

*The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio*  
**TELECOMMUNICATIONS FILING FORM**

(Effective: 04-01-2020)

Per the Commission's 5/29/2019 "Implementation Order" in Case No. 19-0173-TP-ORD

This form is intended to be used with most types of required filings. It provides check boxes with rule references for the most common types of filings. It does not replace or supersede Commission rules in anyway.

In the Matter of the Application of AT&T Ohio for Review and ) TRF Docket No. 90- -TP-  
 Approval of an Interconnection Agreement Amendment ) Case No. 21-0171-TP-NAG  
 Pursuant to Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 )

Name of Registrant(s) The Ohio Bell Telephone Company

DBA(s) of Registrant(s) AT&T Ohio

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Motion for protective order included with filing?  Yes  No

Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case?  Yes  No [Note: Waivers may toll any automatic timeframe.]

**Notes:**

Sections I and II are pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) [4901:1-6](#).

Section III – Part I - Carrier to Carrier is pursuant to OAC [4901:1-7](#) and Pole Attachment to OAC [4901:1-3](#)

Section III – Part II - Wireless is pursuant to OAC [4901:1-6-24](#).

Section IV – Attestation.

(1) Indicate the Carrier Type and the reason for submitting this form by checking the boxes below.

(2) For requirements for various applications, see identified section of the Ohio Administrative Code Chapter 4901 and/or the supplemental application form noted.

(3) Information regarding the number of copies required by the PUCO may be obtained from the PUCO's website at [www.PUCO.ohio.gov](http://www.PUCO.ohio.gov) under the docketing information system section (Procedural filing requirements), by calling the Docketing Division at 614-466-4095 or by visiting the Docketing Division at the offices of the PUCO.

(4) An Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier (ILEC) offering basic local exchange service (BLES) outside its traditional service area should choose CLEC designation when proposing to offer BLES outside its traditional service area or when proposing to make changes to that service.

**All filings that result in a change to one or more tariff pages require, at a minimum, the following exhibits:**

Exhibit	Description:
A	The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s) as they exist before the change(s).
B	The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s), reflecting the change, with the change(s) marked in the right margin.
C	A short description of the nature of the change(s), the intent of the change(s), and the customers affected.
D	A copy of the notice provided to customers, along with an affidavit that the notice was provided according to the applicable rule(s).

**Section I – Part I - Common Filings:**

<b>Carrier Type:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain below)	<b>For Profit ILEC</b>	<b>Not for Profit ILEC</b>	<b>CLEC</b>
Change terms & conditions of existing BLES.	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)(2)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(J)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)
Introduce non-recurring charge, surcharge or fee to BLES	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)		<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)
Introduce or Increase Late Payment	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(J)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-6-14(I)</a> (Auto 30 days)
Revisions to BLES Cap	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(E)</a> (0 day notice )		
Introduce BLES or expand local service area (calling area)	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(E)</a> (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(E)</a> (0 day notice )	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-14(E)</a> (0 day notice )
Change BLES Rates	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-14(E) &amp; (G)</a> (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-14(E)</a> (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-14(H)</a> (0 day notice)
To obtain BLES pricing flexibility	<input type="checkbox"/> BLS <a href="#">1-6-14(C)(1)(c)</a> (Auto 30 days)		
Notice of no obligation to construct facilities and provide BLES	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-27(C)</a> (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-27(C)</a> (0 day notice)	
Change in boundary	<input type="checkbox"/> ACB <a href="#">1-6-32</a> (Auto 14 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACB <a href="#">1-6-32</a> (Auto 14 days)	
Expand service operation area			<input type="checkbox"/> TRF <a href="#">1-6-08(G)</a> (0 day notice)
BLES withdrawal	<input type="checkbox"/> WBL <a href="#">4927.10</a> (120 day notice)		<input type="checkbox"/> ZTA <a href="#">1-6-25(B)</a> (0 day notice)
<b>Other</b> (explain):			

\*Other exhibits may be required under the applicable rule, see the 4901:106-14(E) Filing Requirements on the PUCO's webpage for a complete list of exhibits.

