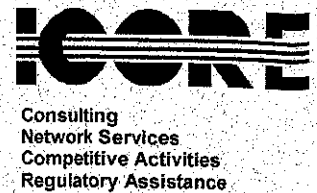


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Senior Vice President



**This Material is being filed on a 15 day  
notice under Section 204(a)(3) of the  
Communications Act.**

February 21, 2013

Tandem Telephone Inc.  
350 W. Franklin Street  
Hartwell, GA 30643

Transmittal No. 5

Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street SW  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

Transmitted herewith, on behalf of Tandem Telephone Inc., a Competitive Local Exchange Carrier, for filing in compliance with the Commission's Rules and Regulations, is its Tariff F.C.C. No. 1.

This filing, to become effective March 8, 2013, consists of tariff pages as indicated on the following check sheet:

Tariff F.C.C. No. 1

4th Revised Check Sheet

This filing is made to replace separate switched access rate elements with a composite switched access rate.

The original letter of transmittal, along with F.C.C. Form 159 and the required \$845.00 filing fee are being delivered via overnight service to the U.S. Bank in St. Louis, Missouri. Acknowledgment and date of receipt of this filing fee by U.S. Bank are requested. A duplicate letter is provided for this purpose.

Also, in compliance with Section 61.14 of the Commission's Rules, the transmittal and associated files are being transmitted electronically today via the Commission's Electronic Tariff Filing System.

Any questions regarding the filing may be directed to me at the address and phone number above.

Sincerely,

Tina Bobbyn

On behalf of

Tandem Telephone Inc.

cc: Tandem Telephone Inc.