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January 3, 2023

#### Via Electronic Filing

PUCO Docketing Division 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215

#### Re: Notification of Restructuring of Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio Inc.

Dear Sir/Madam:

On behalf of Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC's (f/k/a Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio Inc.), attached for filing please find the following required documentation to effectuate a name change: (1) Telecommunications Filing Form, including Exhibit 1 and Exhibit 2 and (2) Telecommunications Supplemental Application Form, including Exhibit A through Exhibit D.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at 703-714-1319 or via email at <u>mpd@commlawgroup.com</u>.

Respectfully submitted,

<u>/s/ Michael P. Donahue</u> Michael P. Donahue

Counsel for Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC

#### **TELECOMMUNICATIONS FILING FORM**

#### 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 provide 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 Metropolitan	)	TRF Docket No. 90TP-TRF
Telecommunications of Ohio Inc. to Change its Name to	)	Case NoTP-
Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC	)	NOTE: Unless you have reserved a Case #, leave
	)	the "Case No." field BLANK.

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w York 10041	
Phone ( <u>212) 359</u> - <u>5037</u>	Fax ( <u>212)701</u> - <u>8477</u>
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	Phone ( <u>212)3595040</u>
4-311, Holmdel, NJ 07733	
	v York 10041 Phone ( <u>212) 359-5037</u>

Motion for protective order included with filing?  $\Box$  Yes  $\boxtimes$  No Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case?  $\Box$  Yes  $\boxtimes$  No [Note: Waivers may toll any automatic timeframe.]

Notes:

Sections I and II are pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) <u>4901:1-6</u>. Section III – Part I - Carrier to Carrier is pursuant to OAC <u>4901:1-7</u> and Pole Attachment to OAC <u>4901:1-3</u> Section III – Part II - Wireless is pursuant to OAC <u>4901:1-6-24</u>. 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 <u>www.PUCO.ohio.gov</u> 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:
А	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(J)(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(J)</u> (Auto 30 days)		□ ATA <u>1-6-14(J)</u> (Auto 30 days)
Introduce or Increase Late Payment	□ ATA <u>1-6-14(J)</u> (Auto 30 days)	□ ATA <u>1-6-14(J)</u> (Auto 30 days)	□ ATA <u>1-6-14(J)</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)	□ 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) &amp; (G)</u> (0 day notice)	□ 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 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

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	DATA	□TRF	DUNC
(0 day notice)	(Auto 30 days)	(0 day notice)	(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
□ 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 – <u>Telecommunications application forms</u>.

#### 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>
Abandon an services		(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)
Change of official name *	□ ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	⊠ ACN <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	□ <u>CIO 1-6-29(C)</u>
Change of official name	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0-day notice)
Change in sumarship *	□ ACO <u>1-6-29(E)(1)</u>	□ ACO <u>1-6-29(E)(1)</u>	□ <u>CIO 1-6-29(C)</u>
Change in ownership *	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0-day notice)
	□ AMT <u>1-6-29(E)(1)</u>	□ AMT <u>1-6-29(E)(1)</u>	□ <u>CIO 1-6-29(C)</u>
Merger *	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0-day notice)
Transfer certificate *	□ ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	□ ATC <u>1-6-29(B)</u>	□ <u>CIO 1-6-29(C)</u>
Transfer certificate	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0-day notice)
Transaction for transfer or lease of property, plant or	$\Box \text{ ATR } \underline{1-6-29(B)}$	$\Box \text{ ATC } \underline{1-6-29(B)}$	□ <u>CIO 1-6-29(C)</u>
business *	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0-day notice)
FCC Authorized Change in	□ CIO <u>1-6-29 (E)(2)</u>	□ CIO <u>1-6-29 (E)(2)</u>	□ 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 <u>4901:1-6-29 Filing Requirements</u> 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)
Propert for arbitration	□ ARB <u>1-7-09</u>	□ ARB <u>1-7-09</u>
Request for arbitration	(Non-Auto)	(Non-Auto)
Introduce on change conview to conview to ville	□ 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		
attachments, conduit occupancy and rights of	$\Box \text{ ATA } \underline{1-3-04}$	
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*	$\Box$ RCC <u>1-6-24(B)</u>
3	(0 day notice)
Interconnection Agreement or amendment to an approved	□ NAG <u>1-7-07</u>
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 pertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission.

#### <u>AFFIDAVIT</u> Compliance with Commission Rules

I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.

