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June 27, 2008

Ms. Renee Jenkins, Director of Administration Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215-3794

Re:

United Telephone Company of Ohio d/b/a Embarq Case No. 07-464-TP-COI (Docket No. 90-5041-TP-TRF)

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

On June 16, 2008, Embarq Local Operating Companies filed its Annual Access Rate filing, under Transmittal No. 52, with the Federal Communications Commission. The revisions made to Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 will become effective July 1, 2008. These revisions are made in compliance with the requirements of the 2008 TRP Notice,<sup>1</sup> and adjust the level of interstate access service rates for the Embarq local operating companies. In addition, Embarq LOC is removing an exogenous cost adjustment originally implemented in the 2007 Annual Access filing that was included pursuant to and consistent with the Payphone Order<sup>2</sup>. This exogenous cost adjustment is removed from the End User Common Line (EUCL) charge.

Tariff pages affected by the revisions in Transmittal No. 52 can be viewed on the FCC's website at <a href="http://svartifoss2.fcc.gov/prod/ccb/etfs/">http://svartifoss2.fcc.gov/prod/ccb/etfs/</a>. Once you have accessed this page, take the following steps to access this filing:

- 1) Click on the gray box that says "Public Access".
- 2) Click on the gray box that says "Browse Filed Tariff Documents".
- 3) Click on the gray box that says "Browse Documents Filed by an ILEC".
- 4) Click on Embarg Local Operating Companies.
- 5) Click on FCC 1
- 6) Locate the Revised Tariff Pages for Transmittal No. 52 and click on the box with the heading "View PDF" (second column from the left).

You can print all associated tariff pages for Transmittal No. 52 from this file. Adobe Acrobat Reader is required for viewing these tariff pages.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In the Matter of Material to be Filed in Support of 2008 Annual Access Tariff Filings, WCB/Pricing 08-15 (DA 08-759), released March 28, 2008 (2008 TRP Notice).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> In the Matter of Petition for Waiver of Section 61.45(d), or in the Alternative, a Declaratory Ruling, Memorandum Opinion and Order, FCC 06-175, released December 1, 2006 (Payphone Order).

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Should you have questions or require additional information regarding this filing, please contact Mr. Gary Baki at 614-220-8629.

Sincerely,

Gary L. Kepley

Attachments

Pc: Gary Baki

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## Streamlined Filing This streamlined filing is being made on 15 days' notice in accordance with Section 204(a)(3) of the Communications Act.

June 16, 2008

Transmittal No. 52

Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554

Attention: Competitive Pricing Division, Wireline Competition Bureau

The accompanying tariff material, issued on behalf of the Embarq local operating companies (Embarq LOC) and bearing Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 is sent to you for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

These revisions, scheduled to become effective July 1, 2008, consist of tariff pages as indicated on the following check sheets:

#### Tariff F.C.C. No.

#### Check Sheet No.

1	54th Revised Page 1	8th Revised Page 1.8
	6th Revised Page 1.3	Original Page 1.8.1
	5th Revised Page 1.4	8th Revised Page 1.9
	7th Revised Page 1.5	19th Revised Page 1.22

This filing, made on 15 day's notice under the Federal Communications Commission's streamlined filing procedures and in compliance with the requirements of the 2008 TRP Notice, adjusts the level of interstate access service rates for the Embarq local operating companies. In addition, Embarq LOC is removing an exogenous cost adjustment originally implemented in the 2007 Annual Access filing that was included pursuant to and consistent with the Payphone Order<sup>2</sup>. This exogenous cost adjustment is removed from the End User Common Line (EUCL) charge.

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The support material for this filing, as required by Section 61.41 through 61.49 of the Commission's Rules, is outlined in Attachment A. It should be noted that the Description and Justification and Tariff Review Plan information provided in support of the proposed access service revisions replaces the documentation submitted May 1, 2007 in its entirety.

In accordance with the requirements of Section 61.21(a)(3) of the Commission's Rules, the FCC Registration Number (FRN) for Embarq is 0014-7911-64. Embarq LOC is filing this transmittal on behalf of issuing carriers with the following FRNs:

0004-1465-85	0002-6434-35	0001-5666-94
0004-1404-22	0002-3372-44	0002-9388-43
0001-8252-98	0002-3916-39	0001-7701-22
0002-9015-51	0005-0517-68	0004-1839-19
0005-0517-43	0001-6851-48	0001-7770-36
0002-5952-47	0002-3825-70	
0002-3420-38	0001-9523-40	

Payment in the amount of \$775.00 has been electronically transmitted to the US Bank in St. Louis, Missouri, in accordance with the fee program procedures. The Form 159 is being transmitted electronically via ETFS as a proprietary document.

All correspondence and inquiries in connection with this filing should be addressed to me at 5454 West 110th Street, Mailstop KSOPKJ0502-508, Overland Park, Kansas 66211, (913) 345-7572.

Gary L. Kepley

Director - Regulatory Systems

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**Embarq Corporation** 

Attachments

Transmittal Letter Revised Tariff Pages Support Material

# LIST OF MATERIAL SUBMITTED WITH EMBARQ LOCAL OPERATING COMPANIES JULY 2008 ANNUAL ACCESS CHARGE TARIFF FILING

- 1. Embarq Local Operating Companies Transmittal No. 52
- 2. Revised Tariff Pages (Tariff F.C.C. No. 1)
- 3. Support Material

Description and Justification

Tariff Review Plan and Certification

Rate Detail