**Section I – Part II – Customer Notification Offerings Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-07 OAC**

<b>Type of Notice</b>	<b>Direct Mail</b>	<b>Bill Insert</b>	<b>Bill Notation</b>	<b>Electronic Mail</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 15-day Notice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> 30-day Notice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Date Notice Sent:</b>				

**Section I – Part III – Inmate Operator Service Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-22 OAC**

<b>Introduce New</b>	<b>Tariff Change</b>	<b>Price Change</b>	<b>Withdraw</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> TRF (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> TRF (0 day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC (Non-Auto)

**Section II – Part I – Carrier Certification – Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-08 & 10 OAC and Competitive Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Designation (CETC) – Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-6-09 OAC**

ILEC (Out of territory)	CLEC	Telecommunications Service Provider Not Offering Local Service	CESTC	CETC
<input type="checkbox"/> ACE <a href="#">1-6-08</a> (Auto 30-day)*	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE <a href="#">1-6-08</a> (Auto 30-day)*	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE <a href="#">1-6-08</a> (Auto 30-day)*	<input type="checkbox"/> ACE 1-6-10 (Auto 30-day)	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC 1-6-09 (Non-Auto)*

\*Supplemental forms can be found on the PUCO webpage – [Telecommunications application forms](#).

**Section II – Part II – Change in Operation or Ownership**

Change in Operation or Ownership	ILEC	CLEC	Telecommunications Service Provider Not Offering Local Service
Abandon all services		<input type="checkbox"/> ABN <a href="#">1-6-26</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ABN <a href="#">1-6-26</a> (Auto 30 days)
Change of official name *	<input type="checkbox"/> ACN <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACN <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0-day notice)
Change in ownership *	<input type="checkbox"/> ACO <a href="#">1-6-29(E)(1)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ACO <a href="#">1-6-29(E)(1)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0-day notice)
Merger *	<input type="checkbox"/> AMT <a href="#">1-6-29(E)(1)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> AMT <a href="#">1-6-29(E)(1)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0-day notice)
Transfer certificate *	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0-day notice)
Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or business *	<input type="checkbox"/> ATR <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATC <a href="#">1-6-29(B)</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29(C)</a> (0-day notice)
FCC Authorized Change in Ownership or Merger	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29 (E)(2)</a> (0-day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29 (E)(2)</a> (0-day notice)	<input type="checkbox"/> CIO <a href="#">1-6-29 (E)(2)</a> (0-day notice)

\*Other exhibits may be required under the applicable rule(s). ACN, ACO, AMT, ATC, ATR, and CIO applications see the [4901:1-6-29 Filing Requirements](#) on the PUCO webpage for a complete list of exhibits.

**Section III – Part I - Carrier to Carrier (Pursuant to 4901:1-7) & Attachments to Utility Equipment or Rights of Way (Pursuant to 4901:1-3)**

Carrier to Carrier	ILEC	CLEC
Interconnection agreement or amendment to an approved agreement	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NAG <a href="#">1-7-07</a> (Auto 90 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> NAG <a href="#">1-7-07</a> (Auto 90 days)
Request for arbitration	<input type="checkbox"/> ARB <a href="#">1-7-09</a> (Non-Auto)	<input type="checkbox"/> ARB <a href="#">1-7-09</a> (Non-Auto)
Introduce or change carrier to carrier tariffs	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-7-14</a> (Auto 30 days)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-7-14</a> (Auto 30 days)
Request rural carrier exemption, rural carrier suspension or modification	<input type="checkbox"/> UNC <a href="#">1-7-04 or 05</a> (Auto 30 days)	
Changes in rates, terms & conditions to pole attachments, conduit occupancy and rights of way. (13-579-AU-ORD 11/30/16 Entry)	<input type="checkbox"/> ATA <a href="#">1-3-04</a> (Auto 60 days)	

**Section III – Part II – Facilities-based Wireless Service Providers (Pursuant to 4901:1-6-24)**

Registration and Change in Operations*	<input type="checkbox"/> RCC <a href="#">1-6-24(B)</a> (0 day notice)
Interconnection Agreement or amendment to an approved Agreement.	<input type="checkbox"/> NAG <a href="#">1-7-07</a> (0 day notice)

\*Change in Operations filing must be filed in the original RCC case designation code established during the registration process.

