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Re: Docket No. 2012-136-C – Office of Regulatory Staff Petition to Review FCC Mandated Reductions to Intrastate Access Tariffs

Dear Ms. Boyd:

John Staurulakis, Inc., on behalf of Hargray, Inc., respectfully submits for filing the attached revisions to its intrastate access tariff (with an effective date of July 3, 2012).

This filing is in accordance with the Commission's Directive of April 11, 2012 and the Hearing Officer's Directives of May 29, 2012 and May 31, 2012. Supporting or back up information is not necessary for this tariff filing because all Fiscal Year 2011 (October 1, 2010 to September 30, 2011) terminating intrastate demand is for four rate elements which are all above the corresponding interstate rate element therefore it is only necessary to take 50% of the difference in the rates to calculate the required reductions to terminating switched access.

These revisions also include the addition of language regarding Toll VoIP-PSTN pursuant to the FCC's Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket Nos. 96-45 and 01-92; GN Docket No. 09-51; WC Docket Nos. 03-109, 05-337, 07-135 and 10-90; and WT Docket No. 10-208, adopted October 27, 2011 and released November 18, 2011 (FCC 11-161) – *USF/ICC Transformation Order*.

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VoIP-PSTN Traffic is defined as traffic exchanged between the Telephone Company end user and the customer in time division multiplexing ("TDM") format that originates and/or terminates in Internet protocol ("IP") format. This section governs the identification of VoIP-PSTN Traffic that is required to be compensated at interstate access rates by the Federal Communications Commission in its Report and Order in WC Docket No. 10-90, *etc.*, FCC Release No. 11-161 (November 18, 2011) ("FCC Order"). Specifically, this section establishes the method of separating such traffic (referred to in this tariff as "Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic") from the customer's traditional intrastate access traffic, so that such Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic can be billed in accordance with the FCC Order. The term "Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic" denotes a customer's interexchange voice traffic exchanged with the Telephone Company in Time Division Multiplexing format over Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) facilities, which originates and / or terminates in Internet Protocol (IP) format. "Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic" originates and/or terminates in IP format when it originates from and / or terminates to an end user customer of a service that requires IP-compatible customer premises equipment.

2.11.2 Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic

The Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic identified in accordance with this tariff section will be billed at rates equal to the Telephone Company's applicable tariffed interstate switched access rates as specified in the Telephone Company's applicable federal access tariff.

ACCESS SERVICE**2. REGULATIONS (Cont'd)****2.11 Identification and Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic (Cont'd)****2.11.3 Calculation and Application of Percent-VoIP-Usage Factor**

The Telephone Company will determine the number of Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic minutes of use ("MOU") to which interstate rates will be applied under subsection 2.11.2, above, by applying a Percent-VoIP-Usage ("PVU") factor to the total terminating intrastate access MOU received by the Telephone Company from the customer. The Telephone Company will be permitted to assess tariff default rates equal to the intrastate access rates for originating intrastate toll VoIP traffic until June 30, 2014. Effective July 1, 2014, the Company will be permitted to tariff default rates equal to the interstate access rates for originating intrastate toll VoIP traffic. The PVU will be derived and applied as follows:

2.11.3.A The customer will calculate and furnish to the Telephone Company a factor (the "PVU") representing the percentage of the total intrastate access MOU that the customer terminates to the Telephone Company in the State that is sent to the Telephone Company and that originated in IP format. This PVU shall be based on information such as traffic studies, actual call detail, or other relevant and verifiable information.

2.11.3.B The Telephone Company will apply the PVU factor to the total terminating intrastate access MOU received from the customer to determine the number of Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic MOUs.

2.11.3.C If the customer does not furnish the Telephone Company with a PVU pursuant to the preceding paragraph 1, the Telephone Company will utilize a PVU equal to zero.

2.11.4 Initial Implementation of PVU Factor

The Telephone Company will apply the Initial PVU factor on the next bill date provided that the PVU factor and the relevant and verifiable supporting documentation described above are provided to the Telephone Company at least 15 days prior to the next bill date. A factor received less than 15 days before the next bill date, will be applied on the bill date following the next bill date unless otherwise agreed to by the Telephone Company and the customer. Otherwise, the Telephone Company will set the initial PVU equal to zero, as specified in subsection 2.11.3.C, above.

