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Ms. Barcy McNeal
Docketing Division
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

RE: In the matter of the Application of Continental Telephone Company to Modify its Construction Charges
Tariff: PUCO Case No. 14-1919-TP-ATA

Dear Ms. McNeal:

Enclosed are replacement tariff sheets to be filed in connection with the above referenced matter on behalf of Continental Telephone Company. Please replace the tariff sheets that were originally filed on November 5, 2014 with the revised tariff sheets enclosed.

The TRF Number for Continental is 90-5016-TP-TRF.

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

Regards,

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Enclosure

EXHIBIT B
REPLACEMENT
PROPOSED SCHEDULE SHEETS

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

H. **CONSTRUCTION CHARGES** (Continued)

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3. **Extension of Telephone Facilities** (Continued)

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c. Specific to Land Developments (Continued)

9. When developer is required to provide a trench for other underground facilities, the Company shall use common trench as long as the Company's design layout, easement specification, routing and scheduling requirements can be met, unless otherwise agreed upon by Company and Developer in writing or as otherwise established by the Commission.
10. The Developer will allow the Company to inspect the trenching provided by the Developer, and allow for phased inspection of trenching.

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d. Specific to Cluster and Mobile Homes Developments

1. Legally sufficient easement must be made available to the Company to accommodate the placing and maintaining of the common communications serving facilities. The surface of the easement area must be brought to final grade prior to the installation of buried or underground telecommunications facilities.
2. A trailer stake (a T shaped stake) must be installed by the Developer at the back side on the mobile homes between every two mobile home parking lots for the purpose of attaching the network interface device (NID) or protector, on the outside of the mobile home unless the Company approves some other arrangement. In no case will the Company provide service when the protector/NID is attached to the mobile home.
3. A Construction Allowance will only be provided to mobile homes located on a permanent pad or foundation. When the mobile home is not mounted on a permanent pad or foundation, such service is considered temporary.

e. Construction Allowance

The following Construction Allowances apply to residential line extensions:

1. Each Applicant with an active service order request will be provided with a one-time construction allowance per premises up to 1000 feet with a maximum of 300 feet on private property.

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(M)-Material now appears on Sheet 29 of this Section.

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GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

H. **CONSTRUCTION CHARGES** (Continued)

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5. **Agreements and Charges** (Continued)

- g. Additional construction charges may apply based on actual costs for such items as, but not limited to:
 - 1. Extraordinary construction, maintenance or replacement of current facilities;
 - 2. Overtime work at the Applicant's request;
 - 3. Special installation, equipment and assembly not normally provided;
 - 4. Easements & Right of Way
 - 5. Trenching and backfill
- h. Receipt of the Applicant(s) payment(s) by the Company for the Applicant's required construction charges will be considered an application for service and the date to move forward with the construction of the new facilities.
- i. If the Applicant's share of the actual cost to provide new service exceeds the Applicant's estimated costs to provide new service, the Applicant may be responsible for additional Construction Charge. If the Applicant's share of the actual Construction Charge is less than the estimated Construction Charge, the Company may provide a refund, or credit for excess amount to the Applicant.
- j. The Company will determine whether any Aid-To-Construction is required. The amount and detail of the payment or refund for the Aid-to-Construction will be provided in the LDA.
- k. Any refunds of Aid to Construction will be non-interest bearing. In no case will any refund exceed the original amount of Aid to Construction.
- l. If the Applicant cancels service prior to construction beginning, a charge will not be assessed. If the Applicant cancels service after construction begins, a charge equal to the costs incurred will be assessed and due immediately.
- m. **Basis for Charges**

Basis for Charges where the Company furnishes a facility or service for which a rate or charge is not specified in the Company's tariffs, charges will be based on the costs incurred by the Company (including return) and may include:
 - 1. Nonrecurring charges;
 - 2. Recurring charges;
 - 3. Termination liabilities; or
 - 4. Combinations of 1), 2) and 3)

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GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**H. CONSTRUCTION CHARGES (Continued)****5. Agreements and Charges (Continued)****n. Basis for Cost Computation**

The costs referred to in H.2.f. preceding may include one or more of the following items to the extent they are applicable:

1. Costs to install the facilities to be provided including estimated costs for the rearrangements of existing facilities. These costs include:
 - a) Equipment and materials provided or used;
 - b) Engineering, labor and supervision;
 - c) Transportation; and
 - d) Rights of way and/or any required easements.
2. Cost of maintenance;
3. Depreciation on the estimated cost installed of any facilities provided, based on the anticipated useful service life of the facilities with an appropriate allowance for the estimated net salvage;
4. Administrative expenses, taxes on the basis of reasonable average cost for these items;
5. License preparation, processing and related fees
6. Any other identifiable costs related to the facilities provided; or
7. An amount for return and contingencies.

6. Other Types of Construction or Special Conditions**a. Special Types of Construction or Unusual Conditions**

Additional Construction Charges may apply to the following situations:

1. Where a special type of construction is desired by an Applicant or a specific route for extensions is requested to meet an Applicant's special requirements and where the construction or route so requested differs from the normal standards of the Company and is not legally required by ordinance, covenant, tract restriction or otherwise.

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS**H. CONSTRUCTION CHARGES (Continued)**

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6. Other Types of Construction or Special Conditions (Continued)**a. Special Types of Construction or Unusual Conditions (Continued)**

2. Where existing aerial facilities are requested to be relocated underground in an area where the Company would not, except for such request, relocate its facilities underground.
3. Where, at the request of the Applicant, the Company constructs a greater quantity of facilities than the Company would otherwise construct or normally utilize.
4. Where construction of facilities is required to meet unusual conditions such as (but not limited to) providing service in hazardous and/or inaccessible locations.

b. Temporary Construction or Seasonal Service

1. Where construction is required to provide service on a temporary basis, the Applicant will be required to pay a Construction Charge equal to the estimated cost of installing and removing the temporary facilities, less estimated salvage at the time of removal. In the event the facilities are reusable for providing permanent service without rearrangement or modification, at the time the temporary service is disconnected, a portion of the Construction Charge assessed may be refunded, depending upon the circumstances in each case. Removal of facilities will be at the option of the Company, if installation of the temporary facilities was made to permanent standards and permanent easements were granted.
2. Where construction is required to provide service on a seasonal basis, or meet other unusual demands, additional construction charges may be assessed on a case-by-case basis.

c. Relocation and Rearrangement of Existing Facilities

When the Company is requested to relocate or rearrange existing facilities for which no specific charge is quoted in this tariff, the customer requesting such relocation or rearrangement may be required to bear the costs incurred with the request.

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GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

I. TAXES OR FEES TO BE BILLED TO CUSTOMERS

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1. General

- a. When a municipality or political subdivision imposes upon the Company, any license, occupation, franchise, permit, inspection or other similar tax, such tax, fee or charge shall be billed to the telephone customers receiving service within the municipality or political subdivision, allocated uniformly on the basis of each such customer's monthly charges for the types of service made subject to such tax, fee or charge.

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