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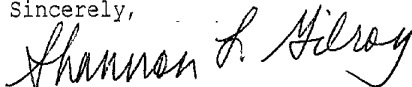
Dear Mrs. Crockron:

Please find enclosed ten (10) copies of the revised tariff pages of TELECONNECT LONG DISTANCE SERVICE AND SYSTEMS COMPANY dba TELECOM\*USA's tariff P.U.C.O. No. 3 in which TELECOM\*USA is proposing:

- To remove the monthly fee from the service description page within Section Q, SMARTminutes for business, and to update the rate page. In Telecom\*USA's previous filing dated April 30, 2002, the monthly fee was increased on the service description page but not on the Price List page. This filing corrects the tariff.
- To increase the dial one, calling card and inbound per minute rates associated with SMARTminutes for business. In addition, to increase the calling card per call surcharge.
- To increase the per minute usage rates associated with SMARTminutes Toll Free. In addition, to increase the calling card per minute rate and per call surcharge.
- To increase the per minute usage rates associated with SMARTminutes Buy Down Plan. In addition, to increase the calling card per minute rate and per call surcharge.

Please date stamp and return to my attention the enclosed duplicate copy of this letter and tariff pages for our files. If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me. My telephone number is (312) 260-3245.

Sincerely,



Shannon L. Gilroy  
Tariff Administrator, Public Policy

Enclosure

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## PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

## PUBLIC COMPETITIVE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDER

563 REGISTRATION FORM

ISSUED: December 21, 1995

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In the Matter of the Application of ) Case No. 02-1616-CT-2002 JUL -1 AM 11:03  
Teleconnect Long Distance Service & Systems Co.  
 to make various revisions to its tariff.)

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Name of Registrant Teleconnect Long Distance Service & Systems Co. dba Telecom\*USA  
 Registrant's Address 205 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 1100, Chicago, IL 60601  
 Contact Person Shannon L. Gilroy (Phone- 312-260-3245)  
 Date June 28, 2002 TRF Docket No. 90-5126-CT-TRF

- I. Indicate the reason for submitting this form (check one) (NOTES: 1. If a waiver is filed in conjunction with an automatic case, see I.D.2.b of the 563 guidelines for the applicable automatic time frame; and 2. The number of copies noted below must be accompanied by an original filing. Facsimiles are not acceptable).

- ☐ 1. (ABN) Withdrawal of Abandonment of all Services (14-day notice, 13 copies)  
☐ 2. (ACE) New Operating Authority (30-day approval, 10 copies)  
     ☐ IXC      ☐ AOS      ☐ CAP      ☐ Cellular      ☐ Paging  
     ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ 3. (AMT) Merger (14-day notice, 13 copies)  
☐ 4. (ATR) Transfer or Transaction Affecting Operating Authority (14-day notice, 7 copies)  
☐ 5. (ARJ) All Other Requests for Relief from Jurisdiction (NOT automatic, 10 copies)  
☐ 6. (MTW) "Me Too" Waiver (30-day approval, 10 copies)  
☐ 7. (RRJ) Switchless Rebiller Request for Relief from Jurisdiction (30-day approval, 10 copies)  
☐ 8. (WVR) Request for Waiver from Portion(s) of 563 pursuant to I.D.3. of the 563 guidelines.  
     (NOT automatic, 10 copies)  
☐ 9. (ZAC) Contract (0-day notice, 10 copies)  
☐ 10. (ZCN) Change of Name (0-day notice, 10 copies)  
☐ 11. (ZCO) Change in Ownership (0-day notice, 10 copies)  
☒ 12. (ZTA) Introduction of new tariffed service(s), textual revision, correction of error, addition  
     of service area(s), etc. (0-day notice, 10 copies)  
☐ 13. (UNC) Unclassified (explain) \_\_\_\_\_ (Not automatic, 10 copies)  
☐ 14. Other (explain) \_\_\_\_\_ (NOT automatic, 10 copies)

## THE FOLLOWING ARE TRF FILINGS ONLY, NOT NEW CASES (0-day notice, 3 copies)

- ☐ 15. Introduction or Extension of Promotional Offering  
☐ 16. New Price List Rate for Existing Service.  
☐ 17. Designation of Registrant's Process Agent(s)

- II. Indicate which of the following exhibits have been filed. The numbers (corresponding to the list above) indicate, at a minimum, the types of cases in which the exhibit is required:

- ☐ A copy of registrant's proposed informational tariff. (2)  
☐ Statement affirming that the registrant has notified the Ohio Department of Taxation of its intent to conduct operations as a telephone utility in the State of Ohio. (2)  
☐ List of names, addresses, and phone numbers of officers and directors, or partners. (2-4)  
☐ Brief description of service(s) proposed, as well as the targeted market(s). (2)  
☒ Copy of tariff sheet(s) & price list(s) superseded, marked Exhibit A. (1,3-4,6,8,10,12-16)  
☒ Copy of revised tariff sheets & price lists, marked as Exhibit B. (1,3-4,6,10,12-16)  
☒ If increase to residential MTS, DA, or traditional operator surcharges, specify which notice procedure will be utilized: ☒ real time; or \_\_\_\_\_ annual. (12,16)  
☒ Copy of real time notice which has been provided to customers. (1,3,10-12,16)  
☐ Copy of annual notice which will be sent to customer is: \_\_\_\_\_ included with this filing; or will be filed with the Commission \_\_\_\_\_ (month) \_\_\_\_\_ (year). (16)

- ☒ Description and rationale for proposed tariff changes, including a complete description of the service(s) proposed or affected. Specify for each service affected whether it is business ☒, residence ☐, or both ☐ as well as whether it is a switched ☒ or dedicated ☐ service. Include this information in either the cover letter or label as "Exhibit C". (3,6,8,12-15)
- ☐ Delineation of any deaveraged message toll service, if applicable. (6,12-16)
- ☐ Statement explaining rationale for proposal. (1,3-5,10-11)
- ☐ List of Ohio counties specifically involved or affected. (1-6,8,10,16)
- ☐ Certification from Ohio Secretary of State as to party's proper standing (domestic or foreign corporation, authorized use of fictitious name, etc.). (2-4,7,10) (In transfer of certificate cases, the transferee's good standing must be established).
- ☐ Justification for waiver of specific element(s) of 563. (6,8)
- ☐ Responses to questions contained in Appendix A, Attachment 4 to the 563 guidelines. (7)
- ☐ For radio common carriers, a statement affirming that registrant has obtained all necessary federal authority to conduct operations being proposed, and that copies have been furnished by cellular, paging and mobile companies to this Commission of any Form 401, 463, and/or 489 which the applicant has filed with the Federal Communications Commission. (2-4)
- ☐ Other information requested by the Commission staff.

III. Registrant hereby attests to its compliance with the following requirements in the Service Requirements Form, as well as all pertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission with respect to these issues. Further, registrant hereby affirms that it will maintain with its TRF docket an up-to-date, properly marked, copy of the Service Requirements Form available for public inspection.

Mandatory requirements for all CTS providers:

- (X) Sales tax
- (X) Deposits

Service requirements for CTS providers of certain services (check all applicable):

- ☒ Discount for Persons with Communication Disabilities and the Telecommunications Relay Service
- ☒ Emergency Services Calling Plan
- ☒ Alternative Operator Service (AOS) requirements
- ☒ Limitation of Liability
- ☒ Termination Liability Language

IV. List names, titles, and addresses of those persons authorized to make and/or verify filings at the Commission on behalf of the registrant.

#### VERIFICATION

I, Shannon L. Gilroy, Tariff Supervisor verify that I have utilized, verbatim, the Commission's 563 Registration Form issued December 21, 1995 and that all of the information submitted here, and all additional information submitted in connection with Case No. 02 - CT - ZTA is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

(Signature)\*

(Date)

\* A verification is required for every filing. It may be signed by counsel or a process agent designated by the Registrant, except that initial certification cases (ACE) must be signed by an officer of the registering entity.

Note: An annual report is required to be filed with the Commission by each company on an annual basis. The annual report form will be sent for completion to the address and individual(s) identified in this Section unless another address or individual is so indicated.

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## Customer Notice Provided to Customers

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Customer Notification included in Telecom\*USA Customer Invoices:

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Pursuant to tariffs filed in Ohio for effect on July 1, 2002, Telecom\*USA(sm) will increase its SMARTminutes(sm) for Business intraLATA and interLATA dial-1, inbound 800 rate, and intrastate calling card rate from \$0.15 to \$0.17 per minute with a surcharge rate from 0.80 to \$0.90 per call. This will increase your Telecom\*USA total charges. If you have any questions, please call customer service.

Pursuant to the tariff filed in Ohio for effect on July 1, 2002, Telecom\*USA(sm) will increase your SMARTminutes(sm) Toll Free and SMARTminutes Buy Down Plan Dial-1, inbound 800 rate, and fax per minute rate from \$.10 to \$.11. In addition, your calling card per-minute instate rate will increase from \$.14 to \$.16, with a surcharge from \$.80 to \$.90. This will increase your Telecom\*USA total charges. If you have any questions, please call customer service.