Ioseph Farano<u>.</u> (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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Jorgh France, General Canicl \*Signature and Title

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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

Joseph Fararo I, <u>Click Here to enter text.</u>, 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.

Joreph Farano, teneral canel \*Signature and Title

\*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.

Date

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

#### LIST OF EXHIBITS

#### EXHIBIT 1 – CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION; CERTIFICATE AUTHORITY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN OHIO; CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

**EXHIBIT 2 – DESCRIPTION OF THE TRANSACTION** 



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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION OF "METROPOLITAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF OHIO LLC" FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 2022, AT 2:21 O`CLOCK P.M.



3056325 8100V SR# 20220207812

You may verify this certificate online at corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml

Authentication: 202469169 Date: 01-24-22

### STATE OF DELAWARE CERTIFICATE OF FORMATION OF LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

The undersigned authorized person, desiring to form a limited liability company pursuant to the Limited Liability Company Act of the State of Delaware, hereby certifies as follows:

1. The name of the limited liability company is Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC

2. The Registered Office of the limited liability company in the State of Delaware is located at 251 Little Falls Drive (street), in the City of Wilmington , Zip Code 19808 . The name of the Registered Agent at such address upon whom process against this limited liability company may be served is Corporation Service Company

By: /s/ Andoni Economou

Authorized Person

Name: Andoni Economou

Print or Type

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JOEL MARGOLIS 1090 VERMONT AVENUE, NW SUITE 1100 WASHINGTON, DC 20005

## STATE OF OHIO CERTIFICATE

## **Ohio Secretary of State, Frank LaRose**

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It is hereby certified that the Secretary of State of Ohio has custody of the business records for

#### METROPOLITAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF OHIO LLC

and, that said business records show the filing and recording of:

Document(s)

FOREIGN LLC - CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION Effective Date: 09/23/2022 Document No(s): 202226601188



United States of America State of Ohio Office of the Secretary of State Witness my hand and the seal of the Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio this 23rd day of September, A.D. 2022.

Frank Johne

**Ohio Secretary of State** 

Form 617 Prescribed by: Frank LaRose Ohio Secretary of State

Date Electronically Filed: 9/23/2022 Telphone: 877.767.3453 <u>OhioSoS.gov</u> | <u>business@OhioSoS.gov</u> File online or for more information: <u>OhioBusinessCentral.gov</u>

#### Registration of a Foreign Limited Liability Company For a Foreign (Non-Ohio) Limited Liability Company Filing Fee: \$99 Form Must Be Typed 106-LFA

Name of Limited Liability Company in its jurisdiction of formation			
Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC			
Assumed Name, if the name above does not comply with section 1706.07 of the Revised Code			
(Name must include one of the following words or abbreviations: "limited liability company", "limited", "LLC", "L.L.C.", "ltd.", or "ltd".)			
Jurisdiction of formation DE The foreign limited liability company is a foreign limited liability company.			
Optional:       Effective Date (MM/DD/YYYY)         9/23/2022       Effective Time			
Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 1706.172(D), a registration of a foreign limited liability company delivered to the Ohio Secretary of State for filing under this chapter may specify an effective time and a delayed effective date of not more than ninety days following the date of receipt by the Secretary of State. A registration of a foreign limited liability is effective as provided in Ohio Revised Code Section 1706.172(D).			
If applicable, attach information required in section 1706.511(C) if the foreign limited liability company establishes or provides for the establishment of one or more series of assets.			

Original Appointment of Statutory Agent				
The undersigned authorized member(s), manager(s) or representative(s) of				
Metropolitan Tele	ecommunications of Ohio LLC			
	(Name of Limited Liability Company)			
	e following to be Statutory Agent upon whom any process, notic ed upon the corporation may be served. The complete address o		uired or permitted by	
CORPORAT	ION SERVICE COMPANY			
(Name of Statut	ory Agent)			
3366 RIVER	SIDE DRIVE, SUITE 103			
(Mailing Addres	s)			
UPPER ARL	INGTON	ОН	43221	
(Mailing City) (Mailing State) (Mailing ZIP Code)				
	Acceptance of Appointment			
The Undersigned,	CORPORATION SERVICE COMPANY		] , named herein as the	
(Name of Statutory Agent)				
Statutory agent for	Statutory agent for Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC			
(Name of Limited Liability Company)				
hereby acknowledges and accepts the appointment of statutory agent for said limited liability company.				
Statutory Agent Signature TYLER YATES				
	(Individual Agent's Signature / Signature on Behalf of Business Serving	g as Agent)		

By signing and submitting this form to the Ohio Secretary of State, the undersigned hereby certifies that he or she has the requisite authority to execute this document.

