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February 11, 2003

Ms. Daisy Crockron **Docketing Division Chief** The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, 10th Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

03-434 - TP-ATA 90-5013-TP-TR7

Dear Ms. Crockron:

Attached is Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company's (CBT) Application requesting authorization to revise the contract termination language associated with the Prime and Trunk AdvantageSM Services found in the Out of Territory Services PUCO No. 1. The revised language will require a customer to pay a termination charge that is equal to all monthly charges for which the customer would have been responsible had the customer not terminated the service prior to the end of the minimum 12-month period or the applicable 24, 36, 48 or 60-month term payment plan period.

Pursuant to the Finding and Order in Case No. 99-1496-TP-UNC, CBT's Alternative Regulation Plan, Case No. 96-899-TP-ALT is to apply to CBT's operations outside of its historical operating area. Therefore, the proposed effective date of this tariff filing is 31 days after the tariff is filed which will be March 14, 2003. Included with this filing is Exhibit C-2 that explains the reason for the requested change in the termination charge regulations and Exhibit C-3 that addresses customer notification.

Please date-stamp and return the enclosed duplicate of this transmittal to acknowledge its receipt. Any questions regarding this transmittal should be directed to Kathy Reid at 513-397-1296.

Sincerely

Christopher S. Colwell

Vice President - Government Relations

Attachment

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Attachment 1

Cover Form for the Application of THE CINCINNATI BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

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I.	NEW CASE FILINGS						
	NEW I	END US	ER SERVICES (ATA):				
	a.	[]	Services which involve privacy, are essential to public safety, or involve 9-1-1 usage or access (30-day public process)				
	b.	[]	Services not involving privacy, not essential to public safety, and do not include 9-1-1 usage or access (30 –day prefiling process)				
	CHANGE IN TERMS OR CONDITIONS, OR WITHDRAWAL OR END USER SERVICES (ATA): c. [X] (30-day public process)						
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[] PRE-APPROVED CONTRACT (AEC) (0-Day Filing)							
	[]	RECLASSIFICATION (ATA) (30-day public process):					
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II. FILINGS NOT REQUIRING NEW CASE NUMBER (TRF Filing only)							
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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

Application Not for an Increase in Rates, Pursuant to Section 4909.18 Revised Code

CINC to rev to cha	e Matter of The Application of CINNATI BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY rise its Out of Territory Tariff PUCO No. 1 ange the contract termination language rime and Trunk Advantage SM Services.))))	Case No.		
1.	APPLICANT RESPECTFULLY PROPOS	ES:	(Check applicable proposals)		
	New Service	X	Change in Rule or Regulation		
	New Classification		Reduction of Rates		
	Change in Classification		_Correction of Error		
	Other, not involving increase in rates				
	Various related and unrelated textual	revisio	n, without change in intent		
2.	DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSAL				
	Applicant proposes to modify the Out of T in order to revise the contract termination la Trunk Advantage SM Services.				

3. TARIFF AFFECTED:

Paragraph

P.U. C.O. No. 1	P.U. C.O. No.
Tariff Title	Tariff Title
Out of Territory Services Tariff	
Section	Section
5.6	
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Trunk Advantage SM	
Paragraph	Paragraph
Pages 65 and 66	
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Tariff Title	Tariff Title
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Prime Advantage SM	
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Paragraph

4. Att	ached he	reto and made a part hereof are: (Check Applicable Exhibits)		
	X Exhibit A - existing schedule sheets (to be superseded) if applicable			
· 	X Exhibit B - Proposed schedule sheets			
	Exhibit C-1			
	(a)	if new service is proposed, describe;		
	(b)	if new equipment is involved, describe (preferably with a picture, brochure, etc) and where appropriate, a statement distinguishing proposed service from existing services;		
	(c)	if proposed service results from customer requests, so state giving if available, the number and type of customer requesting proposed service.		
		bit C-2 - if a change of classification, rule or regulation is proposed a ment explaining reason for change.		
		bit C-3 - statement explaining reason for any proposal not covered in bits C-1 or C-2.		
	s applica rge or rer	tion will not result in an increase in rate, joint rate, toll, classification, atal.		
6. Applicant respectfully requests the Commission to permit the filing of the proposed schedule sheets, to become effective on the date, subsequent to filing, to be shown on the proposed schedule sheets which will be filed with the Commission; and to be in the form of the schedule sheets in Exhibit B, modified by any further revisions that have become effective prior to the effective date of the proposed schedule sheets				
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By Christopher S. Colwell Vice President - Government Relations				
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VERIFICATION

State of Ohio, Hamilton County, ss: Christopher S. Colwell, Government Relations V.P. and Christopher J. Wilson, Corporate Attorney, Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company, being first duly sworn hereby verify this transmittal.

