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Ms. Renee J. Jenkins  
Director of Administration  
Secretary of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
180 East Broad Street  
Columbus, Ohio 43215

RE: In the Matter of the Application of McClure Telephone Company to Revise its Intrastate Long  
Distance Services Tariff to Add a High Volume Optional Calling Plan;  
PUCO Case No. 05-1056-TP-ZTA

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Enclosed are an original and seven (7) copies of the Application of McClure Telephone Company to be  
filed in connection with the above-referenced matter.

Thank you for your assistance. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

Carolyn S. Flahive

Enclosure

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**The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio**  
**TELECOMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION FORM**  
for  
**Automatic Cases for ILECs Not Subject to Alternative Regulation**  
(Effective October 14, 2004)

In the Matter of the Application of McClure Telephone )  
Company to Revise its Intrastate Long Distance Services ) Case No. 05 - 1056 - **TP** - ZTA  
Tariff to Add a High Volume Optional Calling Plan )

Name of Company McClure Telephone Company  
Address of Company P.O. Box 26, 311 South East Street; McClure, Ohio 43534-0026  
Company Web Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Regulatory Contact Person(s) Carolyn S. Flahive Phone (614) 469-3200 Fax (614) 469-3361  
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Date \_\_\_\_\_ TRF Docket No. 90 - 5026 - TP - TRF

Motion for protective order included with filing?  Yes  No  
Motion for waiver(s) filed affecting this case?  Yes  No [Note: waiver(s) tolls any automatic timeframe]

**NOTE:** This form must accompany all automatic approval/notice applications filed by incumbent local exchange companies (ILECs) not subject to a qualifying alternative regulation plan when making an application pursuant to Case Nos. 84-944-TP-COI and 86-1144-TP-COI or 89-564-TP-COI.

**I. Please indicate the reason for submitting this form (*check one*)**

- 1 (AEC) Application For Approval Of A Customer Contract For Competitive Services
  - a. Stand-Alone Contract (90-day approval, 7 copies)
  - b. Pre-Approved Contract (0-day notice, 7 copies)
- 2 (ACO) ILEC Application for Change in Ownership Pursuant to 4905.402, Ohio Revised Code (30-day approval, 10 copies)
- 3 (ALI) Small, For-Profit, ILEC Application For A Limited Increase In Non-Basic Rates (60-day approval, 10 copies)
- 4 (ATA) Application For Tariff Amendment That Does Not Result In An Increase In Rates
  - a. Large ILEC, Competitive Offerings Other Than Those Listed Under 5., Below (60-day approval, 7 copies)
  - b. Small, for-profit ILECs (45-day approval, 10 copies) (Not-for-profit, see item 6, NFP, below)
  - c. All Others (non-automatic approval)
- 5 (ZTA) Tariff Notification Not For An Increase In Rates Involving Message Toll, Toll-Free Service, 900 And 900-Like Services, 500 Service, Calling Card, Prepaid Calling Card, Private Line, and Speed Dialing In Accordance With Waiver Granted in 99-563-TP-COI (5/11/2000 and 11/21/2002) (0-day notice, 7 copies)  
NOTE: Notifications do not require or imply Commission Approval.
- 6 (NFP) Small, not-for-profit ILEC tariff amendment
  - a. Tariff Change Not Resulting In An Increase In Rates (0-day notice, 7 copies)
  - b. Tariff Application Resulting In An Increase In Non-Basic Rates (45-day notice, 7 copies)
  - c. Tariff Application Resulting In An Increase In Basic Rates (60-day notice, 10 copies)

**THE FOLLOWING ARE TRF FILINGS ONLY, NOT NEW CASES**

- 7 Introduction or Extension of Promotional Offering (10-day notice, 3 copies)
- 8 New Price List Rate Within an Approved Rate Range for Existing Competitive Service (0-day notice, 3 copies)

**II. The following exhibits corresponding to the list of cases above, at a minimum, are required to be filed:**

|                                     |                  |  |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 3, 4, 5, 6       | Current Tariff Sheets (to be superseded), if applicable  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 3, 4, 5, 6       | Proposed Tariff Sheets   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 2, 3, 4, 5, 6    | Rationale or Explanation for Change  |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | 1.a., 4.a.       | Justification for Competitive Treatment  |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | 1.a., 4.a.       | Cost support for non-MTS service   |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8 | Customer Notice to customers affected by proposal, and statement as to the form and timing of the notice |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | 1                | Copy of Contract   |

- III. Applicant is filing this application under the regulatory requirements established by the Commission in Case No. 89-564-TP-COI.
- IV. Applicant respectfully requests the Commission to permit the filing of the proposed tariff sheets, to become effective on the date shown on the proposed tariff sheets (which is a date no earlier than the day after the applicable automatic approval date), modified by any further revisions that have become effective prior to the effective date of the proposed schedule sheets.