## EXHIBIT A

TELECONNECT LONG  
DISTANCE SERVICE  
AND SYSTEMS COMPANY

P.U.C.O. TARIFF NO. 3  
32ND REVISED SHEET ii  
CANCELS 31ST REVISED SHEET ii

LONG DISTANCE RESALE SERVICE

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P.U.C.O. TARIFF NO. 3  
21ST REVISED SHEET v  
CANCELS 20TH REVISED SHEET v

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P.U.C.O. TARIFF NO. 3  
27TH REVISED SHEET vi  
CANCELS 26TH REVISED SHEET vi

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TELECONNECT LONG  
DISTANCE SERVICE  
AND SYSTEMS COMPANY

Q. SMARTminutes for business<sup>1</sup>

P.U.C.O. TARIFF NO. 3  
4TH REVISED SHEET 122.3  
CANCELS 3RD REVISED SHEET 122.3

LONG DISTANCE RESALE SERVICE

DESCRIPTION

SMARTminutes for business is an inbound and outbound Commercial Service that allows customers to originate intrastate calls via local exchange carrier access facilities. A customer may access outbound service by: 1) designating the Company as its Primary Interexchange Carrier (PIC); 2) dialing a Company carrier identification code (CIC); or, 3) using a calling card access telephone number and personal identification number (PIN). Inbound service is accessed using common business line 800 terminations. The term "SMARTminutes for business" shall be used interchangeably with the term "EasyPlan" when used throughout this tariff.

2. Rates:

Per minute usage rates will apply for dial one calls, card calls and inbound 800 calls.

All SMARTminutes for business calls are subject to a 60-second initial increment with additional 60-second increments. Customers subscribing to inbound service will be charged \$5.95 per month per 800 number.

3. Features:

Directory Assistance (as described in Section M) and Operator Services (as described in Section J) will be available to those customers who pre-subscribe to SMARTminutes for business.

4. SMARTminutes for business Term Plan:

The SMARTminutes for business Term Plan is a term plan that provides discounts off domestic usage rates. Customers who enroll in this plan will receive discounts off standard tariffed rates for SMARTminutes for business as described below.

Term Commitment and Renewal Option: A customer must commit to service for a term of either one or two years. The term of the SMARTminutes for business Term Plan will commence no earlier than the first day of the billing month in which the customer subscribes to the plan. Upon expiration of the term, the customer will revert to standard tariffed rates for SMARTminutes for business.

Discounts: SMARTminutes for business Term Plan customers will receive a reduction off standard intrastate rates for SMARTminutes for business as follows:

<u>Commitment (Years)</u>	<u>Reduction</u>
1	\$0.005
2	\$0.010

Directory Assistance, Operator Assistance, and monthly recurring charges are not discountable.

<sup>1</sup>Effective April 1, 1997, SMARTminutes for business will no longer be available to new subscribers.

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LONG DISTANCE RESALE SERVICE

27. SMARTminutes for business<sup>1</sup>

The per minute usage rates are as follows:

- \$0.15 during all time of day rate periods for outbound calls other than those billed to a calling card
- \$0.15 during all time of day rate periods for outbound calls billed to a calling card (A surcharge of \$0.80 per call will apply.)
- \$0.15 during all time of day rate periods for inbound calls

Minimum Usage Fee

Minimum Usage Fee: \$5.00 per account if total SMARTminutes for business usage charges are less than \$5.00 per account per month. The \$5.00 charge is applied against the month's usage charges.

All SMARTminutes for business calls are subject to a 60-second initial increment with additional 60-second increments.

Customers subscribing to inbound service will be charged \$5.00 per month per 800 number.

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28. SMARTminutes Advantage<sup>2</sup>

Rates

Per minute usage rate during  
all time of day rate periods:

\$0.0950

Monthly Fee:

\$5.00

All SMARTminutes Advantage calls are subject to an initial one-minute duration with additional one-minute increments.

The SMARTminutes Calling Card feature is available for customers enrolled in SMARTminutes Advantage service. The SMARTminutes Calling Card rate and surcharge listed in the Price List section, Sheet 155, will apply.

<sup>1</sup>Effective April 1, 1997, SMARTminutes for business will no longer be available to new subscribers.

<sup>2</sup>Effective October 15, 1998, SMARTminutes Advantage will no longer be available to new subscribers.

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S. Price List

P.U.C.O. TARIFF NO. 3  
3RD REVISED SHEET 155.2  
CANCELS 2ND REVISED SHEET 155.2

LONG DISTANCE RESALE SERVICE

29. SMARTminutes Toll Free<sup>1</sup>

Monthly Fee: \$12.00<sup>2</sup>  
Per Minute Usage Rates: \$ 0.10 for all time of day rate periods  
Calling Card Per Minute Rate: \$ 0.14 for all time of day rate periods  
Calling Card Surcharge: \$ 0.80 per call

All SMARTminutes Toll Free calls are subject to a 60-second initial increment with additional 60-second increments.

