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Ms. Renee J. Jenkins
Docketing Division Chief
The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

RE: Case No. 04-1294-TP-SLF
Docket No. 90-5013-TP-TRF

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Enclosed for filing are an original and three copies of Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company's (CBT's) Application to revise language in the **Out of Territory Services Tariff**, PUCO No. 1, Section 5 – Local Exchange Service, **to increase the residential and non-residential Late Payment Charge and the Returned Check Charge.**

This filing is in accordance with Case No. 04-1294-TP-SLF issued by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio and Case No. 90-5013-TP-TRF reserved for the filing of CBT's approved tariffs. The approved final tariff pages bear the effective date of October 18, 2004 and list the most current revision number of the affected tariff pages.

OUT OF TERRITORY SERVICES TARIFF PUCO NO. 1

Section 5	2nd Revised Page 5	Cancels 1st Revised Page 5
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Please date-stamp and return the enclosed duplicate of this transmittal to acknowledge its receipt. Please refer any questions to Evelyn King on 513-397-1378.

Sincerely,

D. Scott Ringo, Jr.
Assistant Secretary and
Director of Regulatory Affairs

Attachments

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LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

SECTION 5 OUT OF TERRITORY LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES

5.1 LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES (Continued)

5.1.4 Returned Check Charge

Applicable in the Cincinnati and Dayton Service Rate Areas

An administrative charge (USOC REK) will apply on each occasion a check, draft or electronic funds transfer item is presented for payment for service by a subscriber and is not accepted by the institution upon which it is drawn.

	<u>All Service Rate Areas</u>	
Returned Check Charge, per check:	\$25.00	(I)

5.1.5 Late Payment Fee

Applicable in the Cincinnati and Dayton Service Rate Areas

For unpaid balances of \$25.00 or more, a late payment fee (LPF) will be \$5.00 or an amount that equals one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month on the unpaid balance on all Cincinnati Bell Telephone regulated revenues, whichever is greater. The late payment charge does not apply to accounts receivable purchased from other providers, not paid on or before the due date on the monthly bill. The late payment charge not apply to amounts that are in dispute.

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LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

SECTION 5 OUT OF TERRITORY LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES

5.1 LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES (Continued)

5.1.6 Maintenance of Service Charge

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Applicable in the Cincinnati and Dayton Service Rate Areas

Customers will be required to pay the maintenance of service charges listed below, for visits made by the Company or its agents to the customer's premises, when a service difficulty or trouble report results from equipment or facilities not maintained or repaired by the Company. The customer will be advised, before a visit to his or her premises, of the possibility of a maintenance of service charge.

The Company or its agent will provide a written statement of the time and charges for any maintenance of service charge to the customer or his designated agent before leaving the customer's premises.

The Company or its agent will request the customer or his designated agent to signify his acceptance of the statement of time and charges by affixing his signature to the statement.

5.1.6.1 Rates and Charges

A. Cincinnati Service Rate Area

Maintenance of Service Charge - Non-residence

First 15 minutes or fraction thereof	\$ 31.50
Each additional 15 minutes or fraction thereof	9.00

Maintenance of Service Charge - Residence

First 15 minutes or fraction thereof	31.50
Each additional 15 minutes or fraction thereof	9.00

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5.1 LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES (Continued)

5.1.6 Maintenance of Service Charge (Continued)

5.1.6.1 Rates and Charges (Continued)

B. Dayton Service Rate Area

Maintenance of Service Charge - Non-residence

First 15 minutes or fraction thereof	\$ 100.00
Each additional 15 minutes or fraction thereof	30.00

Maintenance of Service Charge - Residence

First 15 minutes or fraction thereof	100.00
Each additional 15 minutes or fraction thereof	30.00

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