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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chairman David Lott Hardy
Commissioners Atterholt, Golc, Landis, and Ziegner

FROM: Commission Technical Divisions

DATE: October 21, 2009

RE: 30-Day Utility Articles for Conference on Wednesday, October 21, 2009 @ 2:00 P.M.

The following thirty-day filings have been submitted to the Commission. Each item was reviewed by the appropriate Commission Technical Divisions and all regulations were met in accordance with 170 IAC 1-6 Thirty-Day Administrative Filing Procedures and Guidelines. Therefore, the following filings listed below and attached hereto are recommended to be considered by the Commission at the next conference:

<u>Attachment Number</u>	<u>30-Day Filing No.</u>	<u>Name of Utility Company</u>	<u>Type of Request</u>	<u>Date Received</u>
1	2594	Frontier Communications	Interstate Access Tariff Changes	09/08/09
2	2599	Straughn Municipal Electric	Fuel Cost Adjustment	09/14/09
3	2600	Embarq	Add New Name to Intrastate Access Tariff	09/16/09
4	2601	Frontier Communications	Interstate Access Tariff Changes	09/16/09
5	2602	Columbia City Municipal Electric	Power Cost Adjustment	09-16-09
6	2604	Embarq	Add New Name to General Services Tariff	09-16-09

Submitted By: Pamela D. Taber *PDT*
Director, Communications Division

Filing Party: Frontier Communications of Thorntown, Inc. ("Thorntown")
30-Day Filing ID No.: 2594
Date Received: 09/08/09
Filed Pursuant To: Cause No. 39369 (Orders issued April 30 and June 2, 1993)¹
FCC Transmittal No.: Tr. 115 (Frontier Telephone of Rochester, Inc. (Rochester, NY) ["FTR"])²
FCC Filing Date: 08/12/09
FCC Effective Date: 08/27/09
Request(s): The FCC recently approved certain changes to the interstate High Capacity Services tariff for FTR's Term Discount Plans, in response to Tr. 115. Those portions of the FTR interstate tariff do not apply to Thorntown; accordingly, Thorntown filed the instant exceptions in its intrastate tariff to indicate that it is not mirroring those changes.
Retail Customer Impact: N/A
Tariff Pages Affected: Frontier Communications of Thorntown, Inc. - Tariff I.U.R.C. No. 3: Various pages
Staff Recommendations: Requirements met. Recommend approval.

¹ In order to maintain parity and be in compliance with the Commission's Orders in Cause No. 39369, local exchange carriers file changes to their intrastate access parity tariffs in order to mirror the applicable interstate access tariff; or take exceptions to interstate tariffs when their intrastate tariffs are not affected.

² Frontier Communications of Thorntown, Inc., does not have its own interstate access tariff; it relies upon Frontier Telephone of Rochester, Inc.'s interstate access tariff.

Submitted By: *Bradley K. Borum* **BKB**
Director, Electric Division

Filing Party: Straughn Municipal Electric Light & Power Distribution System
30-Day Filing ID No.: 2599
Date Filed: 9/14/09
Filed Pursuant to: Commission Order No. 35587
Request: Increase Fuel Cost Adjustment to \$0.013212/kWh; starting the billing month of January 2010.
Customer Impact: Increase of \$0.002713/kWh
Tariff Pages Affected: Appendix FC
Staff Recommendations: Requirements met. Recommend Approval

Submitted By: Pamela D. Taber *PDT*
Director, Communications Division

Filing Party: United Telephone Company of Indiana, Inc., d/b/a CenturyLink (f/k/a Embarq)

30-Day Filing ID No.: 2600

Date Filed: 09/16/2009

Filed Pursuant To: 170 IAC 1-6

Request: To add a new d/b/a name (CenturyLink) to United's intrastate access tariff. United's parent, EMBARQ Corporation, was recently acquired by CenturyTel, Inc. Upon the closing of the acquisition, CenturyTel and Embarq registered "CenturyLink" as the new name of the combined companies, effective July 28.

Customer Impact: There is no impact on existing customers or rates.

Tariff Page(s) Affected: I.U.R.C. No. T-3, Original Adoption Notice Sheet.

Staff Recommendations: Requirements met. Recommend approval.

Submitted By: Pamela D. Taber *P.D.T.*
Director, Communications Division

Filing Party: Frontier Communications of Thorntown, Inc. ("Thorntown")
30-Day Filing ID No.: 2601
Date Received: 09/16/09
Filed Pursuant To: Cause No. 39369 (Orders issued April 30 and June 2, 1993)³
FCC Transmittal No.: Tr. 116 (Frontier Telephone of Rochester, Inc. (Rochester, NY) ["FTR"]⁴
FCC Filing Date: 06/16/09
FCC Effective Date: 10/01/09
Request(s): The FCC recently approved an increase in the federal USF Recovery Charge surcharge for FTR, in response to Tr. 116. The Indiana USF (IUSF) surcharge does not mirror the USF Recovery Charge; therefore, Thorntown needs to maintain this existing exception in its intrastate access tariff. FTR's federal USF modifications do not result in any changes to the IUSF surcharge, which this Commission established in Cause No. 42144.
Retail Customer Impact: N/A.
Tariff Pages Affected: Frontier Communications of Thorntown, Inc. - Tariff I.U.R.C. No. 3:
Various pages
Staff Recommendations: Requirements met. Recommend approval.

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Submitted By: *Bradley K. Borum* **BKB**
Director, Electric Division

Filing Party: Columbia City Municipal Electric Utility
30-Day Filing ID No.: 2602
Date Filed: 9/16/2009
Filed Pursuant To: Commission Order No. 40768
Request: A revision to Power Cost Adjustment Tracking Factors, to be applied in October, November, and December 2009.
Impact of Request: See below.

<i>Rate Schedule</i>	<i>Change (\$/kWh)</i>	<i>Resultant (\$/kWh)</i>
R	0.000359	0.026347
RH	0.004689	0.026828
GS	(0.002940)	0.023700
GS-H	0.007079	0.033568
M	(0.005529)	0.028147
GS-L	(0.002317)	0.030825
GS-I	(0.004595)	0.020435

Staff Recommendations: Requirements met. Recommend approval.

Submitted By: Pamela D. Taber *P.D.T.*
Director, Communications Division

Filing Party: United Telephone Company of Indiana, Inc., d/b/a CenturyLink (f/k/a Embarq)

30-Day Filing ID No.: 2604

Date Filed: 09/16/2009

Filed Pursuant To: 170 IAC 1-6

Request (Amended): To add a new d/b/a name (CenturyLink) to United's *General Services* tariff. United's parent, EMBARQ Corporation, was recently acquired by CenturyTel, Inc. Upon the closing of the acquisition, CenturyTel and Embarq registered "CenturyLink" as the new name of the combined companies, effective July 28.

Customer Impact: There is no impact on existing customers or rates.

Tariff Page(s) Affected: I.U.R.C. No. T-6, First Revised Title Sheet.

Staff Recommendations: Requirements met. Recommend approval.