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Ms. Barcy F. McNeal, Secretary
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 E. Broad St.
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

Re: Case No. 10-2387-TP-COI
Buckeye Telesystem, Inc.
Intrastate Terminating Switched Access and Transport Rates

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Pursuant to the February 29 and March 20, 2012, entries in this matter, Buckeye Telesystem, Inc.'s ("Buckeye") FCC Tariff No. 1 Terminating Switched Access and Transport Rates are almost identical to the Buckeye Terminating Switched Access and Transport Rates found in PUCO Tariff No. 3. The lone difference is that the FCC Transport Facility (per minute per mile) in the AT&T service area is rated at \$0.000013 compared to the PUCO Rate of \$0.000014. Instead of reducing the rate to 50% of the difference, Buckeye proposes to reduce the PUCO Transport Facility (per minute per mile) in the AT&T service area from \$0.000014 down to \$0.000013 effective July 1, 2012. There are no further calculations. No further reductions would need to be made in 2013.

Buckeye respectfully requests that the Commission approve the attached 2nd Revised Page No. 103-A.1 to become effective on July 1, 2012.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Stephen M. Howard
Attorneys for Buckeye Telesystem, Inc.

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ACCESS SERVICE -- CARRIER TO CARRIER

10. RATES FOR SERVICE (Cont.)

10.4 Switched Access Rates (Cont'd)

<u>Operator Services (Per Call)</u>		
Operator Transfer Service	AT&T	\$0.21
Operator Transfer Service	Frontier	\$0.35
Operator Transfer Service	Embarq	\$0.30
Inbound Operator Assistance	AT&T	\$0.65
Inbound Operator Assistance	Frontier	\$0.65
Inbound Operator Assistance	Embarq	N/A
Inbound Verification	AT&T	\$0.90
Inbound Verification	Frontier	\$0.65
Inbound Verification	Embarq	\$1.50
Inbound Interrupt	AT&T	\$1.10
Inbound Interrupt	Frontier	\$0.65
Inbound Interrupt	Embarq	\$2.75
	ILEC Company	Rate
<u>Local Switching</u>		
Switching per access minute	AT&T	\$0.003116
Switching per access minute	Embarq	\$0.003644
Switching per access minute	Frontier	\$0.0022077
Common Trunk Port	AT&T	\$0.000371
Common Trunk Port	Embarq	\$0.000405
Common Trunk Port	Frontier	\$0.0015479
<u>Transport</u>		
Common Multiplexing	AT&T	\$0.000017
Common Multiplexing	Embarq	\$0.000405
Common Multiplexing	Frontier	\$0.0000000
Transport Termination (per minute of use)	AT&T	\$0.000103
Transport Termination (per minute of use)	Embarq	\$0.000412
Transport Termination (per minute of use)	Frontier	\$0.0000000
Transport Facility (per minute, per mile)	AT&T	\$0.000013
Transport Facility (per minute, per mile)	Embarq	\$0.000035
Transport Facility (per minute, per mile)	Frontier	\$0.0000020

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