

January 28, 2008

By Electronic Delivery

Ms. Reneé J. Jenkins
Director of Administration
Secretary of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

RE: In the Matter of the Application of The Germantown Independent Telephone Company to Add a Late Payment Charge to its Tariff; PUCO Case No. 07-1212-TP-ALI

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

The Germantown Independent Telephone Company submits final tariff sheets for electronic filing in the above-referenced matter. The TRF Number for The Germantown Independent Telephone Company is 90-5021-TP-TRF.

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

Very truly yours,

/s/ Carolyn S. Flahive

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D. ESTABLISHMENT AND FURNISHING OF SERVICE (Continued)

5. Payment for Service

The subscriber will be held responsible for all charges for telephone service rendered in connection with local and toll calls placed from the subscriber's telephone and in connection with toll messages received at his telephone on which the charges are accepted at such telephone. A subscriber's bill shall not be due earlier than nineteen (19) calendar days following the date of the bill (the date the bill is mailed to the subscriber) from the date of the postmark on the bill. If the bill is not paid by the due date, it then becomes past due. (T)

Customers have the option of paying their monthly bills with a credit card. A service charge of \$1.00 or 2.75%, whichever is less, will be added and billed to the customer's credit card account. Payments by credit card may be made either at the Company's business office or at any agency authorized to receive payment, and by calling the Company's business office.

Residential and Business Late Payment Charges: A late payment charge will be applied to residential and business customer bills which remain unpaid after the due date. This charge will be the greater of either \$5.00 or an amount that equals 1.5% of the unpaid charges which are past due; except that the charge is not applicable as specified below or until the amount past due exceeds \$32.00. (N)

Upon customer request, each residential customer shall be permitted a one-time waiver of a late payment charge in cases where the customer has already paid the monthly bill for which the late payment charge was applied.

The late payment charge does not apply to:

1. Amounts which are in dispute at the time the late payment charge would otherwise be applied.
2. Federal excise tax or any other taxes levied by law directly on the customer.
3. Amounts billed by the Company for other entities for which the charge is not authorized by those entities' appropriate tariffs or contracts, other than Interexchange Carrier Services for which the Company, acting as the principal Billing and Collection Agent, purchases the accounts receivable in advance of subscriber billing.
4. Service order charges associated with the commencement of Lifeline service.

Credit, deposit and collection procedures outlined elsewhere in this tariff are not waived by the application of a late payment charge.

The late payment charge will be assessed on the past due amount 19 days after the bill date. (N)

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