Christopher S. Colwell

Christopher J. Wilson

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Attorney At Law
Notary Public, State of Ohio
My Commission Has No Expiration Date
Section 147.03 R.C.

EXHIBIT A PRESENT PAGES

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LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

SECTION 5 OUT OF TERRITORY LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES (cont'd)

5.6 TRUNK ADVANTAGESM

Available in the Cincinnati Service Rate Area Available in the Dayton Service Rate Area

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5.6.1 General

- 1. Trunk AdvantageSM provides exchange access service at a 1.544 Mbps (DS-1) interface.
- Trunk AdvantageSM Service consists of a DS-1 Digital Trunk Facility and up to twenty-four (24) 64 kbps Digital Trunk Channels. Digital Trunk Facilities and Digital Trunk Channels are not offered separately.
- 3. Three types of Digital Trunk Channels are available. Standard channels provide the same features as analog trunk lines found in Section 5.1.2, preceding. DID channels provide direct inward dialing service as found in Section 5.3. Two Way DID Channels provide capability for two way standard service and direct inward dialing service.
- 4. Trunk channels may be purchased with flat or measured rate service. Measured rate service regulations are listed in paragraph 5.6.2.5 and rates are listed in Section 5.6.6 following.
- 5. All Digital Trunk Channels use MF or DTMF signaling.

5.6.2 Regulations

- 1. DID channels do not require a DID termination as listed in Section 5.3. DID trunks do require that groups of numbers be purchased from Section 5.6.3.
- Trunk AdvantageSM is offered under variable term contracts and month-to-month rates. With
 variable term contracts, rates are payable over a period selected by the customer from those
 available. Termination charges may apply to variable term contracts as shown below in Part 4.b of
 these regulations.
- 3. The minimum period of service for Trunk AdvantageSM is 12 months.
- 4. Termination Charges

Customers requesting the termination of a Trunk Advantage Service (including the Digital TrunkFacility, channels and optional features) prior to the end of the 12 month minimum service period period, or prior to the end of their chosen variable term contract will be liable for a termination charge. The termination charge will be calculated as follows:

ISSUE DATE: December 20, 2002

Christopher S. Colwell, Vice President, Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 1, 2003 In accordance with Finding and Order in Case No. 02-3338-TP-ATA, issued by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, dated December 20, 2002 and Case No. 90-5013-TP-TRF

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LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

SECTION 5 <u>OUT OF TERRITORY LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES</u> (cont'd) 5.6 <u>TRUNK ADVANTAGE</u> SM (cont'd)

5.6.2 Regulations (cont'd)

4. Termination Charges (cont'd)

- a. If the Trunk Advantage Service (Digital Trunk Facility, channels, and optional features) is terminated in the first 12 months of service, the termination charge is the difference between 12 months at the applicable rates, and the recurring charges paid until the service was terminated.
 - Term. Charge = [12 x VTPP rates] [recurring charges paid to date] (N)
- b. If service is terminated after 12 months in service, but before the end of the customer's variable term contract, the termination charge is equal to the difference between the customer's term rates and the current month-to-month rates times the number of months of the contract that was fulfilled.
 - Term. Charge = [Current month-to-month rates term rates] (N)

 X [number of months in service under contract]
- c. If nonrecurring charges associated with the installation of a Trunk Advantage Service are
 waived and that service is then terminated prior to completion of the 12 month minimum
 service period or the VTPP contract period, the customer will become liable for payment of
 the waived charges.

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5. Upgrades

Customers wishing to upgrade existing trunk service to Trunk AdvantageSM will be charged the listed nonrecurring charges for the appropriate number of digital trunk facilities and will have to convert to the DID rate structure in this Section 5.6. Non-recurring charges on digital trunk channels are waived for the existing trunks that are moved to Trunk AdvantageSM. Any new channels added at the time of conversion to Trunk AdvantageSM will receive nonrecurring charges.