#### Required

JOEL M. MARGOLIS

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If the person is he or she mus "signature" line her name in th Box.

If the person is please print th entity in the "S an authorized the business n box and print title or authorit Name Box."

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	Signature
	By (if applicable)
	Print Name



Telephone: 877.767.3453 OhioSoS.gov | business@OhioSoS.gov File online or for more information: OhioBusinessCentral.gov

## Filing Form Cover Letter

#### Please return the approval certificate to:

Name (Individual or Business Name):

Metropolitan Te	lecommunications of O	hiollC		
To the Attention				
Address:	55 Water Street, 32n	d Floor		
City:	New York			
State	New York		ZIP Code:	10041
Phone Number:	(212) 359-5037	E-mail Address:	legal@mettel.net	

Check here if you would like to receive important notices via email from the Ohio Secretary of State's office regarding Business Services.

Check here if you would like to be signed up for our Filing Notification System for the business entity being created or updated by filing this form. This is a free service provided to notify you via email when any document is filed on your business record.

Please make checks or money orders payable to: "Ohio Secretary of State" Type of Service Being Requested: (PLEASE CHECK **ONE** BOX BELOW)

**Regular Service:** Only the filing fee listed on page one of the form is required and the filing will be x processed in approximately 3-7 business days. The processing time may vary based on the volume of filings received by our office.

**Expedite Service 1:** By including an Expedite fee of \$100.00, in addition to the regular filing fee on page one of the form, the filing will be processed within 2 business days after it is received by our office.

Expedite Service 2: By including an Expedite fee of \$200.00, in addition to the regular filing fee on page one of the form, the filing will be processed within 1 business day after it is received by our office. This service is only available to walk-in customers who hand deliver the document to the Client Service Center.

Expedite Service 3: By including an Expedite fee of \$300.00, in addition to the regular filing fee on page one of the form, the filing will be processed within 4 hours after it is received by our office, if received by 1:00 p.m. This service is only available to walk-in customers who hand deliver the document to the Client Service Center.

**Preclearance Filing:** A filing form, to be submitted at a later date for processing, may be submitted to be examined for the purpose of advising as to the acceptability of the proposed filing for a fee of \$50.00. The Preclearance will be complete within 1-2 business days.

Form 617 Prescribed by: Frank LaRose Ohio Secretary of State For screen readers, follow instructions located	Toll Free: 877.767.3453 Central Ohio: 614.466.3910 OhioSoS.gov business@OhioSoS.gov File online or for more information: Ohi at this path.	Regular Filing (r P.O. Box 670 Columbus, OH Expedite Filing ( P.O. Box 1390	43216 (Two business day processing time. Requires an additional \$100.00)
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	Original A	ppointment of Statutory Agent
The undersigne		
	d authorized member(s), manager	(s) or representative(s) of
	1)	Name of Limited Liability Company)
hereby appoint statute to be se	t the following to be Statutory Ager erved upon the corporation may be	nt upon whom any process, notice or demand required or permitted by eserved. The complete address of the agent is:
Corporatio	n Service Company	
(Name of Sta	tutory Agent)	
	side Drive, Suite 103	
(Mailing Addre	955)	
Upper Arlin	gton	
(Mailing City)	-	Ohio 43221
		(Mailing State) (Mailing ZIP Code)
	Accept	tance of Appointment
Undersigned,	Tyler Yates	
	(Name of Statutory Agent)	, named herein as the
utory agent for	Committee	
agent for	Corporation Service Company (Name of Limited Liability Company)	
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oy acknowledge	s and accepts the appointment of	statutory agent for said limited liability company.
		statuory agent for said limited liability company.
tory Agent Signa	ature By: Tyler Gates	ny
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Last Revised: 01/2022

Required	1475
This filing must be signed by at least one person authorized by the limited liability company.	Signature
If the person is an individual, then he or she must sign on the 'signature" line and print his or	By (if applicable)
her name in the "Print Name" Box.	Joseph Farano, General Counsel
If the person is a business entity, please print the name of the entity in the "Signature" box and an authorized representative of	Print Name
the business must sign in the "By" box and print his or her name and title or authority in the "Print Name Box."	Signature
	By (if applicable)
	Print Name
	Signature
	By (if applicable)
	Print Name

## Instructions for Registration of a Foreign Limited Liability Company

This form should be used if you wish to file a Registration of a Foreign Limited Liability Company pursuant to Ohio Revised Code section 1706.511.