2.11.5 PVU Factor Updates

The customer may update the PVU factor quarterly using the method set forth in subsection 2.11.3.A, above. If the customer chooses to submit such updates, it shall forward to the Telephone Company, no later than 15 days after the first day of January, April, July and/or October of each year, a revised PVU factor based on data for the prior three months, ending the last day of December, March, June and September, respectively. The revised PVU factor will apply prospectively and serve as the basis for billing until superseded by a new PVU.

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2. REGULATIONS (Cont'd)

2.11 Identification and Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic (Cont'd)

2.11.6 PVU Factor Verification

Not more than four times in any year, the Telephone Company may ask the customer to verify the PVU factor furnished to the Telephone Company. The party so requested shall comply, and shall reasonably provide the records and other information used to determine the PVU factors.

The customer-provided PVU and supporting documentation for the factor shall be based on information that is verifiable by the Telephone Company, including but not limited to the number of the customer's retail VoIP subscriptions in the state (*e.g.* as reported on FCC Form 477), traffic studies, actual call detail or other relevant and verifiable information.

ACCESS SERVICE**8. RATES AND CHARGES**8.5 Switched Access (Cont'd)8.5.1 Local Transport (Cont'd)

8.5.1.G.(1)	<u>Tandem Switching – Originating</u> Per Access Minute	\$0.001197	(T)
8.5.1.G.(2)	<u>Tandem Switching – Terminating</u> Per Access Minute		(N)
	beginning July 3, 2012	\$0.001073	
	beginning July 1, 2013	\$0.000949	(N)
8.5.1.H.(1)	<u>Tandem Switched Transport – Facility – Originating</u> Per Access Minute Per Mile	\$0.000056	(T)
8.5.1.H.(2)	<u>Tandem Switched Transport – Facility – Terminating</u> Per Access Minute Per Mile		(N)
	beginning July 3, 2012	\$0.000044	
	beginning July 1, 2013	\$0.000031	(N)
8.5.1.H.(1)	<u>Tandem Switched Transport – Termination – Originating</u> Per Access Minute per Termination	\$0.000997	(T)
8.5.1.H.(2)	<u>Tandem Switched Transport – Termination – Terminating</u> Per Access Minute per Termination		(N)
	beginning July 3, 2012	\$0.000630	
	beginning July 1, 2013	\$0.000263	(N)

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ACCESS SERVICE**8. RATES AND CHARGES**8.5 Switched Access (Cont'd)8.5.2 End Office Switching

The rate for End Office Switching is based upon Originating and Terminating Access Minutes.

Per Access Minute

End Office Switching - Originating	\$0.010950	(T)
End Office Switching – Terminating beginning July 3, 2012	\$0.007330	(N)
beginning July 1, 2013	\$0.003709	(N)

8.5.3 Information Surcharge

Information Surcharge	\$0.00000
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8.5.4 800/877/888 Database Access Service

8.5.5.A Basic (per Query)	\$0.004000
8.5.5.B Vertical Feature Query	\$0.001344

8.6 Common Line8.6.1 Carrier Common Line ChargePremium

Originating - Per Access Minute	\$0.001600	
Terminating - Per Access Minute beginning July 3, 2012	\$0.000800	(N)
beginning July 1, 2013	\$0.000000	(N)

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ACCESS SERVICE**8. RATES AND CHARGES**8.5 Switched Access (Cont'd)8.5.1 Local Transport (Cont'd)

		<u>Maximum Rate</u>	
8.5.1.G	<u>Tandem Switching – Originating & Terminating</u> Per Access Minute	\$0.20	(T)
8.5.1.H	<u>Tandem Switched Transport – Facility – Originating & Terminating</u> Per Access Minute Per Mile	\$0.20	(T)
8.5.1.H	<u>Tandem Switched Transport – Termination – Originating & Terminating</u> Per Access Minute per Termination	\$0.20	(T)

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