

525 JUNCTION RD. Madison, WI 53717

August 8, 2018

## By Electronic Filing

Ms. Barcy McNeal Docketing Division Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

RE: Continental Telephone Company: TRF Docket No. 90-5016

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Continental Telephone Company submits a Notice of Tariff Filing for electronic filing.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Regards,

/s/ Rachelle A. Ladwig TDS Telecom Sr. Administrator – Tariffs Phone 608-664-4169 Fax 608-830-5519 Email rachelle.ladwig@tdstelecom.com

**Enclosure** 

## The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

#### TELECOMMUNICATIONS FILING FORM

(Effective: 9-2-2015)

This form is intended to be used with most types of required filings. It provides check boxes with rule references for the most common types of filings. It does not replace or supersede Commission rules in any way.

In the Matter of the Application of Continental Telephone Company to Update BLES Anniversary Date	) ) )	TRF Docket No. 90-5016-TP-7 Case No. 18-1140-TP - ZTA NOTE: Unless you have reserved a G BLANK.	•
Name of Registrant(s) Continental Telephone Company			
DBA(s) of Registrant(s) TDS Telecom			
Address of Registrant(s) 525 Junction Road, Madison, WI 5	3717		
Company Web Address www.tdstelecom.com			
Regulatory Contact Person(s) Rachelle Ladwig		Phone 608-664-4169	Fax 608-830-5519
Regulatory Contact Person's Email Address rachelle.ladwig	@tdsteleco	m.com	
Contact Person for Annual Report Bruce Mottern	Wiles		Phone <u>865-671-4753</u>
Address (if different from above) 10025 Investment Drive, 5	Suite 200, k	Knoxville, TN 37932	
Consumer Contact Information Bruce Mottern			Phone 865-671-4753
Address (if different from above)			
Motion for protective order included with filing?  Yes Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? Yes		Waivers may toll any automatic	timeframe.]
Notes:			
Section I and II are Pursuant to Chapter <u>4901:1-6</u> OAC. Section III – Carrier to Carrier is Pursuant to <u>4901:1-7</u> OAC Section IV – Attestation.	c, and Wire	eless is Pursuant to <u>4901:1-6-24</u>	OAC.
(1) Indicate the Carrier Type and the reason for submitting	this form b	y 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 <a href="https://www.puco.ohio.gov">www.puco.ohio.gov</a> 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:
Α	The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s) as they exist before the change(s)
В	The Tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s), reflecting the change, with the change(s) marked in the right margin.
C	A short description of the nature of the change(s), the intent of the change(s), and the customers affected.
D	A copy of the notice provided to customers, along with an affidavit that the notice was provided according to the applicable rule(s).

## Section I - Part I - Common Filings

Carrier Type  Other (explain below)	)	For Prof	fit ILEC	Not For P	rofit ILEC	☐ CL	LEC
Change terms & conditions existing BLES		ATA 1-0 (Auto 30 day		ATA <u>1-6-</u> (Auto 30 days		AT (Auto 3	A <u>1-6-14(H)</u> 30 days)
Introduce non-recurring ch surcharge, or fee to BLES	arge,					(Auto 3	A <u>1-6-14(H)</u> 30 days)
Introduce or Increase Late	Payment	ATA <u>1-</u> (Auto 30 day	ys)	ATA <u>1-6</u> (Auto 30 days			A <u>1-6-14(I)</u> 30 days)
Revisions to BLES Cap.		ZTA <u>1-0</u> (0 day Notic	e)				
Introduce BLES or expand service area (calling area)	local	ZTA <u>1-0</u> (0 day Notic		ZTA <u>1-6-</u> (0 day Notice			'A <u>1-6-14(H)</u> Notice)
Notice of no obligation to of facilities and provide BLES		ZTA <u>1-0</u> (0 day Notic		ZTA <u>1-6-</u> (0 day Notice			
Change BLES Rates		TRF <u>1-6</u> (0 day Notic		TRF <u>1-6-</u> (0 day Notice			F <u>1-6-14(G)</u> Notice)
To obtain BLES pricing fle	exibility	BLS <u>1-6-</u> (C)(1)(c) (Auto 30 da	ıys)				
Change in boundary		ACB <u>1-</u> (Auto 14 day		ACB <u>1-6-</u> (Auto 14 days			
Expand service operation a	rea						F <u>1-6-08(G)</u> (0 day)
BLES withdrawal							'A <u>1-6-25(B)</u> Notice)
Other* (explain)							
Section I – Part II – Cus	stomer Not	ification Of	ferings Pur	suant to Chapt	er <u>4901:1-6-7</u>	OAC	
Type of Notice	Direc	et Mail	Bill	Insert	Bill Nota	tion	Electronic Mail
☐ 15-day Notice	[		, j				
30-day Notice	]						
Date Notice Sent:							
Section I – Part III –IO	S Offerings	S Pursuant to	Chapter 49	01:1-6-22 OAC			
IOS	Introdu	ice New	Tariff	Change	Price Cha	ange	Withdraw
□ IOS							

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

	ILEC	CLEC	Telecommunications	CESTC	CETC
Certification	(Out of Territory)		Service Provider		
			Not Offering Local		
* See Supplemental	☐ ACE <u>1-6-08</u>	☐ ACE <u>1-6-08</u>	☐ ACE <u>1-6-</u> 08	☐ ACE <u>1-6-</u> 10	UNC <u>1-6-</u> 09
form	* (Auto 30- day)	*(Auto 30 day)	*(Auto 30 day)	(Auto 30 day)	*(Non-Auto)

<sup>\*</sup>Supplemental Certification forms can be found on the Commission Web Page.