#### Name

Provide the name of the limited liability company, as registered in its jurisdiction of formation. If the name does not comply with section 1706.07 of the Revised Code, provide an assumed name adopted pursuant to division (A) of section 1706.513 of the Revised Code.

#### Jurisdiction of Formation

Provide the name of the jurisdiction where the limited liability company is formed.

## Effective Date and Effective Time (Optional)

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 1706.172(D), a registration of a foreign limited liability company delivered to the Ohio Secretary of State for filing under this chapter may specify an effective time and a delayed effective date of not more than ninety days following the date of receipt by the Secretary of State. A registration of a foreign limited liability is effective as provided in Ohio Revised Code Section 1706.172(D).

## Statutory Agent Appointment and Acceptance of Appointment

Provide the name and address of the statutory agent. The statutory agent must be one of the following: (1) A natural person who is a resident of this state; or (2) a domestic or foreign corporation, nonprofit corporation, limited liability company, partnership, limited partnership, limited liability partnership, limited partnership association, professional association, business trust or unincorporated nonprofit association that has a business address in Ohio. If the agent is an entity other than a domestic corporation, the agent shall meet the requirements of Title XVII of the Revised Code for an entity of the agent's type to transact business in Ohio. A written acceptance of the appointment is required.

#### Additional Provisions

If a foreign limited liability company establishes or provides for the establishment of one or more series of assets, it shall state all of the following in the registration as a foreign limited liability company: (1) the fact that it provides for the establishment of one or more series of assets; (2) Whether the debts, liabilities, and obligations incurred, contracted for, or otherwise existing with respect to a particular series, if any, shall be enforceable against the assets of that series only and not against the assets of the foreign limited liability company generally or any other series thereof; and (3) whether any of the debts, liabilities, obligations, and expenses incurred, contracted for, or otherwise existing with respect to the foreign limited liability company generally or any other series thereof; thereof shall be enforceable against the assets of that series against the assets of the foreign limited liability company generally or any other series thereof; and (3) whether any of the debts, liabilities, obligations, and expenses incurred, contracted for, or otherwise existing with respect to the foreign limited liability company generally or any other series thereof; and (3) be enforceable against the assets of that series. Please attach on a single-sided 8  $\frac{1}{2}$  x 11 sheet(s) of paper.

#### Signature Required

After completing all required information on the filing form, please make sure the form is signed by at least one person authorized by the limited liability company.

If the person is an individual, then he or she must sign on the "signature" line and print his or her name in the "Print Name" Box.

If the person is a business entity, please print the name of the entity in the "Signature" box and an authorized representative of the business must sign in the "By" box and print his or her name and title or authority in the "Print Name Box."

A typed name signifies an "intent to sign" which is acceptable.

#### Note

Our office cannot file or record a document which contains a Social Security number or tax identification number. Please do not enter this information in any format on this form.

Form 590 Prescribed by:



Toll Free: 877.767.3453 | Central Ohio: 614.466.3910 <u>OhioSoS.gov</u> | <u>business@OhioSoS.gov</u> File online or for more information: <u>OhioBusinessCentral.gov</u>

### Consent for Use of Similar Name (To be filed with new business formation document or amendment to change business name where a name conflict will occur.)

Form Must Be Typed

Name of Entity/Individual Giving Consent Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio, Inc.			
Charter/Registration/License Number of Entity giving Consent 1195477			
Gives it Consent To	Metropolitan Communications of Ohio LLC		
To Use The Name	Metropolitan Communications of Ohio LLC		

By signing and submitting this form to the Ohio Secretary of State, the undersigned hereby certifies that he or she has the requisite authority to execute this document.

#### Required

Consent form must be signed by an authorized representative of the consenting entity.

If authorized representative is an individual, then they must sign in the "signature" box and print their name in the "Print Name" box.

If authorized representative is a business entity, not an individual, then please print the business name in the "signature" box, an authorized representative of the business entity must sign in the "By" box and print their name in the "Print Name" box.

Signature	

COO/EVP

By (if applicable)

Andoni Economou

Print Name

Signature

By (if applicable)

Print Name

## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA STATE OF OHIO OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

I, Frank LaRose, do hereby certify that I am the duly elected, qualified and present acting Secretary of State for the State of Ohio, and as such have custody of the records of Ohio and Foreign business entities; that said records show METROPOLITAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF OHIO LLC, a Delaware Limited Liability Company, Registration Number 4930435, was registered in the State of Ohio on September 23, 2022, is currently authorized to transact business in this state.



