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August 27, 1999

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RE: TCG Ohio
Tariff P.U.C.O. No. 2

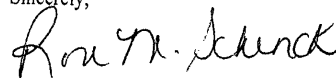
Dear Mr. Crockron:

TCG Ohio, hereby submits for filing revisions to its Tariff P.U.C.O. No. 2 for Local Exchange Services. The purpose of these revisions is to add three temporary promotional offerings, "Vendor Credit", "PrimePath Installation Waiver", "Get Equipped for Digital PrimeNBX" Promotional Programs.

These promotions are being filed on thirty day's notice. The requested effective date is September 27, 1999. Enclosed are an original and ten copies of the revisions and this transmittal letter.

Should any question regarding this submission arise, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned at (908)658-6079. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Rose M. Schenck
Tariff Analyst

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PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIER

REGISTRATION FORM

EFFECTIVE: July 15, 1997

In the Matter of the Application of _____)

Case No. _____ -TP- _____

Name of Registrant(s) TCG-ATAAddress of Registrant(s) 55 Corporate Drive, Bridgewater, NJ 08807Contact Person(s) Rene Schirck (Phone) 908-658-6079 Fax 908-658-2587Date 8/27/99 TRF Docket No. _____ -TP-TRFMotion for protective order included with filing? ☐ Yes, ☐ NoRequest for waiver(s) included with filing? ☐ Yes, ☐ No

NOTE: This form must accompany all applications filed by NLICs. NLICs should utilize the appropriate form based on each NLIC's currently applicable regulatory framework. However, an NLIC must use this form if it has been granted tariff filing parity pursuant to Section VI.L. of the guidelines established in Case No. 95-845-TP-COM, or if the NLIC is filing an ARB or NAG case pursuant to the guidelines established in Case No. 96-463-TP-UNC. It is preferable not to combine different types of filings, but if you do so, you must file under the process with the longest applicable review period.

I. Indicate the reason for submitting this form (check only one):

- ☐ 1. (AAC) Application to Amend Certificate to expand Serving Area (30-day approval, 7 copies)
- ☐ 2. (ABN) Abandonment of all Services (NOT automatic, 10 copies)
- ☐ 3. (ACE) New Operating Authority (60-day approval, 7 copies)
- ☐ 4. (ACO) Application to Change Ownership (30-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 5. (ACN) Application to Change Name (30-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 6. (AEC) Application to Establish, Revise, or Cancel a Contract (30-day approval, 7 copies)
☐ End User ☐ Carrier-to-Carrier Contract Amendment to an agreement approved in a NAG or ARB case
- ☐ 7. (AMT) Merger (NOT automatic, 10 copies)
- ☐ 8. (ARB) Application for Arbitration (see 96-463-TP-COI for applicable process, 15 copies)
- ☐ 9. (ATA) Application for Tariff Amendment (Automatic timeframes vary with type of ATA filing -- see below)
a. ☐ New End User Service which has been preceeded by a 30-day prefiling with Staff and OCC (0-day filing, 10 copies)
b. ☐ New Carrier-to-Carrier Service which has been preceeded by a 30-day prefiling with Staff and OCC (0-day filing, 10 copies)
c. ☐ Change in Terms and Conditions (30-day approval, 10 copies)
d. ☐ Withdrawal of Service (30-day approval, 10 copies)
e. ☐ Filing at Staff's Direction (30-day approval, 10 copies)
f. ☐ Initial Carrier-to-Carrier Services Tariff subsequent to ACE approval (60-day approval, 10 copies)
- ☐ 10. (ATC) Application to Transfer Certificate (NOT automatic, 7 copies)
- ☐ 11. (ATR) Application to Conduct a Transaction Between Utilities (NOT automatic, 10 copies)
- ☐ 12. (NAG) Negotiated Interconnection Agreement Between Carriers (0-day effective, 90-day approval, 15 copies)
- ☐ 13. (UNC) Unclassified (explain) _____ (NOT automatic, 15 copies)
- ☐ 14. Other (explain) _____ (NOT automatic, 15 copies)

THE FOLLOWING ARE TRF FILINGS ONLY, NOT NEW CASES (0-day notice, 3 copies)