**Section IV. – Attestation**

**Registrant hereby attests to its compliance with the pertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission.**

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**AFFIDAVIT**

*Compliance with Commission Rules*

I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, AT&T Ohio, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.

Richard T. Howell

(Name)

Please check All that apply:

I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules for the State of Ohio. I understand that tariff notification filings do not imply Commission approval and that the Commission's rules, as modified and clarified from time to time, supersede any contradictory provisions in our tariff. We will fully comply with the rules of the State of Ohio and understand that noncompliance can result in various penalties, including the suspension of our certificate to operate within the State of Ohio.

I attest that customer notices accompanying this filing form were sent to affected customers, as specified in Section II, in accordance with Ohio Adm. Code 4901:1-6-7.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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\*Signature and Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*\*This affidavit is required for every tariff-affecting filing. It may be signed by counsel, an officer of the applicant or an authorized agent of the applicant.*

**VERIFICATION**

I, Richard T. Howell, verify I have utilized the Telecommunications Filing Form for the most proceedings provided by the Commission and that all of the information submitted here and all additional information in connection with this case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

/s/ Richard T. Howell, Area Manager-Regulatory Relations

February 22, 2021

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\*Signature and Title

Date

*\*Verification is required for every filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the applicant.*

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**File document electronically as directed in case number 06-900-AU-WVR**

*or*

*Send your completed Filing Form, including all required attachments as well as the required number of copies to:*

**Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
Attention: Docketing Division  
180 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215-3793**

**AGREEMENT**

**BETWEEN**

**ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, LLC D/B/A AT&T ILLINOIS,  
INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY INCORPORATED D/B/A AT&T  
INDIANA, MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T  
MICHIGAN, THE OHIO BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T  
OHIO, WISCONSIN BELL, INC. D/B/A AT&T WISCONSIN**

**AND**

**GRANITE TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC**

Signature: eSigned - Rand Currier

Signature: eSigned - Kristen Shore

Name: eSigned - Rand Currier  
(Print or Type)

Name: eSigned - Kristen Shore  
(Print or Type)

Title: COO  
(Print or Type)

Title: AVP Regulatory  
(Print or Type)

Date: 22 Dec 2020

Date: 29 Dec 2020

Granite Telecommunications, LLC

Illinois Bell Telephone Company, LLC d/b/a AT&T ILLINOIS, Indiana Bell Telephone Company Incorporated d/b/a AT&T INDIANA, Michigan Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T MICHIGAN, The Ohio Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T OHIO, Wisconsin Bell, Inc. d/b/a AT&T WISCONSIN by AT&T Services, Inc., its authorized agent

**AMENDMENT TO  
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT  
BY AND BETWEEN**

**ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, LLC D/B/A AT&T ILLINOIS, INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE  
COMPANY INCORPORATED D/B/A AT&T INDIANA, MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A  
AT&T MICHIGAN, THE OHIO BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T OHIO, WISCONSIN BELL,  
INC. D/B/A AT&T WISCONSIN  
AND  
GRANITE TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC**

This Amendment amends the Interconnection Agreement by and between Illinois Bell Telephone Company, LLC d/b/a AT&T ILLINOIS, Indiana Bell Telephone Company Incorporated d/b/a AT&T INDIANA, Michigan Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T MICHIGAN, The Ohio Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T OHIO, Wisconsin Bell, Inc. d/b/a AT&T WISCONSIN ("AT&T") and Granite Telecommunications, LLC ("CLEC"). AT&T and CLEC are hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties" and individually as a "Party". This Amendment applies in AT&T's service territory in the State(s) of Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio and Wisconsin.