Witness my hand and the seal of the Secretary of State at Columbus, Ohio this 23rd day of December, A.D. 2022.

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**Ohio Secretary of State** 

Validation Number: 202235701740

#### TELECOMMUNICATIONS SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION FORM

#### The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio TELECOMMUNICATIONS SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION FORM for CARRIER CERTIFICATION

(Effective: 01/20/2011) (Pursuant to Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD) NOTE: This SUPPLEMENTAL form must be used WITH the

TELECOMMUNICATIONS FILING FORM for ROUTINE PROCEED	INGS.

In the Matter of the Application of to	) Case	e No <b>TP</b>		
DBA(s) of Registrant(s)	,			
Motion for protective order included we Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting the	with filing? 🗌 Yes 🔳 No is case? 🗍 Yes 🔳 No [Note: waiver	(s) tolls any automatic timeframe]		
List of Required Exhibits				
Tariffs: (Include all that apply)				
Interexchange Tariff	🗌 Local Tariff	CESTC Tariff		
	Carrier-to-Carrier (Access) Tariff			
<b>Description of Services</b>	NOTE: All Facilities-Based ca	rriers must file an Access Tariff		
Service provisioned via Resale	Service provisioned via Facilities	Both Resold and Facilities-based		
Description of Proposed Services	Statement about the provision of CTS services	Description of the general geographic area served		
Explanation of how the proposed services in the proposed market area are in the public interest.	Description of the class of customer applicant intends to serve	s (e.g., residence, business) that the		
<b>Business Requirements</b>				
Evidence of Registration with:	Ohio Department of Taxation	Ohio Secretary of State <sup>1</sup> & Certificate of Good Standing		
Documentation attesting to the applic	ant's financial viability, including the	following:		
	ces of cash and external funds availab	ndition, liquidity, and capital resources. ole to support the applicant's operations		
Copy of financial statements (actual and pro forma income statement and a balance sheet). Indicate if financial statements are based on a certain geographical area(s) or information in other jurisdictions				
Documentation to support the applicant's cash and funding sources.				
Documentation attesting to the applic	ant's managerial ability and corporate	structure, including the following:		
Documentation attesting to the ap offering(s) and proposed service ar		pertise relative to the proposed service		
List of names, addresses, and phon	List of names, addresses, and phone numbers of officers and directors, or partners.			
Documentation indicating the applicant's corporate structure and ownership				
Information regarding any similar op	perations in other states.			
If this company has been previously	y certified in the State of Ohio, include the	at certification number		
] Verification that the applicant will follow federal communications commission (FCC) accounting requirements, if				

applicable.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Certification from Ohio Secretary of State (domestic or foreign corporation, authorized use of fictitious name, etc.), and Certificate of Good Standing is required.

#### LIST OF EXHIBITS

- EXHIBIT A THE TARIFF PAGES SUBJECT TO THE PROPOSED CHANGE(S) AS THEY EXIST BEFORE THE CHANGE(S)
- EXHIBIT B THE TARIFF PAGES SUBJECT TO THE PROPOSED CHANGE(S)
- EXHIBIT C A SHORT DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE OF THE CHANGE(S), THE INTENT OF THE CHANGE(S), AND THE CUSTOMERS AFFECTED
- EXHIBIT D COPY OF THE NOTICE PROVIDED TO CUSTOMERS (NOT APPLICABLE)

#### EXHIBIT A

#### THE TARIFF PAGES SUBJECT TO THE PROPOSED CHANGE(S) AS THEY EXIST BEFORE THE CHANGE(S)

## EXHIBIT A

#### REGULATIONS AND SCHEDULE OF INTRASTATE CHARGES

#### APPLICABLE TO THE PROVISION OF

#### SWITCHED ACCESS PROVIDER SERVICES

OF

#### **METROPOLITAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF OHIO, INC.**

This tariff contains the descriptions, regulations and rates applicable to the furnishing of competitive access service and facilities for telecommunications services provided by Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio, Inc. d/b/a MetTel within the State of Ohio. This tariff is on file with the Ohio Public Service Commission, and copies may be inspected, during normal business hours, at the company's principal place of business.

Issued: April 11, 2005

Effective: June 10, 2005

Ohio Tariff No. 6 Original Sheet 1

This Tariff P.U.C.O. Tariff No. 6 cancels and replaces in its entirety the Company's P.U.C.O. Tariff No. 4 for local exchange and toll services on file with the Commission.

