BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application for Approval)	Case No.16-1040-TP-ACO
of (1) the Proposed Transfer of Indirect)	90-5980-TP-TRF 90-5763-TP-TRF 90-9405-TP-TRF 90-9378-TP-TRF
Control of ANPI Business, LLC and ANPI,)	
LLC to Onvoy, LLC; and (2) the Proposed)	
ransfer of Indirect Minority Control of		90-93/8-1P-1KF
Common Point LLC to Onvoy, LLC.		

REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATION

SUBMITTED ON BEHALF OF THE STAFF OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

On May 10, 2016, Onvoy, LLC (Onvoy), ANPI Business, LLC (ANPI-Biz), ANPI, LLC (ANPI) and Common Point, LLC (Common Point and collectively with Onvoy, ANPI-Biz and ANPI, Applicants) filed an application for approval of a change in ownership. Pursuant to the Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) §4901:1-6-29(E), as adopted in Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD, this is a application for a change in control of a local exchange carrier (LEC) providing basic local exchange service (BLES). As such, this application for a change in control (ACO) filing is subject to a 30-day notice filing process as described in rule 4901:1-6-05 of the Administrative Code. The automatic approval date is June 9, 2016, with an effective date of June 10, 2016.

Pursuant to Rule 29(E) of the Telephone Company Procedures and Standards, a LEC providing BLES shall obtain the prior approval of the Commission for a change in control (ACO). The rule also states that an applicant shall file with the Commission the telecommunications filing form and required attachments. The rule further states that a ACO application must demonstrate that the change in control will promote public convenience and result in the provision of adequate service for a reasonable rate, rental, toll, or charge. Rule 29(D) states that unless the change in operation is completely transparent to the customer, the telephone company must give notice to each affected customer, in accordance with rule 490:1-06-07 of the Administrative Code.

The Applicants filed and requires documents and exhibits, except for a customer notice. However, this change in control is transparent, therefore, no customer notice is required. The Staff reviewed all documents and exhibits filed on May 10, 2016 and in conclusion, the Staff review found that the application does meet all the requirements set forth in Rule 29 of the Telephone Company Procedures and Standards. Therefore, Staff recommends that the Applicants application for a change in control (ACO) be approved.

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