

**CenturyLink Operating Companies**  
**Tariff F.C.C. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 11**

**Transmittal No. 45**

***Description and Justification***

The CenturyLink operating companies (CLOC) hereby submit the following information in support of the accompanying tariff filing, as required by Sections 61.38 and 61.41 through 61.49 of the Federal Communications Commission's Rules and Regulations.

The first portion of the filing is being made per Section 61.58 on not less than one day's notice. This filing proposes new contracts in Section 24, Contract Tariffs in CLOC Tariff F.C.C. No. 11. CenturyLink is filing these contracts under authority granted in Section 69.727 of the commission's Rules and is in compliance with terms contained in Section 61.55 of the Commission's Rules.

The second portion of this filing is being made on 15 days' notice under the commission's streamlined filing procedures and proposed the following revisions to the applicable tariffs as indicated:

1. Addition of rates in CLOC Tariff F.C.C. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, and 9 for Special Access Ethernet Virtual Private Line discount plans for one and two year terms.
2. Addition of rates in CLOC Tariff F.C.C. No. 9 for Special Access Ethernet Virtual Private Line service for 10000 Mbps UNI and NNI Port Connections in the Orlando and Tallahassee, Florida; Fayetteville, Greenville, Hickory and Rocky Mount, North Carolina; York, Pennsylvania; Lima, Ohio; and Charlottesville, Virginia metropolitan statistical areas (MSAs) where CenturyLink has been granted Phase II pricing flexibility in accordance with subpart H of the commission's Part 69 rules.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> *In the Matter of Sprint Petition for Pricing Flexibility for Special Access and Dedicated Transport Services*, CCB/CPD No. 01-04, Memorandum Opinion and Order, (DA 01-1279), released May 25, 2001; *In the Matter of Sprint Petition For Pricing Flexibility For Special Access and Dedicated Transport Services*, CCB/CPD No. 01-022, Memorandum Opinion and Order (DA 02-318), released February 12, 2002 and *In the Matter of Petition of the Embarq Local Operating Companies for Phase I and Phase II Pricing Flexibility for Special Access and Dedicated Transport Services in the Lima, Ohio and Mansfield, Ohio Metropolitan Statistical Areas and Phase I and Phase II Pricing Flexibility for Channel Termination Services in the Lima, Ohio Metropolitan Statistical Area*, WBC/Pricing File No. 07-13, Order (DA 07-3840), released September 5, 2007.

### ***1.0 EVPL One and Two Year Term Discounts***

CLOC currently provides Ethernet Virtual Private Line (EVPL) service in the various states within the former CenturyTel and Embarq service areas. CLOC now proposes to add rates for special access Ethernet Virtual Private Line (EVPL) one and two year discount plans. EVPL service is a high speed data transport service that provides the ability to order Ethernet service where a single customer can support multiple applications with varying Quality of Service at transport speeds of 10 Mbps, 100 Mbps, 1000 Mbps (1 Gbps) and 10000 Mbps (10 Gbps).

### ***2.0 Pricing Flexibility for Special Access Ethernet Virtual Private Line Service***

CenturyLink proposes to add rates in Section 22 of CenturyLink Operating Companies Tariff F.C.C. No. 9 for the provision of special access Ethernet Virtual Private Line service in the in the Orlando and Tallahassee, Florida; Fayetteville, Greenville, Hickory and Rocky Mount, North Carolina; York, Pennsylvania; Lima, Ohio; and Charlottesville, Virginia metropolitan statistical areas (MSAs) where CenturyLink has been granted Phase II pricing flexibility in accordance with subpart H of the Commission's Part 69 rules. It should be noted that the rates for these services provided in Section 22 are identical to the rates found in Section 7.

Exhibit 1 provides a comparison of CenturyLink's special access price cap revenues before and after the shift of demand to pricing flexibility. Exhibit 1 also provides the rate detail, by element, of the interstate special access rates and revenues moved to pricing flexibility.

### ***3.0 Conclusion***

The CenturyLink operating companies are submitting the accompanying tariff revisions in response to customer requests for the proposed services, and in accordance with the Commission's Rules governing the provision of interstate access services. The rates and charges proposed in this filing are

demonstrated to be fully cost-based and reasonable, and are supported, where required, by exhibits detailing cost and rate development.

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<u>Section</u>	<u>USOC</u>	<u>Page</u>	<u>Rate Element</u>	<u>2012 Usage</u>	<u>Price Cap Rate</u>	<u>Price Flex Rate</u>	<u>Price Flex Rate times Demand</u>
<b>5960 - Orlando FL</b>							
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCM	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCC	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCD	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCG	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	-	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCM	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	53	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 175,430
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCC	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCD	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCG	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	105	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 239,400
<b>8240 - Tallahassee FL</b>							
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCM	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCC	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCD	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCG	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	-	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCM	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCC	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCD	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCG	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	6	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 13,680
<b>2560 - Fayetteville NC</b>							
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCM	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCC	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCD	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCG	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	-	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCM	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCC	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCD	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCG	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	48	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 109,440

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<b>3150 - Greenville NC</b>							
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCM	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCC	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCD	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCG	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	-	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCM	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	18	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 59,580
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCC	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCD	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCG	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	40	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 91,200
<b>3290 - Hickory NC</b>							
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCM	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCC	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCD	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCG	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	-	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCM	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCC	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCD	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCG	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	-	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ -
<b>6895 - Rocky Mount NC</b>							
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCM	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCC	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCD	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCG	22-209.2	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	-	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCM	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCC	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCD	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
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<b>4320 - Lima OH</b>							
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCM	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCC	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 3 YR	-	\$ 2,740.00	\$ 2,740.00	\$ -
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7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCM	22-215.1	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
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7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCD	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 5 YR	-	\$ 2,395.00	\$ 2,395.00	\$ -
7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCG	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	-	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ -
<b>9280 - York PA</b>							
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7.15.3(B)(4)	NNIPCG	22-215.2	EVPL - NNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS - 7 YR	-	\$ 2,280.00	\$ 2,280.00	\$ -
<b>1540 - Charlottesville VA</b>							
7.15.3(A)(4)	UNIPCM	22-209.1	EVPL - UNI PORT CONNECTION - 10000 MBPS	-	\$ 3,310.00	\$ 3,310.00	\$ -
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