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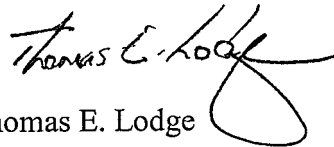
Re: In the Matter of Telephone Service Company's Application to Abandon its
TSC Regional Service, PUCO Case No. 00-1381-TP-UNC

Dear Ms. Crockron:

Enclosed for filing is an original and fifteen (15) copies of an Amended Submission of Notice. Two letters were inadvertently omitted from the Submission of Notice, previously filed with the Commission on October 6, 2000.

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

Very truly yours,


Thomas E. Lodge

cc: Jay Agranoff, Attorney Examiner
Carolyn Flahive

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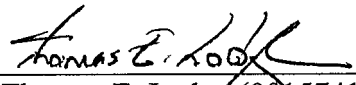
In the Matter of Telephone Service)
Company's Application to Abandon) Case No. 00-1381-CT-UNC
its TSC Regional Service)

AMENDED
SUBMISSION OF NOTICE

Telephone Service Company hereby submits two (2) additional notices intended to notify business customers of the discontinuation of TSC Regional Service. The two letters previously filed on October 6th, 2000, pertained to residential customers only.

Respectfully submitted,

TELEPHONE SERVICE COMPANY

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Its Attorney

Letter #1 - Business

Date

Name

Address

Address2

City, State Zip

Dear Customer:

It has been our privilege to provide you with TSC Regional Service for your intrastate local toll calling needs. However, because TSC's affiliate also offers "TSC Long Distance," a popular intrastate local toll calling service with a simplified rate plan, we will be discontinuing TSC Regional Service as of **[date]**.

Because TSC Regional Service will be discontinued, you must select another local toll service provider. You may select TSC Long Distance or any other long distance provider of your choice. The TSC Long Distance rate for business customers is \$.18 per minute anytime, anywhere within your local toll calling area. However, if you call us to add our optional calling plan, "All For One Business", you can receive a discount based on your usage. Many former TSC Regional Service customers will realize cost savings of over 50% by selecting TSC Long Distance. In some cases, however, depending on the particular calling pattern, a small number of customers may experience a slight increase in their bill. If you select TSC Long Distance, we will continue to provide you with the same quality service to which you have been accustomed.

Please call our business office at 739-2200 to select either TSC Long Distance or another toll service provider for your local toll calls. Telephone Service Company will pay the \$5.00 carrier change charge. If you do not select another provider by **[date-30 days]**, you will be automatically converted to TSC Long Distance for your intrastate local toll calling.

If you have any questions concerning this transition, please call our business office at 739-2200.

Sincerely,

Lonnie D. Pedersen
President

Letter #2 - Business

Name
Address
Address2
City, State Zip

Dear Customer:

As you know, as of [date] Telephone Service Company discontinued offering TSC Regional Service for intrastate local toll calling. All business customers who did not contact us to select another local toll service provider were converted to TSC Long Distance, with a flat rate of \$.18 per minute anytime, anywhere within the local toll calling area. However, if you called us to add our optional calling plan, "All For One Business", you will receive a discount based on your usage.

If you wish to select a local toll service provider other than TSC Long Distance, you may do so by calling our business office at 739-2200. Telephone Service Company will pay the \$5.00 change charge if you should choose another provider before [date-90 days].

If you decide to continue using TSC Long Distance, we will continue to provide you with the same quality service to which you were accustomed as a customer of TSC Regional Service.

Thank you for the opportunity to be of assistance.

Sincerely,

Lonnie D. Pedersen
President