- ☒ 15. Introduction or Extension of Promotional Offering
- ☐ 16. New Price List Rate for Existing Service
- ☐ 17. Designation of Registrant's Process Agent(s)
- ☐ 18. Update to Registrant's Maps

II. Indicate which of the following exhibits have been filed. The numbers (corresponding to the list above) indicate, at a minimum, the types of cases in which the exhibit is required:

- ☐ A copy of registrant's proposed tariffs. (Carrier-to-Carrier resale tariff also required if facilities-based) (3)
- ☐ Statement affirming that the registrant has notified the Ohio Department of Taxation of its intent to conduct operations as a telephone utility in the State of Ohio. (3)
- ☐ List of names, addresses, and phone numbers of officers and directors, or partners. (3-4,7,10)
- ☐ Brief description of service(s) proposed. (3)
- ☐ Explanation of whether applicant intends to provide ☐ resold services, ☐ facilities-based services, or ☐ both resold and facilities-based services. (3)
- ☐ Explanation as to whether NEC currently offers IXC services under separate CTS authority, and whether it will be including those services within its NEC filing, or maintaining such IXC services under a separate affiliate. (3)
- ☐ Explanation of how the proposed services in the proposed market area are in the public interest. (3)
- ☐ Description of the proposed market area. (3)
- ☐ Description of the class of customers (e.g., residence, business) that the applicant intends to serve. (3)
- ☐ Documentation attesting to the applicant's financial viability, including, at a minimum, a pro forma income statement and a balance sheet. If the pro forma income statement is based upon a certain geographical area(s) or information in other jurisdictions, please indicate. (3)
- ☐ Documentation attesting to the applicant's technical expertise relative to the proposed service offering(s) and proposed service area. (3)
- ☐ Explanation of the applicant's managerial expertise relative to the proposed service offering(s) and proposed service area. (3)
- ☐ Documentation indicating the applicant's corporate structure and ownership. (3)
- ☐ Information regarding any similar operations in other states. (3)
- ☐ Verification that the applicant will maintain local telephony records separate and apart from any other accounting records in accordance with the USCA. (3)
- ☐ Verification of compliance with any affiliate transaction requirements. (3)
- ☐ 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. (3, 8, 10)
- ☐ Copy of superseded tariff sheet(s) & price list(s), if applicable, marked as Exhibit A. (1-2,4,6,8-10,12-15)
- ☐ Copy of revised tariff sheets & price lists, marked as Exhibit B. (1-2,4,6,8-10,12-15)
- ☐ Specify which notice procedure has been utilized: ☐ real time; or ☐ newspaper. NOTE: Price list increases must be within an approved range of rates. (8-9,15)
- ☐ Copy of real time or newspaper notice which has been provided to customers. (2,4,6,9c-f, 10, 15)
- ☐ Copy of customer education and information material for new residential services. (8)
- ☐ Description of and rationale for proposed tariff changes, including a complete description of the service(s) proposed or affected.
- ☐ Specify for each service affected whether it is business; residence; or both. Also indicate whether it is a switched or dedicated service. Include this information in either the cover letter or Exhibit C. (1-2,4-6,9-10,12-15)
- ☐ Explanation as to which service areas company currently has an approved interconnection or resale agreement. (1,3, 9)
- ☐ Explanation as to whether rates are derived through (check all applicable): ☐ interconnection agreement, ☐ retail tariffs, or ☐ resale tariffs. (3)
- ☐ List of Ohio counties or exchanges the applicant intends to serve within 24 months of obtaining authorization. (1,3)
- ☐ List of Ohio counties specifically involved or affected. (2,4,6,9-10,12)
- ☐ Certification from Ohio Secretary of State as to party's proper standing (domestic or foreign corporation, authorized use of fictitious name, etc.). (3,4,6,9c-f,10) In transfer of certificate cases, the transferee's good standing must be established.
- ☐ Maps depicting the proposed serving and calling areas of the applicant. (1,3,7,10)
 - ☐ If Mirroring ILEC exchanges for both serving area and local calling areas: * **Serving area** must be clearly reflected on an Ohio map attached to tariffs and textually described in tariffs by noting that it is reflecting a particular ILEC/NEC territory, and listing the involved counties. * **Local calling areas** must be clearly reflected on an Ohio map attached to the tariffs, and/or clearly delineated in tariffs, including a complete listing of each exchange being served and all exchanges to which local calls can be made from each of those exchanges.
 - ☐ If Self-defining serving area and/or local calling area as an area other than that of the established ILEC exchange(s):
 - * **Serving Area** must be clearly reflected on an Ohio map attached to the tariffs, and textually described in tariffs by listing the involved counties. * **Local Calling Areas** must be described in the tariff through textual delineation and clear maps. Maps for self-defined serving and local calling areas are required to be traced on United States Geological Survey topography maps. These maps are the Standard Topographic Quadrangle maps, 7.5 minute 1:24,000.
- ☐ Other information requested by the Commission staff.

