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 <u>Consolidated</u>)	TRF Docket No	. 90-	-TP-TRF
Communications of Ohio Company, LLC f/k/a The Germantown) Case No. 21-0721-TP-NAG			AG
Independent Telephone Company to Approve Negotiated)	-		rved a Case #, leave
Agreement with Teleport Communications America, LLC)	the "Case No." fiel	d BLANK	•
Adopting Interconnection Agreement of Consolidated				
Communications and Sprint Communications Company L.P.				
(07-558-TP-NAG)				
Name of Registrant(s) Consolidated Communications of Ohio Com	pany, LLC	f/k/a The Germar	ntown In	<u>idependent</u>
<u>Telephone Company</u>				
DBA(s) of Registrant(s) Consolidated Communications				
Address of Registrant(s) 5 Davis Farm Road; Portland, ME 04103				
Company Web Address www.consolidated.com				
Regulatory Contact Person(s) Anita Yokiel	Phone (5	<u>607)386-3661</u>	Fax (507)387- <u>6813</u>
Regulatory Person's Email Address				
anita.yokiel@consolidated.com				
Contact Person for Annual Report Darin Doughty		Phone	e (<u>217)23</u>	<u>8-8451</u>
Consumer Contact Information Darin Doughty Phone (217)238-84		<u>8-8451</u> Address		
(if different from above) 2116 South 17th Street; Mattoon, IL 61938;	darin.doug	thty@consolidate	d.com	
Motion for protective order included with filing? \square Yes \boxtimes No				
Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case? \Box Yes \boxtimes No [Note: V	Vaivers may	toll any automa	tic timef	rame.]
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 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).
В	The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s), reflecting the change, with the change(s) marked in the right margin.
С	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:

Carrier Type: ☐ Other (Explain below)	For Profit ILEC	Not for Profit ILEC	CLEC
Change terms & conditions of existing BLES.	☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(I)(2)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(J)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(J)</u> (Auto 30 days)
Introduce non-recurring charge, surcharge or fee to BLES	☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(I)</u> (Auto 30 days)		☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(I)</u> (Auto 30 days)
Introduce or Increase Late Payment	☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(I)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(I)</u> (Auto 30 days)	☐ ATA <u>1-6-14(I)</u> (Auto 30 days)
Revisions to BLES Cap	☐ ZTA <u>1-6-14(E)</u> (0 day notice)		
Introduce BLES or expand local service area (calling area)	☐ ZTA <u>1-6-14(E)</u> (0 day notice)	\square ZTA <u>1-6-14(E)</u> (0 day notice)	☐ ZTA <u>1-6-14(E)</u> (0 day notice)
Change BLES Rates	☐ TRF <u>1-6-14(E) & (G)</u> (0 day notice)	\square TRF <u>1-6-14(E)</u> (0 day notice)	☐ TRF <u>1-6-14(H)</u> (0 day notice)
To obtain BLES pricing flexibility	☐ BLS <u>1-6-14(C)(1)(c)</u> (Auto 30 days)		
Notice of no obligation to construct facilities and provide BLES	☐ ZTA <u>1-6-27(C)</u> (0 day notice)	☐ ZTA <u>1-6-27(C)</u> (0 day notice)	
Change in boundary	☐ ACB <u>1-6-32</u> (Auto 14 days)	☐ ACB <u>1-6-32</u> (Auto 14 days)	
Expand service operation area			☐ TRF <u>1-6-08(G)</u> (0 day notice)
BLES withdrawal	☐ WBL <u>4927.10</u> (120 day notice)		☐ ZTA <u>1-6-25(B)</u> (0 day notice)
Other (explain):			
*Other exhibits may be required under the appli	icable rule, see the 4901:1	106-14(E) Filing Require	ments on the PUCO's

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

Type of Notice	Direct Mail	Bill Insert	Bill Notation	Electronic Mail
☐ 15-day Notice				
☐ 30-day Notice				
Date Notice Sent:				

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

Introduce New	Tariff Change	Price Change	Withdraw
□TRF	□АТА	□TRF	□UNC
(0 day notice)	(Auto 30 days)	(0 day notice)	(Non-Auto)

