2.3 Additional Labor

Additional Labor Periods	First Half Hour or <u>Fraction Thereof</u>
Installation or Repair *	
Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day, per technician	\$ 47.50
Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day, per technician	\$ 95.00

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## SECTION 6 - RATES AND CHARGES (cont'd)

# 6.2 <u>Other Services</u> (Cont'd)

Additional Labor (Cont'd)	First Half Hour or	
B. <u>Standby *</u>	Fraction Thereof	
Basic time, normally scheduled working hours, per technician	\$ 47.50	
Overtime, outside		
of normally scheduled		
working hours on a		
scheduled work day,		
per technician.	\$47.50	
Premium Time,		
outside of scheduled		
work day, per technician	\$95.00	
	<ul> <li>B. <u>Standby *</u></li> <li>Basic time, normally scheduled working hours, per technician</li> <li>Overtime, outside</li> <li>of normally scheduled</li> <li>working hours on a</li> <li>scheduled work day,</li> <li>per technician.</li> <li>Premium Time,</li> <li>outside of scheduled</li> </ul>	

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## SECTION 6 - RATES AND CHARGES (cont'd)

## 6.2 Other Services (Cont'd)

## 6.2.3 Additional Labor (Cont'd)

Additional Labor Periods	First Half Hour or <u>Fraction Thereof</u>	
Testing and Maintenance with Other	I/R Technician	CO Technician
Telephone Companies or Other Labor	\$32.50	\$32.50
Overtime per technician outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled		
work day	\$48.75	\$48.75
Premium Time per technician outside of scheduled work day	\$65.00	\$65.00

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## SECTION 6 - RATES AND CHARGES (cont'd)

6.2	Other S	<u>Services</u> (Cont'd)	Monthly Rate	Non-Recurring Charge
	6.2.4	Specialized Service or Arrangements	ICB	ICB
		Specialized Service or Arrangements are provided on an individual case basis.		
	6.2.5	Entrance Facility		
		DS1 (1.544 Mbps,) Entrance Facility, Installation		\$281.00
		DS1 (1.544 Mbps), Entrance Facility, per Point of Termination	\$159.05	
		DS3 (44.736 Mbps), Entrance Facility, Installation		\$307.00
		DS3 (44.736 Mbps), Entrance Facility, per Point of Termination	\$1,845.01	

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