III. Registrant hereby attests to its compliance with the following requirements in the Service Requirements Form, as well as all pertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission with respect to these issues. Further, registrant hereby affirms that it will maintain with its TRF docket an up-to-date, properly marked, copy of the Service Requirements Form available for public inspection.

Mandatory requirements for all basic local exchange providers:

- ☒ Sales tax
- ☒ Deposits
- ☒ Disconnection of Service
- ☒ []

Service requirements for a NEC's provision of certain services (check all applicable):

- ☐ Discounts for Persons with Communication Disabilities and the Telecommunication Relay Service
- ☐ Emergency Services Calling Plan
- ☐ Alternative Operator Service (AOS) requirements
- ☐ Limitation of Liability Language
- ☐ Termination Liability Language
- ☐ Service Connection Assistance (SCA) and Telephone Service Assistance (TSA)
- ☐ Resale of Service [Required for facilities-based NECs]
- ☐ Local Number Portability [Required for facilities-based]

IV. List names, titles, phone numbers, and addresses of those persons authorized to make and/or verify filings at the Commission on behalf of the applicant:

NOTE: An annual report is required to be filed with the Commission by each company on an annual basis. The annual report form will be sent for completion to the address and individual(s) identified in this Section unless another address or individual is so indicated.

V. List names, titles, phone numbers, and addresses of those persons authorized to respond to inquiries from the Consumer Services Department on behalf of the applicant regarding end-user complaints:

VERIFICATION

I, Robert A. Schenck - AT verify that I have utilized, verbatim, the Commission's Local Exchange Carrier Registration Form effective _____ 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)*

(Date)

* A 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 Registration Form, including all required attachments as well as the required number of copies, to:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
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4*	18 th Revised	35.5	Original	69	Original	115	1st Revised
5	3rd Revised	35.6	1st Revised	70	1st Revised	116	1st Revised
6*	3 rd Correct	35.7	Original	71	1st Revised	117	1st Revised
7	Original	35.8	2nd Revised	72	1st Revised	118	Original
8	1st Revised	35.9	Original	73	1st Revised	119	Original
9	Original	35.10	Original	74	1st Revised	120	Original
10	Original	35.11	Original	75	1st Revised	121	Original
11	Original	35.12	Original	76	1st Revised	122	Original*
12	Original	36	Original	77	1st Revised	123	Original*
13	Original	37	Original	78	1st Revised	124	Original*
14	Original	38	Original	79	1st Revised		
15	Original	39	Original	80	1st Revised		
16	3rd Revised	40	Original	81	1st Revised		
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19	Original	43	Original	84	1st Revised		
20	Original	44	Original	85	1st Revised		
21	2nd Revised	44.1	Original	86	1st Revised		
21.1	Original	44.2	Original	87	1st Revised		
21.2	Original	45	Original	88	1st Revised		
21.3	Original	46	Original	89	1st Revised		
21.4	Original	47	Original	90	1st Revised		
21.5	Original	48	Original	91	1st Revised		
22	1st Revised	49	Original	92	1st Revised		
23	Original	50	Original	93	1st Revised		
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29	1st Revised	56	1st Revised	99	1st Revised		
30	1st Revised	57	1st Revised	100	1st Revised		
30.1	Original	58	1st Revised	101	1st Revised		
30.2	Original	58.1	Original	102	1st Revised		
30.3	Original	59	1st Revised	103	1st Revised		
30.4	1st Revised	60	1st Revised	104	1st Revised		
30.5	1st Revised	61	1st Revised	105	1st Revised		
31	Original	62	2nd Revised	106	1st Revised		
32	Original	63	1st Revised	107	1st Revised		
33	Original	64	1st Revised	108	1st Revised		
34	Original	64.1	2nd Revised	109	1st Revised		
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SECTION 10 - TEMPORARY PROMOTIONAL OFFERINGS

