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Ms. Daisy Crockron
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Columbus, Ohio 43215

Re: In the Matter of Telephone Service Company's Application to Abandon its
TSC Regional Service, PUCO Case No. 00-1381-TP-ATA

Dear Ms. Crockron:

Enclosed for filing is an original and three (3) copies of the final tariff pages, to be filed in connection with the above-referenced matter. The TRF# is 90-5039-TP-TR for Telephone Service Company.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please feel free to call.

Very truly yours,



Carolyn S. Flahive

cc: Jay Agranoff, Attorney Examiner
Thomas E. Lodge, Esq.

Enclosure

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Intrastate Long Distance Service Tariff

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3. Liability of the Company (Continued)

- (C) The liability of the Company for damages arising out of mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, errors or defects in transmission occurring in the course of furnishing service, and not caused by the negligence of the Company, shall in no event exceed an amount equivalent to the proportionate charge to the Customer for the period during which the call was affected. No other liability shall in any case attach to the Company.
- (D) The Company and/or Customer shall not be liable to the other for any failure of performance due to causes beyond its control including fire, flood, epidemic, earthquake, other acts of God, explosion, strike or other labor disputes, riot or civil disturbance, war (whether declared or undeclared) or armed conflict, failure of common carrier or "carrier's carrier" or municipal ordinance, any state or federal law, governmental order or regulation or order of any court, or any other occurrence not within the control of Carrier or Customer, as the case may be.
- (E) Approval of limitation of liability language by the PUCO does not constitute a determination of the Commission that the limitation of liability imposed by the company should be upheld in a court of law. Approval by the Commission merely recognizes that since it is a court's responsibility to adjudicate negligence and consequent damage claims, it is also the court's responsibility to determine the validity of the exculpatory clause.

4. Use of Service

Intrastate TSC Long Distance may only be used to transmit communications of the customer and authorized users in a manner consistent with the terms of this tariff and the policies and regulations of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and local authorities having jurisdiction over the service. It is the responsibility of the Customer to guard and protect against any unauthorized use of any Company issued codes to which billing may be charged. (T)

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6. Application of Rates

(A) TSC Long Distance

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TSC Long Distance is offered on a Direct Distance Dialed basis or an Operator Assisted basis. The rates are specified in Sections 7 and 9 following.

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TSC Long Distance is a long distance product offered to customers throughout Telephone Service Company's entire service territory.

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The unit of measure used for timing of messages is one minute increments.

Fractional rates will be rounded to the nearest penny using the conventional rounding method.

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6. Application of Rates (Continued)

(B) Promotional Rates

Telephone Service, may offer discounted promotional rates for one or more of its services to increase customer awareness and/or customer customership of these services. Promotions are limited to (1) reductions in the monthly recurring charges and/or non-recurring charges for these services or, (2) waiver of monthly recurring charges and/or non-recurring charges for these services.

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(C) Long Term Service Contract

Customers entering into a 12-month, a 24-month, or longer service contract will have rate and charge options available to them for some or all of the services to which they subscribe. The rates and charges will be determined on an individual customer contract basis and subject to review by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

(D) Rates Applicable for Hearing and Speech Impaired Persons

- a. For purposes of these requirements, the definition of disabled refers to those persons with communication disabilities, including those hearing disabled, deaf, deaf/blind, and speech disabled persons who have a disability that prevents them from communicating over the telephone without the aid of a telecommunications device for the communicatively disabled.

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- b. Residential disabled customers or disabled members of a customer's household, upon written application and upon certification of their disabled status, which is evidenced by either a certificate from a physician, health care official, state agency, or a diploma from an accredited educational institution for the disabled, are eligible to receive a discount off their TSC Long Distance rates, and, if they utilize telebraille devices, they are eligible to receive free access to local and intrastate long distance directory assistance. Additionally, TDD lines maintained by non-profit organizations and governmental agencies, upon written application and verification that such lines are maintained for the benefit of the disabled are eligible to receive a discount off their TSC Long Distance rates.

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6. Application of Rates (Continued)

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(E) Emergency Services Calling Plan

Message toll telephone calls, to governmental emergency service agencies as set forth in (a) following, having primary or principal responsibility with respect to the provision of emergency services to persons and property in the area from which the call is made, meeting the definition and criteria of an emergency call as set forth in (b) following, are offered at no charge to customers:

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TSC Long Distance (T)

I. MEASURED USAGE CHARGES

A. IntraLATA and InterLATA Distance Dialed calls - (T)

RESIDENTIAL PLAN 1:

Weekdays (Monday through Friday):

- a. 7:00 am to 6:59 PM @ \$0.24 per minute
- b. 7:00 pm to 6:59 AM @ \$0.16 per minute

Weekends (Saturday and Sunday):

- a. 12 am to 11:59 pm @ \$0.13 per minute

Discount:

If total usage (intrastate and interstate) exceeds \$25.00, a 10% discount applies to the total billed toll.

RESIDENTIAL PLAN 2:

One rate plan. \$0.15 per minute. Anytime: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 52 weeks per year. Time of day, holiday, and weekend discounts do not apply.

BUSINESS PLAN:

Basic rate plan: \$0.18 per minute. Anytime: 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 52 weeks per year.

Discounts:

- a. If total usage (intrastate and interstate) is \$49.99 or less, a 13.9% discount applies to the total billed toll.
- b. If total usage (intrastate and interstate) is between \$50.00 - \$99.99, a 25% discount applies to the total billed toll.
- c. If total usage (intrastate and interstate) is \$100.00 or more, a 36% discount applies to the total billed toll.

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II. Operator Assisted Service Charges

Directory Assistance	\$.95
Operator Assistance		
Collect		2.25
Billed to Third Party		2.35
Sent-Paid-Non Coin		2.30
Person-to-Person		4.80
Station-to-Station		2.30

III. USF Surcharge

In accordance with Section 5.(B) of this tariff, all billed revenues (net of any discounts applied) of this tariff will be subject to a Universal Service Fund surcharge.

Surcharge amount: 3.5%

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