

Cincinnati Bell Telephone LLC

Tariff FCC No. 35

Transmittal No. 867

DESCRIPTION & JUSTIFICATION

The Commission granted Special Permission No. 12-008 on March 28, 2012 to allow CBT to withdraw page 106.3 previously filed in Transmittal No. 866 and to restore the page 106.3 previously in effect.

This filing withdraws the page 106.3 previously filed in transmittal No. 866 and restores the page 106.3 previously in effect. Also, with this filing CBT proposes to revise its Universal Service Fund (USF) contribution factor pursuant to the Commission's Proposed Second Quarter 2012 Universal Service Contribution Factor, DA 12-396, released March 13, 2012.

The Commission proposed a USF factor of 17.4 % down from the previous factor of 17.9 %. CBT recovers its USF contribution, pursuant to the Commission's Contribution Methodology Order¹ by applying the relevant USF Contribution factor to the following charges:

- * EUCL
- * Presubscribed Interexchange Carrier (PIC) change charge
- * End-User Special Access
- * Interstate IntraLATA Toll usage

¹ Report and Order and Second Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket No. 96-45, CC Docket No. 98-171, CC Docket No. 90-571, CC Docket No. 92-237, CC Docket No. 99-200, CC Docket No. 95-116, and CC Docket No. 98-179, FCC 02-329, Released December 13, 2002.

The USF surcharge for these services is reflected as a separate line item, clearly identified on the customer's bill.