10.1 Get Equipped for Digital PrimeNBX Promotional Program

New retail end-user Customers who order digital PrimeNBX services between August XX, 1999 and October 31, 1999 and who commit to the minimum requirements specified below will be eligible to receive one of the following credits shown below. A Customer will receive credits for all new PrimeNBX lines, both digital and analog, ordered under this promotional program as long as the Customer orders digital PrimeNBX service as part of their total order.

- Customers who commit to a one-year term plan for new digital PrimeNBX service will received a one-time credit of \$10.00 per digital or analog PrimeNBX line.
- Customers who commit to a two-year term plan for new digital PrimeNBX service will received a one-time credit of \$20.00 per digital or analog PrimeNBX line.
- Customers who commit to a three-year term plan for new digital PrimeNBX service will received a one-time credit of \$40.00 per digital or analog PrimeNBX line.

Customers are responsible for payment of any associated governmental fees, surcharges, or taxes. Credit will be applied on the first month's bill following installation of the service. Total credit issued to Customers will not exceed invoice amount. Service must be installed by December 31, 1999.

This promotional program applies only to new digital PrimeNBX service; existing service or current Customers moving their service to a new location are not eligible to receive credits under this program. This promotion is not valid with any other promotional program or in conjunction with services under contract or priced on an Individual Case Basis. Only one Get Equipped for Digital PrimeNBX promotion is permitted per Customer location.

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SECTION 10 - TEMPORARY PROMOTIONAL OFFERINGS

10.2 Vendor Credit Promotional Program

New retail end-user Customers who order PrimePath services between August XX, 1999 and October 31, 1999 and who commit to the minimum requirements specified below will be eligible to receive one of the following:

- Customers who order between 8 and 24 lines and/or trunks will receive a one-time credit of \$150.
- Customers who order 24 or more lines and/or trunks will received a one-time credit of \$250.

This promotion is only valid for Customers who use outside vendors to perform services required to install the Company's PrimePath service. Customers must order a minimum of 8 lines or trunks to qualify for credits under this program. Customers are responsible for payment of any associated governmental fees, surcharges, or taxes. Credit will be applied on the first month's bill following installation of the service. Service must be installed by December 31, 1999.

This promotional program applies only to new PrimePath service; existing service or current Customers moving their service to a new location are not eligible to receive credits under this program.

This promotion is not valid with any other promotional program or in conjunction with services under contract or priced on an Individual Case Basis. Only one Vendor Credit promotion is permitted per Customer location.

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10.3 PrimePath Installation Waiver Promotional Program

From August XX, 1999 through December 31, 1999, new retail end-user Customers who order PrimePath, PrimeNBX, or PrimePath NBX (where available) will be eligible to receive a credit equal to the standard installation and service order charges for these services. Customers are responsible for payment of any associated governmental fees, surcharges, or taxes applicable to the installation or monthly recurring charges. Non-standard installation charges are not eligible for credit under this promotional program. Credit will be applied to the first month's bill following installation of service.

This promotion is only valid where facilities permit. Service must be installed by March 31, 2000.

This promotional program is not valid with any other Company promotional program or in conjunction with services under contract. New retail end-user Customers ordering PrimePath, PrimeNBX, or PrimePath NBX (where available) services under customer-specific special pricing arrangements are eligible to receive discounts under this program.

If the Customer purchases services under this promotional program on a term plan and terminates service before the end of the commitment period, the Customer will be responsible for paying any charges waived under this program. The Customer will also be charged early termination charges as applicable.

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