**WITNESSETH:**

**WHEREAS**, AT&T and CLEC are Parties to an Interconnection Agreement under Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, as amended (the "Act"), as executed by the last Party on December 21, 2010 (the "Agreement"); and

**WHEREAS**, AT&T, members of the CLEC community and representatives of the state Commission staffs for Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio and Wisconsin recently participated in a collaborative to determine whether to modify the current Commission approved and ordered Performance Measures and Remedies Plan (the "Plan") for the States of Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio and Wisconsin ("Collaborative Review"); and

**WHEREAS**, that Collaborative Review resulted in agreement by the Parties to extend the term of the Plan, without changes.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in consideration of the promises and mutual agreements set forth herein, the Parties agree to amend the Agreement as follows:

1. The term of the Plan shall be extended for two (2) years ending December 31, 2022.
2. Conflict between this Amendment and the Agreement. This Amendment shall be deemed to revise the terms and conditions of the Agreement only to the extent necessary to give effect to the purpose of this Amendment, which is to extend the term of the Plan. In the event of a conflict between the terms and conditions of this Amendment and the terms and conditions of the Agreement, this Amendment shall govern, *provided, however*, that the fact that a term or condition appears in this Amendment but not in the Agreement, or in the Agreement but not in this Amendment, shall not be interpreted as, or deemed grounds for finding, a conflict.
3. Scope of Amendment. This Amendment shall amend, modify and revise the Agreement only to the extent set forth expressly in paragraph 1 of this Amendment. All other terms and conditions of the Agreement remain in full force and effect for the duration of the term of the Agreement, including but not limited to termination rights of the Parties. Nothing in this Amendment shall be deemed to extend or otherwise modify the term of the Agreement, or to affect the rights of the Parties to exercise any right of termination under the Agreement.
4. There shall be no retroactive application of any provision of this Amendment prior to the Effective Date of an adopting CLEC's agreement.
5. This Amendment shall be deemed to revise the terms and provisions of the Agreement only to the extent necessary to give effect to the terms and provisions of this Amendment. In the event of a conflict between the terms and provisions of



this Amendment and the terms and provisions of the Agreement (including all incorporated or accompanying Appendices, Addenda, and Exhibits to the Agreement), this Amendment shall govern, provided, however, that the fact that a term or provision appears in this Amendment but not in the Agreement, or in the Agreement but not in this Amendment, shall not be interpreted as, or deemed grounds for finding, a conflict for purposes of this Amendment.

6. In entering into this Amendment, neither Party waives, and each Party expressly reserves, any rights, remedies or arguments it may have at law or under the intervening law or regulatory change provisions in the underlying Agreement (including intervening law rights asserted by either Party via written notice predating this Amendment) with respect to any orders, decisions, legislation or proceedings and any remands thereof, which the Parties have not yet fully incorporated into this Agreement or which may be the subject of further review.
7. This Amendment shall not modify or extend the Effective Date or Term of the underlying Agreement, but rather, shall be coterminous with such Agreement.
8. EXCEPT AS MODIFIED HEREIN, ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE UNDERLYING AGREEMENT SHALL REMAIN UNCHANGED AND IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.
9. Signatures by all Parties to this Amendment are required to effectuate this Amendment. This Amendment may be executed in counterparts. Each counterpart shall be considered an original and such counterparts shall together constitute one and the same instrument.
10. For Illinois, Indiana and Michigan: This Amendment shall be filed with and is subject to approval by the state Commission and shall become effective ten (10) days following approval by such Commission. For Ohio: Based on the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Rules, the Amendment is effective upon filing and is deemed approved by operation of law on the 91<sup>st</sup> day after filing. For Wisconsin: Pursuant to Wisconsin Statute § 196.40, this Amendment shall become effective ten (10) calendar days after the mailing date of the final order approving this Amendment ("Effective Date"). The following section applies to all states and should not be deleted: However, for all states, the Amendment shall be implemented as of January 1, 2021 or the date it is fully executed, whichever is later. For example, if a CLEC signs and returns the Amendment on January 15, 2021, remedies are effective with February 2021 performance data which will be reported in March 2021 with remedies due being payable in April 2021.

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**in**

**Case No(s). 21-0171-TP-NAG**

Summary: Application in the matter of the application for approval of an Amendment to an Interconnection Agreement between AT&T Ohio and Granite Telecommunications, LLC electronically filed by Richard T Howell on behalf of AT&T Ohio