## Section II - Part II - Certificate Status & Procedural

Certificate Status	ILEC	CLEC	Telecommunications Service Provider Not Offering Local
Abandon all Services		ABN <u>1-6-26</u> (Auto 30 days)	ABN <u>1-6-26</u> (Auto 30 days)
Change of Official Name *	ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice)
Change in Ownership *	ACO <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ACO <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice)
Merger *	AMT <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days)	AMT <u>1-6-29(E)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice)
Transfer a Certificate *	ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice)
Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business *	ATR <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	ATR <u>1-6-29(B)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ CIO <u>1-6-29(C)</u> (0 day Notice)

<sup>\*</sup> Other exhibits may be required under the applicable rule(s). ACN, ACO, AMT, ATC, ATR and CIO applications see the 4901:1-6-29 Filing Requirements on the Commission's Web Page for a complete list of exhibits.

Section III - Carrier to Carrier (Pursuant to 4901:1-7), and Wireless (Pursuant to 4901:1-6-24)

Carrier to Carrier	ILEC	CLEC
Interconnection agreement, or amendment to an approved agreement	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.	ATA <u>1-3-04</u> (Auto 30 days)	
	RCC	□NAG
Wireless Providers See 4901:1-6-24	[Registration & Change in Operations] (0 Day)	[Interconnection Agreement or Amendment] (Auto 90 days)

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, <u>Continental Telephone</u> <u>Company</u> (Name)

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

Please Check ALL that apply:

I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules for the state of Ohio. I understand that tariff notification filings do not imply Commission approval and that the Commission's rules as modified and clarified from time to time, supersede any contradictory provisions in our tariff. We will fully comply with the rules of the state of Ohio and understand that noncompliance can result in various penalties, including the suspension of our certificate to operate within the state of Ohio.

☑ I attest that customer notices accompanying this filing form were sent to affected customers, as specified in Section II, in accordance with Rule 4901:1-6-7, Ohio Administrative Code.

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

Executed on (Date) <u>08-08-18</u>

at (Location) Madison, WI 53717

\*(Signature and Title) /s/ Rachelle Ladwig, Sr. Administrator - Tariffs (Date) 08-08-18

• This affidavit is required for every tariff-affecting filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the applicant.

### VERIFICATION

I, <u>Rachelle A. Ladwig</u> verify that I have utilized the Telecommunications Filing Form for most proceedings provided by the Commission and that all of the information submitted here, and all additional information submitted in connection with this case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

\*(Signature and Title)/s/Rachelle A. Ladwig, Sr. Administrator - Tariffs/Authorized Agent

(Date) 08-08-18

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File document electronically as directed in Case No 06-900-AU-WVR

or

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

# EXHIBIT A EXISTING SCHEDULE SHEETS

OHIO P.U.C.O. NO. 9

Section 1 Second Revised Sheet 2 Cancels First Revised Sheet 2

#### **EXCHANGE RATES**

## **EXCHANGE RATES AND THEIR APPLICATIONS**

1. **Exchange Name: Continental** 

EAS TO: Aversville, Cloverdale, Kalida, Miller City, North Creek, Oakwood, &

Ottawa

Monthly Rate <sup>1/</sup>						
Business Service Single Party	<u>Current</u> \$45.54	Maximum \$46.79	Anniversary Date August 8, 2017	(T)		
Residence Service Single Party	\$22.25 (I)	\$22.50	August 8, 2017	(T)		

Includes Touch-Call Service. Effective August 6, 2007, the rates for Residential and Business customers who do not have Touch-Call Service will be grandfathered and will see no change in their monthly rate. Any subsequent change to service made by such a grandfathered customer, however, will result in the loss of the grandfathering exception and will require that customer to upgrade to Touch Call Service.

ISSUED: January 3, 2017 EFFECTIVE: January 7, 2017

## A. EXCHANGE RATES AND THEIR APPLICATIONS (Continued

1. Exchange Name: Grover Hill

EAS TO: Oakwood, Ottoville, & Scoot

	Monthl	y Rate <sup>1/</sup>		
Business Service Single Party	<u>Current</u> \$45.54	<u>Maximum</u> \$45.54	Anniversary Date August 8, 2017	(T)
Residence Service Single Party	\$22.25 (I)	\$22.25 (I)	August 8, 2017	(T)

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ISSUED: January 3, 2017 EFFECTIVE: January 7, 2017

## A. EXCHANGE RATES AND THEIR APPLICATIONS (Continued)

1. Exchange Name: Miller City

EAS TO: Continental, Glansdorf, Leipsic, New Bavaria, North Creek, Ottawa

	Month	nly Rate		
Business Service Single Party	<u>Current</u> \$ 45.54	<u>Maximum</u> \$45.54	Anniversary Date August 8, 2017	(T)
Residence Service Single Party	\$22.25 (I)	) \$22.25 (I)	August 8, 2017	(T)

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## EXHIBIT B PROPOSED SCHEDULE SHEETS

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<b>Business Service</b>	Current	<u>Maximum</u>	<b>Anniversary Date</b>	
Single Party	\$45.54	\$45.54	August 8, 2018	(T)
Residence Service Single Party	\$22.25	\$22.25	August 8, 2018	(T)

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	Month	ıly Rate		
Business Service	Current	<u>Maximum</u>	Anniversary Date	
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## EXHIBIT C (Description of the Changes)

The Applicant, **Continental Telephone Company**, hereby updates the Anniversary Date for its' BLES rates. The date respresents the date on which the Company received alternative regulation approval.

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Summary: Tariff Filing to Update BLES Anniversary Date electronically filed by Ms. Rachelle A Ladwig on behalf of CONTINENTAL TELEPHONE COMPANY