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February 26, 1999

Ms. Daisy Crockron Docketing Division Chief The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, 10th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

Re:

Case No. 90-2021-TP-ATA

Case No. 90-5023-TP-TRF Case No. 93-1020-TP-ATA

Case No. 96-899-TP-ALT

Dear Ms. Crockron:

Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company (CBT) proposes to revise its General Exchange Tariff PUCO No. 8 to do a promotional offering of its Priority Forward service. Priority Forward is a Custom Calling PLUS service feature which provides distinctive ringing on up to six designated incoming telephone numbers.

In accordance with the Commission's guidelines for promotional offerings established in the cases referenced above, CBT is forwarding for filing three copies of addendum sheets associated with the tariff pages affected by this promotional offering. Addendum Sheets, in the form authorized by the Commission, are being issued for CBT's General Exchange Tariff PUCO No. 8, Section 35, 3rd Revised Page 13 and Section 35, 4th Revised Page 15. The Addendum Sheets supersede the tariff pages during the promotional period. The Addendum Sheets specify the terms rates, and charges that will be in effect for services included in this promotion, during the promotional period.

Beginning on March 3, 1999, CBT residential and nonresidential service customers requesting Priority Forward will have the monthly charge for the service waived for 30 days. They will also have the nonrecurring charge to activate the service waived. The charges will be waived for customers who place their orders by April3, 1999.

Under the terms established in the CBT's stipulated Commitment 2000 Plan (PUCO Case No. 96-899-TP-ALT issued by the Commission April 9, 1998), no cost or financial analysis information is required for special promotions. However, services included in promotional offerings in excess of ninety (90) days within a six month period of time are subject to the

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discount and resale provisions established in Section VI. F.10 of CBT's *Commitment 2000 plan*. This promotion does not contain services that have been promoted more than 90 days in a six month period within the last 12 months.

Questions regarding this promotional offering may be directed to me at the above listed address for CBT or by telephone at 513-397-1312. Acknowledgement of receipt of this transmittal is requested. A duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed for this purpose.

Sincerely,

Tom Mc Clover
Tom McCloud

Regulatory Affairs

Attachment

GENERAL EXCHANGE TARIFF

CINCINNATI BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

Section 35

13th Revised Addendum Sheet 13

to 5th Revised Page 13

ADDENDUM TO CUSTOM CALLING PLUS SERVICES

B. RATES (Cont'd)

RECURRING CHARGES

Promotional Offering Addendum

All residential and nonresidential service customers who meet the terms listed below and sign up for the Custom Calling PLUS Service, Priority Forward during the promotional period specified below will receive a waiver of the first month's recurring charge.

a. Market Area Exchange Targeted By Special Promotion

All Exchanges served by Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company

- b Promotional Period Beginning Date: March 3, 1999 Ending Date April 3, 1999
 - c. Terms and Limitations of the Promotion
 - (1) The monthly recurring charge for Priority Forward service will be waived for all residential and nonresidential service customers who order Priority Forward by April 3, 1999 for a one-month free trial period.
 - (2) Customers may place multiple orders during the promotional period.
 - (3) The customer must notify the Telephone Company to discontinue this service. When signing up for this promotion, customers will be advised by the Telephone Company that they must notify the Telephone Company to discontinue the service or they will be billed after the one-month free trial period ends.
 - (4) The Telephone Company will implement a one-time forgiveness policy for those customers who sign up for service during the promotion and are billed monthly charges after the one-month free period ends. The monthly charge will be adjusted off the customer's bill when the customer calls, within the first sixty (60) days after billing begins, to dispute their intent for the service to have been continued beyond the one-month free trial period.
 - d. Twelve Month Promotional History
 - (1) November 16, 1998 through December 31, 1998 (residential)
 - (2) July 6, 1998 through September 21,1998 (Nonresidence).

Issued: March 1, 1999

Effective: March 2, 1999

In accordance with Case No. 92-2021-TP-ATA, issued by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio on March 7, 1991, PUCO Case No. 93-1020-TP-ATA July 22, 1993 and PUCO Case No. 97-899-TP-ALT, April 9, 1988,

Eugene J. Baldrate Vice President + Regulatory Affairs, Cincinnati, Ohio

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 All: Exchanges served by Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company

 **Beginning Date: March 3, 1999

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