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Ms. Daisy Crockron
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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street, 10th Floor
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**RE: The Champaign Telephone Company
Case No. 96-1310-TP-COI**

Dear Ms. Crockron:

Enclosed please find four copies of The Champaign Telephone Company's final tariff sheets to be filed pursuant to the Commission's Entry of March 27, 1997 in the above-referenced case. The TRF Number of The Champaign Telephone Company is 90-5011-TP-TRF. These final tariff sheets have been revised pursuant to instructions from the staff. Thank you for your time and attention.

Very truly yours,

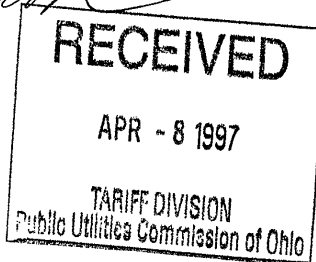


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Enclosures

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3.2 Local Exchange Telephone Service (Continued)

3.221 Urbana Exchange Base Rate Area

Within the "Urbana Base Rate Area" only as defined in the map shown in Section 1.13.

Business

Individual line	\$24.96
Trunk line	\$37.45

Residence

Individual line	\$12.42
Two-Party line	\$11.96

Payphone

Coin Operated Telephone Service Access Line	\$24.96
Coin Supervision Additive	\$ 7.20

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3.2 Local Exchange Telephone Service (Continued)

3.222 Urbana Exchange Zone A Rate Area

Zone A as defined on the map shown in Section 1.13.

Business

Individual line	\$25.87
Trunk line	\$38.37

Residence

Individual line	\$14.49
Two-Party line	\$14.03

Payphone

Coin Operated Telephone Service Access Line	\$25.87
Coin Supervision Additive	\$ 7.20

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3.2 Local Exchange Telephone Service (Continued)

3.223 Urbana Exchange Zone B Rate Area

Zone B as defined on the map shown in Section 1.13.

Business

Individual line	\$26.99
Trunk line	\$39.77

Residence

Individual line	\$15.65
Two-Party line	\$14.75

Payphone

Coin Operated Telephone Service Access Line	\$26.99
Coin Supervision Additive	\$ 7.20

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3.2 Local Exchange Telephone Service (Continued)

3.224 Kingscreek Locality Area Rate

Kingscreek Locality Area Rate as defined on the map shown in Section 1.14.

Business

Individual line	\$24.96
Trunk line	\$37.45

Residence

Individual line	\$12.42
Two-Party line	\$11.96

Payphone

Coin Operated Telephone Service Access Line	\$24.96
Coin Supervision Additive	\$ 7.20

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3.2 Local Exchange Telephone Service (Continued)

3.225 Terre Haute Exchange Base Rate Area

Terre Haute Exchange Base Rate Area as defined on the map shown in Section 1.16.

Business

Individual line	\$24.57
Trunk line	\$36.87

Residence

Individual line	\$12.22
Two-Party line	\$11.77

Payphone

Coin Operated Telephone Service Access Line	\$24.57
Coin Supervision Additive	\$ 7.20

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3.226 Terre Haute Zona A Rate Area

Terre Haute Zone A Rate Area as defined on the map shown in Section 1.15.

Business

Individual line	\$25.47
Trunk line	\$37.77

Residence

Individual line	\$14.27
Two-Party line	\$13.82

Payphone

Coin Operated Telephone Service Access Line	\$25.47
Coin Supervision Additive	\$ 7.20

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3.2 Local Exchange Telephone Service (Continued)

3.25 Public Pay Telephone Service

3.251 General

Company pay stations are installed where the telephone company considers the installation desirable for the convenience and benefit of the general public, or for the avoidance of unauthorized use of the customer's service, and satisfactory arrangements can be made with the owner or occupant of the premises covering compensation for the space occupied and service furnished.

3.252 Special Conditions

- a. Location and type (i.e., coin or coinless) of all public pay phones shall be at the sole discretion of the Company.
- b. Public telephones are installed in establishments where the public usage is primarily transient.
- c. Public telephones will be located where the general public shall have non-restricted access to the instrument. There shall be a monthly payment of \$2.50, per location for heat, light, and power services provided by the establishment where the public telephone is located.

3.253 Rates

A charge of \$.20 for each completed originated call

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will be made at such pay stations for service to any other telephone station within the exchange service limits in which such pay stations are located. No charge will be made for calls terminating at such pay stations. toll and long distance service will be furnished at such pay stations upon payment of the charges for such service.