#### RATES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS

#### RELATING TO THE PROVISION OF

#### BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES

#### IN THE STATE OF OHIO

#### This tariff is in compliance with Rule 4901:1-6, Ohio Administrative Code

Please consult the Company's Ohio Product Guide for all other services, regulations, terms and conditions. The Product Guide is available for viewing at <u>http://www.mettel.net/tariffs.html</u>

METROPOLITAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF OHIO, INC. d/b/a MetTel 55 Water Street, Floor 31 New York, NY 10041

#### EXHIBIT B

THE TARIFF PAGES SUBJECT TO THE PROPOSED CHANGE(S)

## EXHIBIT B

#### REGULATIONS AND SCHEDULE OF INTRASTATE CHARGES

#### APPLICABLE TO THE PROVISION OF

#### SWITCHED ACCESS PROVIDER SERVICES

OF

#### METROPOLITAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF OHIO LLC (T)

This tariff contains the descriptions, regulations and rates applicable to the furnishing of competitive access service and facilities for telecommunications services provided by (T) Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC within the State of Ohio. This tariff is on file with the Ohio Public Service Commission, and copies may be inspected, during normal business hours, at the company's principal place of business.

Issued: January 3, 2023

Issued by:

Andoni Economou COO & EVP 55 Water Street, 32<sup>nd</sup> Floor New York, NY 10041 Effective: February 2, 2023

(T) (T) This Tariff P.U.C.O. Tariff No. 6 cancels and replaces in its entirety the Company's P.U.C.O. Tariff No. 4 for local exchange and toll services on file with the Commission.

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Issued Date: January 3, 2023

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#### EXHIBIT C

#### A SHORT DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE OF THE CHANGE(S), THE INTENT OF THE CHANGE(S), AND THE CUSTOMERS AFFECTED

The transaction is the result of the conversion of all MetTel entities from corporation to limited liability companies. In Ohio, Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio Inc., a Delaware corporation, converted to Metropolitan Telecommunication of Ohio LLC, a Delaware limited liability company. The conversion changed the business organization form and name only of the certificated entity.<sup>1</sup> Other than the conversion, there is no change in Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC's control, management, operation, rates or service offerings. Prior to the conversion, Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio Inc. invoiced customers under the name "MetTel" and, following conversion, Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC will continue to invoice customers under the name "MetTel." Accordingly, the transaction will not cause confusion to customers.

Following completion of the conversion of all the MetTel operating companies, an intermediate holding company, MetTel PI LLC, ("MetTel PI") was inserted between Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC's ultimate parent company, MetTel, Inc., and the direct parent, Metropolitan Telecommunications Holding Company LLC ("MetTel Holding"), and a non-voting 10% economic interest was issued to an individual MetTel executive.<sup>2</sup> MetTel Holding is the direct parent of Manhattan Telecommunications Corporation LLC,<sup>3</sup> which is in turn the direct parent of Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC. Ultimate control and management of Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC. Ultimate control and management of Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Del. Code Ann. tit. 8 § 266(h) ("When a corporation has been converted to another entity or business form pursuant to this section, the other entity or business form shall, for all purposes of the laws of the State of Delaware, be deemed to be the same entity as the corporation.")

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> As part of the conversion of MetTel entities, MetTel Holding was also converted from a corporation to a limited liability company.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> As part of the conversion of MetTel entities, Manhattan Telecommunications Corporation was also converted to a limited liability company.

#### EXHIBIT D

#### COPY OF THE NOTICE PROVIDED TO CUSTOMERS (NOT APPLICABLE)

Customer notice is not required as the transaction is transparent to customers. The transaction is the result of the conversion of all MetTel entities from corporation to limited liability companies. In Ohio, Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio Inc., a Delaware corporation, converted to Metropolitan Telecommunication of Ohio LLC, a Delaware limited liability company. The conversion changed the business organization form and name only of the certificated entity.<sup>4</sup> Other than the conversion, there is no change in Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC's control, management, operation, rates or service offerings. Prior to the conversion, Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio Inc. invoiced customers under the name "MetTel" and, following conversion, Metropolitan Telecommunications of Ohio LLC will continue to invoice customers under the name "MetTel." Accordingly, the transaction is transparent to and will not cause confusion to customers.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> *See* Del. Code Ann. tit. 8 § 266(h) ("When a corporation has been converted to another entity or business form pursuant to this section, the other entity or business form shall, for all purposes of the laws of the State of Delaware, be deemed to be the same entity as the corporation.")

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