

**BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application of Cox Ohio)	Case No.19-591-TP-ATA
Telcom, LLC to modify its Local Exchange)	
Services Tariff P.U.C.O. Tariff No. 1.)	TRF No. 90-9361-TP-TRF
)	

**REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATION
SUBMITTED ON BEHALF OF THE STAFF OF
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

On March 7, 2019, Cox Ohio Telcom, LLC (Applicant) filed an ATA seeking to revise its Local Exchange Service Tariff P.U.C.O. No. 1. The Applicant proposes to revise the notification of service-affecting activities and to increase its maximum rate cap for residential basic local exchange service (BLES).

Additionally, the Applicant is proposing to increase the maximum rate cap of its residential BLES service. The current maximum rate is \$19.99 and the Applicant is proposing to increase it to \$23.99. Since this is an increase in the maximum rate cap for BLES a customer notice is unnecessary because the Applicant is not proposing to increase the current rate at this time.

Therefore, pursuant to 4901:1-6-14(H)(2) O.A.C. of the Telephone Company Procedures and Standards, an application to make a material change in the terms and conditions of an existing BLES by a LEC must be filed as an ATA tariff amendment subject to the thirty-day automatic approval process. Staff reviewed all documents and exhibits filed with this application, and as amended on April 1, 2019, and finds them to be compliant with Commission rules. Thus, Staff has determined that the request to revise the Applicant's PUCO Tariff No. 1 appears to satisfy the Commission's requirements set forth in 4901:1-6-14 of the Administrative Code. Staff recommends that this application be approved on April 6, 2019.

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