### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In The Matter Of The Application	)	
For Approval Of An Agreement Amenda	nent )	
Between AT&T Mobility and	)	Case No. 12-1923-TP-NAG
Arthur Mutual Telephone Company	)	
Pursuant To Section 252 of the	)	
Telecommunications Act of 1996.	)	

## APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF AN AGREEMENT AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996

New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC d/b/a AT&T Mobility hereby files an amendment to the agreement between Arthur Mutual Telephone Company and Centennial Cellular Tri-State Operating Partnership for review and approval by the Commission pursuant to the provisions of Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, 47 U.S.C. § 252(e) ("the Act"). The agreement was approved in Case No. 09-643-TP-NAG. In 2010, Centennial merged into New Cingular, as reported in Case No. 10-1037-TP-RCC. The Amendment establishes bill-and-keep as the compensation arrangement for IntraMTA Traffic exchanged between the Parties, pursuant to recent orders of the FCC. AT&T Mobility requests that the Commission approve the Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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# Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement between New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC, and its Commercial Mobile Radio Service operating affiliates, d/b/a AT&T Mobility, and Arthur Mutual Telephone Company

This is an Amendment ("Amendment") to the Interconnection Agreement between New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, and its Commercial Mobile Radio Service ("CMRS") operating affiliates, d/b/a AT&T Mobility (hereafter "AT&T Mobility"), and Arthur Mutual Telephone Company, jointly as the "Parties".

#### RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Parties, or their predecessors in interest, previously entered into an Interconnection Agreement (the "Agreement") pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 251/252; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Communications Commission, in an order released November 18, 2011, has provided that bill-and-keep shall be the default compensation arrangement between the Parties for the exchange of all Intra-MTA traffic, and that this is to be considered a change of law; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Communications Commission, in an order released December 23, 2011, has provided that such bill-and-keep arrangement, when requested before July 1, 2012, shall become effective July 1, 2012; and

WHEREAS, AT&T Mobility elects to apply a bill-and-keep arrangement to all Intra-MTA traffic between the Parties; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement contains a "change of law" provision that authorizes the Parties to amend the Agreement to comport with a change in law; and

WHEREAS, the Parties desire to amend the Agreement to provide for a bill-and-keep arrangement for the exchange of all Intra-MTA traffic between them, such bill-and-keep arrangement to become effective July 1, 2012;

#### AGREEMENT

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and the mutual terms, covenants and conditions contained in this Amendment and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

#### **Amendment Terms**

1. From July 1, 2012, forward, all Intra-MTA traffic between the Parties shall be exchanged pursuant to a bill-and-keep arrangement, which means that neither Party shall charge the other for the transport and termination of the other's traffic.

- 2. This amendment shall be effective July 1, 2012.
- 3. This amendment shall remain effective as long as the Agreement remains effective between the Parties.
- 4. The provisions of this Amendment, including the provisions of this sentence, may not be amended, modified or supplemented without the written consent thereto by both Parties' authorized representatives.
- 5. Except as expressly set forth herein, the terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain in full force and effect without change.

The Parties, intending to be legally bound, have executed this Amendment as of the dates set forth below, in multiple counterparts, each of which is deemed an original, but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument.

New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC, and its Commercial Mobile Radio Service operating affiliates, d/b/a AT&T Mobility

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