



November 25, 2015
Via Electronic Filing

Jocelyn Boyd, Chief Clerk and Administrator
South Carolina Public Service Commission
Synergy Business Park
101 Executive Center Drive
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: United Telephone Company of the Carolinas LLC d/b/a CenturyLink
General Subscriber Services Tariff

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed for filing, please find revisions to the United Telephone Company of the Carolinas LLC d/b/a CenturyLink General Subscriber Services Tariff. These revisions are submitted with a November 25, 2015 issue date and a proposed effective date of December 3, 2015.

The following revisions are included in this filing:
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This filing deletes the CenturyLink Convenience Fee Charge previously assessed by CenturyLink when customers complete one-time payments with the assistance of a live CenturyLink customer representative. CenturyLink representatives are no longer accepting debit card or credit card payments directly; all such payments are being handled through a third party vendor. Customers choosing to make one-time payments through the Company's third party vendor now incur a fee assessed by the vendor; CenturyLink does not benefit from the fee.

CenturyLink offers the following non-chargeable payment options: electronic payment by check, auto-payment plans, and an automated payment system via telephone. Also, credit or debit card payments for a deposit, advance payment, recurring payment and payments made through the Company's retail locations are not subject to the convenience fee. Customers have been notified by bill message of this change and will also be notified of the charges that will be assessed by the third party vendor prior to the completion of a payment transaction.

If you have any questions regarding this filing, you may contact me at (318) 340-5328.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jennifer Watkins".

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United Telephone Company of the Carolinas
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U2. GENERAL REGULATIONS

U2.4 PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS AND CREDIT ALLOWANCES (Cont'd)

U2.4.3 **RESERVED FOR FUTURE USE**

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U2.4.4 ALLOWANCE FOR INTERRUPTIONS

When the use of service facilities furnished by the Company is interrupted due to any cause other than the negligence or willful act of the subscriber or the failure of the facilities provided by the subscriber, a pro rata adjustment of the fixed monthly charges involved will be allowed, upon request of the subscriber, for the service and facilities rendered useless and inoperative by reason of the interruption during the time said interruption continues in excess of twenty-four (24) hours from the time it is reported to or detected by the Company, except as otherwise specified in this tariff. For the purposes of administering this regulation, every month is considered to have thirty (30) days.