^{*}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 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
□ ACE <u>1-6-08</u>	☐ ACE <u>1-6-08</u>	□ ACE <u>1-6-08</u>	☐ ACE 1-6-10	☐ UNC 1-6-09
(Auto 30-day)*	(Auto 30-day)*	(Auto 30-day)*	(Auto 30-day)	(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		□ ABN <u>1-6-26</u>	☐ ABN <u>1-6-26</u>
		(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)
Change of official name *	\Box ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	\Box ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	□ <u>CIO 1-6-29(C)</u>
Change of official fiame	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0-day notice)
Change in ownership *	☐ ACO <u>1-6-29(E)(1)</u>	\Box ACO <u>1-6-29(E)(1)</u>	☐ <u>CIO 1-6-29(C)</u>
	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0-day notice)
Merger *	\Box AMT <u>1-6-29(E)(1)</u>	\Box AMT <u>1-6-29(E)(1)</u>	☐ <u>CIO 1-6-29(C)</u>
Meigei	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0-day notice)
Transfer certificate *	☐ ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	\Box ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	☐ <u>CIO 1-6-29(C)</u>
Transier Certificate	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0-day notice)
Transaction for transfer or	□ ATR <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	☐ ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	□ <u>CIO 1-6-29(C)</u>
lease of property, plant or	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0-day notice)
business *	•	•	
FCC Authorized Change in	□ CIO <u>1-6-29 (E)(2)</u>	\Box CIO <u>1-6-29 (E)(2)</u>	\Box CIO <u>1-6-29 (E)(2)</u>
Ownership or Merger	(0-day notice)	(0-day notice)	(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	⊠ NAG <u>1-7-07</u>	□ NAG <u>1-7-07</u>
an approved agreement	(Auto 90 days)	(Auto 90 days)
Degreet for arbitration	□ ARB <u>1-7-09</u>	□ ARB <u>1-7-09</u>
Request for arbitration	(Non-Auto)	(Non-Auto)
Total days and days are sension to sign	□ ATA <u>1-7-14</u>	□ ATA <u>1-7-14</u>
Introduce or change carrier to carrier tariffs	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)
Request rural carrier exemption, rural carrier	☐ UNC <u>1-7-04 or 05</u>	
suspension or modification	(Auto 30 days)	
Changes in rates, terms & conditions to pole	□ ATA 1 2 04	
attachments, conduit occupancy and rights of	□ ATA <u>1-3-04</u> (Auto 60 days)	
way. (13-579-AU-ORD 11/30/16 Entry)	(Auto 60 days)	

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

Registration and Change in Operations*	□ RCC <u>1-6-24(B)</u>
	(0 day notice)
Interconnection Agreement or amendment to an approved	
Agreement.	(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 it compliance with the pe	ertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission.
<u>AF</u>	<u>FIDAVIT</u>
Compliance wi	ith Commission Rules
I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, , and Click here to enter text. (Name)	d am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.
Please check All that apply:	
not imply Commission approval and that the Commission's contradictory provisions in our tariff. We will fully comply	for the State of Ohio. I understand that tariff notification filings dos rules, as modified and clarified from time to time, supersede any with the rules of the State of Ohio and understand that e suspension of our certificate to operate within the State of Ohio.
\square I attest that customer notices accompanying this filing for accordance with Ohio Adm. Code 4901:1-6-7.	rm were sent to affected customers, as specified in Section II, in
declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true	and correct.
Executed on Click here to enter text. at Click here to enter t	<u>ext.</u>

Date

*Signature and Title

^{*}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, Anita Yokiel, 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			
/s/ Anita Yokiel	June 16, 2021		
*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.			

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:

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Case No(s). 21-0721-TP-NAG

Summary: Application Consolidated Communications of Ohio, LLC f/k/a Germantown Independent Telephone Company Application for Approval of Negotiated Agreement between Consolidated Communications of Ohio, LLC and Teleport Communications America, LLC Adopting the Interconnection Agreement Between Consolidated Communications of Ohio, LLC and Sprint Communications Company, L.P., with Reference to 07-558-TP-NAG. electronically filed by Ms. Anita Yokiel on behalf of Yokiel, Anita Ms. and Consolidated Communications