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August 16, 2011

Transmittal No. 8

Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554

Attention: Competitive Pricing Division, Wireline Competition Bureau

The accompanying tariff material, issued on behalf of the CenturyLink operating companies (CLOC) and bearing Tariff F.C.C. No. 8 is sent to you for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

These revisions, scheduled to become effective August 31, 2011, consist of tariff pages as indicated on the following check sheets:

Tariff F.C.C. No.

8

Check Sheet No.

5th Revised Page 1

This filing is being made on 15 day's notice under the Federal Communications Commission's streamlined filing procedures and proposes the following revisions to Synchronous Optical Channel Service:

- (1) Addition of rates and regulations for special access Synchronous Optical Channel Service at transport speeds of OC48c (2.5 Gbps) and OC192 (10 Gbps).
- (2) Addition of rates and regulations for Customer Premises Ports at operating speeds of DS1, OC48/OC48c, OC192 and Ethernet levels of 10, 20, 50, 100, 150, 300, 450 and 600 Mbps and 1 Gbps.
- (3) Addition of rates and regulations for Add/Drop Multiplexing (Central Office Ports) at OC48/OC48c, OC192 and Ethernet levels of 10, 20, 50, 100, 150, 300, 450 and 600 Mbps and 1 Gbps.
- (4) Addition of a monthly recurring SONET Regeneration charge at OC3, OC12, OC48 and OC192 levels.

- (5) Addition of a nonrecurring Service Reconfiguration charge based on DS3/STS1 equivalency ratios.

In addition, minor textual changes are being made to clarify the provision of interstate access services.

Support material in accordance with Sections 61.38 and 61.41 through 61.49 of the Commission's Rules is provided, where required, for this filing.

In accordance with the requirements of Section 61.21(a)(3) of the Commission's Rules, the FCC Registration Number (FRN) for CenturyLink is 0018-6268-53. CenturyLink is filing this transmittal on behalf of issuing carriers on Attachment A:

Payment in the amount of \$845.00 has been electronically transmitted to the US Bank in St. Louis, Missouri, in accordance with the fee program procedures. The Form 159 is being transmitted electronically via ETFS as a proprietary document.

All correspondence and inquiries in connection with this filing should be addressed to me at 5454 West 110th Street, Mailstop KSOPKJ0502-508, Overland Park, Kansas 66211, (913) 345-7572.



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Attachments

Transmittal Letter
Revised Tariff Pages
Support Material

ATTACHMENT A

Federal Registration Numbers for

CENTURYLINK OPERATING COMPANIES

Tariff F.C.C. No. 8 Participants

0004-5470-55
0001-7127-51
0001-5846-97
0001-5825-43
0005-7613-09
0001-5620-99
0004-3122-60
0001-5660-41
0001-6234-38
0001-6172-65
0001-6302-43
0004-5470-06
0004-5470-89
0002-6419-67