End user paystation coin rates are effective until October 7, 1997, at which time such rates will be deregulated and detariffed pursuant to the FCC's Report and Order in Docket No. 96-128 issued September 20, 1996. (N)
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3.2 Local Exchange Telephone Service (Continued)

the discretion to discontinue offering this service at the location concerned.

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c. Customers shall, if required, display public telephone signs furnished by the Telephone Company.

d. Wall sets equipped with coin collecting devices are the standard type of equipment for Semi-Public telephone service.

e. The installation of Semi-Public telephone equipment shall be on an actual cost basis.

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3.263 Regulations

a. A charge at \$.20 for each completed originated call will be made.

End user paystation coin rates are effective until October 7, 1997, at which time such rates will be deregulated and detariffed pursuant to the FCC's Report and Order in Docket No. 96-128 issued September 20, 1996.

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3.27 Number Hold

A subscriber can reserve the exclusive right to the use of a non-used telephone number at an annual non-recurring charge of \$13.75, up to but not exceeding two years. This right is available at the time of the request.

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4.3 REGULATIONS contd.

4.35 Posted informational requirements for ALL COCOT service. The following information, which shall be provided in a clear and easy to read form, should be posted at or near each COCOT location:

- a. Name and telephone number of the COCOT owner;
- b. Operating instructions for the COCOT instrument;
- c. Method for reporting complaints and obtaining refunds in a cost free manner;
- d. Out-of-order COCOTs shall be clearly marked as such;
- e. Notice must be provided of COCOT instruments that are not programmed to receive incoming calls;

4.36 Other charging and rate-related requirements for ALL COCOT Service:

- a. The maximum rate for a local call shall not exceed the price of a local call made from a Telephone Company provided pay telephone instrument at the filed tariff rate authorized by The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio;

The maximum rate restriction is effective until October 7, 1997, at which time end (N)
user payphone coin rates will be deregulated and detariffed pursuant to the FCC's Report (N)
and Order in Docket No. 96-128 issued September 20, 1996.

- b. The COCOT owner/subscriber is responsible for the payment of all calls originated from or accepted at the Access Line terminating location;
- c. The COCOT user shall not be charged for incomplete calls;
- d. COCOTs are not permitted to resell or mark-up the price of long distance service without first obtaining Commission certification to do so;

4.37 COCOT owners must submit a completed "Application to Provide Customer Owned, Coin Operated Telephone Service in the State of Ohio" to the Telephone Company prior to the connection of their service. A Commission approved application form is attached and identified as Appendix A.

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4.4 RATES AND CHARGES

The monthly rate for a customer-owned, coin-operated telephone service access line is the Payphone Access Line rate, plus the Coin Supervision Additive rate, where applicable, as set forth in this company's P.U.C.O. No. 5, Section 3, for the applicable exchange area.

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4.5 DISCONNECTION OF COCOT SERVICE

Any provider of Customer-Owned, Coin-Operated Telephone (COCOT) Service that obtains a local access line or subscriber line from the local exchange company is a customer of said company and is therefore subject to the terms and conditions set forth in said company's tariffs and must comply with all the requirements set forth in the Opinion and Order issued by The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio on January 29, 1985, in Case No. 84-863-TP-COI. Failure to comply with said tariffs and Opinion and Order or any related rule approved by this Commission shall be grounds for disconnection.

If a provider of COCOT Service is in non-compliance, the local exchange company shall mail to the COCOT provider a proper and reasonable disconnection notice which indicates that unless the reason of noncompliance is removed not later than fifteen days from the postmarked date, service of the COCOT location will be terminated unless a written protest is filed with Docketing Division of the Public Utilities Commission prior to such date. However, such notification requirements do not apply if continuation of the COCOT Service would cause damage to the local company's switched network, or if the disconnection is due to nonpayment. Disconnections for nonpayment shall be made in accordance with local exchange company's normal practices for business customers.

The following constitute the minimum requirements of a proper and reasonable disconnection notice to providers of COCOT Service.

- 4.51 The date on which disconnection will occur.
- 4.52 The reason(s) for the disconnection, and the manner in which to avoid such disconnection (ie necessary physical modifications to bring such COCOT into compliance).
- 4.53 The necessary procedures for handling disputes, including:
 - a. The address and telephone number of the office of the telephone company that the COCOT provider may contact in reference to his or her account;

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