Respectfully submitted,

McCLURE TELEPHONE COMPANY

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614-469-3200

Its Attorneys

**VERIFICATION**

I verify that all of the information submitted herein, and all additional information submitted in connection with this case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Carolyn S. Flahive 8.25.05  
\*(Signature and Title) (Date)

\*Verification is required for every filing, and need **not** be notarized except for Applications for a Limited Increase in Rates (ALIs). The verification may be signed by an officer of the applicant, its counsel, or an authorized agent of the applicant, except for ALIs. ALI applications must be signed by an officer of the company and be notarized.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public, State of Ohio  
My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_.

**EXHIBIT A**  
**(Current Tariff Sheets)**

INTRASTATE LONG DISTANCE SERVICES TARIFF

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\* Denotes New or Revised Sheet

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In Accordance with Case No. 04-832-TP-ZTA  
Issued by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
Duane Schroeder, General Manager  
McClure, Ohio

INTRASTATE LONG DISTANCE SERVICES TARIFF

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10. Optional Toll Calling Plan

(N)

A. Description

This plan allows customers in the McClure Exchange, as well as customers in the expanded service areas set forth in Section 12, Sheet No. 1 of this Tariff, to make an unlimited number of calls to the following exchanges for a monthly charge:

| <u>Exchange Name</u> | <u>(NPA) NXX*</u>  |
|----------------------|--|
| Bowling Green        | (419) 214, 308, 352, 353, 354, 372, 373,<br>409, 494, 575, 601 |
| Grand Rapids         | (419) 830, 832   |
| Napoleon             | (419) 579, 591, 592, 599, 966                                  |
| Weston               | (419) 669  |
| Hamler               | (419) 274  |

(N)

\* (NPA) NXX refers to numbers consisting of the area code and the first 3 digits of the telephone number.

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10. Optional Toll Calling Plan (con't)

(N)

B. Rates

The optional toll calling plan rate below applies in addition to the monthly local exchange service access rates set forth in Section 1, Sheet No. 1 of this Tariff.

Residential/Business

\$10.00\*/month

\*For the promotional period ending August 30, 2004, the Company will offer the Optional Toll Calling Plan for \$5.00/month. At the end of the promotional period, the monthly rate will be \$10.00, unless otherwise provided in this Tariff.

(N)

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PRICE LIST

EFFECTIVE June 1, 2004

Optional Toll Calling Plan

Unlimited calling to the exchanges listed on Page 21 of this Tariff: \$10.00\* month (N)

\* For the promotional period ending August 30, 2004, the Company will offer the Optional Toll Calling Plan for \$5.00/month. At the end of the promotional period, the monthly rate will be \$10.00, unless otherwise provided in this Tariff. (N)

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**EXHIBIT B**

**(Proposed Tariff Sheets)**

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10. OPTIONAL TOLL CALLING PLANS (T)

EXPANDED CALLING PLAN (T)

A. Description

This plan allows customers in the McClure Exchange, as well as customers in the expanded service areas set forth in Section 12, Sheet No. 1 of this Tariff, to make an unlimited number of calls to the following exchanges for a monthly charge:

| <u>Exchange Name</u> | <u>(NPA) NXX*</u>  |
|----------------------|--|
| Bowling Green        | (419) 214, 308, 352, 353, 354, 372, 373,<br>409, 494, 575, 601 |
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| Weston               | (419) 669  |
| Hamler               | (419) 274  |

\* (NPA) NXX refers to numbers consisting of the area code and the first 3 digits of the telephone number.

B. Rates (M)

The optional toll calling plan rate below applies in addition to the monthly local exchange service access rates set forth in Section 1, Sheet No. 1 of this Tariff.

Residential/Business  
\$10.00\*/month

\*For the promotional period ending August 30, 2004, the Company will offer the Optional Toll Calling Plan for \$5.00/month. At the end of the promotional period, the monthly rate will be \$10.00, unless otherwise provided in this Tariff.

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10. OPTIONAL TOLL CALLING PLANS (con't)

HIGH VOLUME PLAN

(N)

A. Description

This plan allows business customers to pay a flat monthly rate and a lower per minute rate for toll calls.

B. Rates

The optional toll calling plan rate below applies in addition to the monthly local exchange service access rates set forth in Section 1, Sheet No. 1 of this Tariff and is available to business customers only.

\$250.00/month

\$ .05/minute

(N)

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PRICE LIST

EFFECTIVE AUGUST 25, 2005

OPTIONAL TOLL CALLING PLANS

EXPANDED CALLING PLAN

(T)

Unlimited calling to the exchanges listed on Page 21 of this Tariff: \$10.00\* month

- \* For the promotional period ending August 30, 2004, the Company will offer the Optional Toll Calling Plan for \$5.00/month. At the end of the promotional period, the monthly rate will be \$10.00, unless otherwise provided in this Tariff.

HIGH VOLUME PLAN

(N)

\$250.00/month  
\$ .05/minute

Available to business customers only.

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### **EXHIBIT C**

The Applicant hereby proposes to offer an optional toll calling plan that will provide greater value to the high volume user.