6. Measured Service

- Measured Service charges consist of a basic monthly charge for the channel plus usage charges based upon the number, distance, duration, and time of day of originated calls.
- b. Measured Service is furnished subject to the availability of facilities.
- c. The distance used for Measured Service billing is based on the airline mileage between rate centers serving the called and calling access line. The airline mileage is computed mathematically employing as a base a vertical (V) and a horizontal (H) coordinate for each central office, as determined from its latitude and longitude location using appropriate map projection equations.
- Note 1: Commission approval of the termination liability language for VTPP contracts is not intended to indicate that the Commission has approved sanctioned any terms or provisions contained therein. Signatories to such contracts shall be free to pursue whatever legal remedies they may have should a dispute arise.

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ISSUE DATE: March 7, 2002 Amended: March 28, 2002

Christopher S. Colwell, Vice President, Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company

EFFECTIVE DATE: April 7, 2002 In accordance with Finding and Order in Case No. 02-0622-TP-ATA, issued by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, dated March 7, 2002 and Case No. 90-5013-TP-TRF

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5.7 PRIME ADVANTAGE SM (cont'd)

5.7.3 Regulations (cont'd)

- 3. The minimum service period for Prime AdvantageSM is twelve months.
- The customer must provide customer premises equipment that meets the technical requirements of the serving central office.
- The customer is responsible for providing power to all customer premises equipment (CPE) attached to the Primary Rate Facility.
- The customer must notify the Company when call type maximums and minimums are to be changed for the call-by-call feature. This is in order to maintain the proper provision of directory numbers and call control on the line.
- 7. One 911 charge is applied to each outgoing and 2-way B-Channel Bearer Trunk (per channel).
- 8. When a customer transfers a call, the customer is responsible for any toll charges associated with the customer originated leg(s) of the call.
- Service from some central offices may not provide all of the features and functionality described in this tariff.

10. Termination

Customers requesting the termination of a Prime Advantage Service (including the Primary Rate Facility, channels and optional features) prior to the end of the 12 month minimum service period or prior to the end of their variable term contract will be liable for a termination charge. The termination charge will be calculated as follows:

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a. If the Prime Advantage Service (Primary Rate Facility, channels and optional features) is terminated in the first 12 months of service, the termination charge is the difference between 12 months at the applicable rates, and the recurring charges paid until the service was terminated.

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Term. Charge = [12 x VTPP rates] - [recurring charges paid to date]

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EXHIBIT B PROPOSED PAGES

Explanation of Coding

(\mathcal{C}) —	Indicates	changed	regula	tion

- (D) " discontinued rate or regulation
- (I) " increase
- (M) " matter relocated without change
- (N) " new rate or regulation
- (R) reduction
- (S) " reissued matter
- (T) " a change in text but not in rate or regulation

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5.6 TRUNK ADVANTAGESM (cont'd)

5.6.2 Regulations (cont'd)

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- b. If Customer removes one or more facility (facilities), channel(s), optional feature(s) from service prior to the expiration of the term hereof, Customer will pay to CBT a termination charge equal to all monthly charges for such facility (facilities), channel(s) or optional feature(s) for which Customer would have been responsible had Customer not removed such facility (facilities), channel(s)s or optional feature(s).

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5.7.3 Regulations (cont'd)

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EXHIBIT C-2

Change in Regulation

CBT is proposing to revise the contract termination language associated with the Prime and Trunk AdvantageSM Services. The revised language will require a customer to pay a termination charge that is equal to all monthly charges for which the customer would have been responsible had the customer not terminated the service prior to the end of the minimum 12-month period or the applicable 24, 36, 48 or 60-month term payment plan period.

CBT is proposing these changes as a result of the increase in competition in the business market. CBT is finding that competing telecommunication providers are offering to pay the Prime and Trunk AdvantageSM termination charges as an incentive for customers to leave CBT. CBT does not want to exact a penalty on the customer but would like to recover the damages as a result of early termination.

These proposed changes would apply to customers subscribing to Prime and Trunk AdvantageSM Services after the effective date of this application.

EXHIBIT C-3

Customer Notification

Customers will be notified of these changes by CBT's business sales force prior to the time of purchase.