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30. SMARTminutes Buy Down Plan<sup>1</sup>

Monthly Fee: \$7.50<sup>2</sup>  
Per Minute Usage Rates: \$0.10 for all time of day rate periods  
Calling Card Per Minute Rate: \$0.14 for all time of day rate periods  
Calling Card Surcharge: \$0.80 per call

All SMARTminutes Toll Free calls are subject to a 60-second initial increment with additional 60-second increments.

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<sup>1</sup>Effective April 1, 1997, SMARTminutes Toll Free and SMARTminutes Buy Down Plan will no longer be available to new subscribers.

<sup>2</sup>Fee applies to both intrastate and interstate.

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## EXHIBIT B

TELECONNECT LONG  
DISTANCE SERVICE  
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P.U.C.O. TARIFF NO. 3  
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P.U.C.O. TARIFF NO. 3  
28TH REVISED SHEET vi  
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Q. SMARTminutes for business<sup>1</sup>

P.U.C.O. TARIFF NO. 3  
5TH REVISED SHEET 122.3  
CANCELS 4TH REVISED SHEET 122.3

LONG DISTANCE RESALE SERVICE

1. DESCRIPTION

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2. Rates:

Per minute usage rates will apply for dial one calls, card calls and inbound 800 calls.

All SMARTminutes for business calls are subject to a 60-second initial increment with additional 60-second increments. Customers subscribing to inbound service will be charged a monthly charge per 800 number.

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3. Features:

Directory Assistance (as described in Section M) and Operator Services (as described in Section J) will be available to those customers who pre-subscribe to SMARTminutes for business.

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S. Price List

P.U.C.O. TARIFF NO. 3  
6TH REVISED SHEET 155.1  
CANCELS 5TH REVISED SHEET 155.1

LONG DISTANCE RESALE SERVICE

27. SMARTminutes for business<sup>1</sup>

The per minute usage rates are as follows:

- \$0.17 during all time of day rate periods for outbound calls other than those billed to a calling card I
- \$0.17 during all time of day rate periods for outbound calls billed to a calling card (A surcharge of \$0.90 per call will apply.) I
- \$0.17 during all time of day rate periods for inbound calls I

Minimum Usage Fee

Minimum Usage Fee: \$5.00 per account if total SMARTminutes for business usage charges are less than \$5.00 per account per month. The \$5.00 charge is applied against the month's usage charges.

All SMARTminutes for business calls are subject to a 60-second initial increment with additional 60-second increments. Customers subscribing to inbound service will be charged \$5.95 per month per 800 number. Z

28. SMARTminutes Advantage<sup>2</sup>

Rates

Per minute usage rate during  
all time of day rate periods: \$0.0950

Monthly Fee: \$5.00

All SMARTminutes Advantage calls are subject to an initial one-minute duration with additional one-minute increments.

The SMARTminutes Calling Card feature is available for customers enrolled in SMARTminutes Advantage service. The SMARTminutes Calling Card rate and surcharge listed in the Price List section, Sheet 155, will apply.

<sup>1</sup>Effective April 1, 1997, SMARTminutes for business will no longer be available to new subscribers.

<sup>2</sup>Effective October 15, 1998, SMARTminutes Advantage will no longer be available to new subscribers.

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29. SMARTminutes Toll Free<sup>1</sup>

Monthly Fee: \$12.00<sup>2</sup>

Per Minute Usage Rates: \$ 0.11 for all time of day rate periods I

Calling Card Per Minute Rate: \$ 0.16 for all time of day rate periods I

Calling Card Surcharge: \$ 0.90 per call I

All SMARTminutes Toll Free calls are subject to a 60-second initial increment with additional 60-second increments.

30. SMARTminutes Buy Down Plan<sup>1</sup>

Monthly Fee: \$7.50<sup>2</sup>

Per Minute Usage Rates: \$0.11 for all time of day rate periods I

Calling Card Per Minute Rate: \$0.16 for all time of day rate periods I

Calling Card Surcharge: \$0.90 per call I

All SMARTminutes Toll Free calls are subject to a 60-second initial increment with additional 60-second increments.

<sup>1</sup>Effective April 1, 1997, SMARTminutes Toll Free and SMARTminutes Buy Down Plan will no longer be available to new subscribers.

<sup>2</sup>Fee applies to both intrastate and interstate.

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