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November 16, 2020

Transmittal No. 105

Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street, S.W.
12th Street Lobby, TW-A325
Washington, DC 20554

ATTENTION: WIRELINE COMPETITION BUREAU

Dear Secretary:

The accompanying tariff material, issued by Frontier Telephone Companies ("Frontier") and bearing FCC No. 13, is scheduled to become effective December 1, 2020. This tariff material is sent to you for filing in compliance with the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

In this filing, Frontier corrects inadvertent errors filed under Transmittal No. 104. That filing did not reflect allowable increases to the California Multiline Business, Business Centrex and ISDN PRI Service ARC rates.

Certain data being submitted in connection with this filing requires confidential treatment consistent with the Commission's rules. Specifically, Frontier has redacted:

- ARCNOCAF: Rate Ceiling Calculation. Line count data redacted.
- ICCSUM: Price Cap Summary. Line count data redacted.
- TRCNOCAF: Tariff Rate Calculations. Line count data redacted.

For the non-redacted version of these documents, pursuant to the Standard Protective Order and Declaration for use in § 402(b) Streamlined LEC Tariff Proceedings (Protective Order) adopted by the Commission in the Tariff Streamlining Order and published in Appendix B thereof,¹ each page has been marked "**CONTAINS PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION – DO NOT RELEASE.**" Frontier requests that the non-redacted version of these documents be withheld from public inspection.

Frontier also notes that, notwithstanding the Protective Order, there are separate legal bases for not making the confidential information available for public inspection – specifically, Commission Rule 0.457 and Exemption 4 of the Freedom of Information Act and Commission Rule 0.459.² The confidential information included in this filing is competitively sensitive information and thus should not be available for public inspection. Such information would not ordinarily be made available to the public. Release of the

¹ Implementation of Section 4012(b)(1)(A) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, CC Dkt. No. 96-187, *Report and Order*, 12 FCC Rcd 2170 (1997) (Tariff Streamlining Order), Appendix B.

² 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.457, 0.459; 5 U.S.C. § 552(b)(4).

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confidential information in the submission would have a substantial negative competitive impact on Frontier. Accordingly, the non-redacted information in question should be withheld from disclosure under sections 0.457(d) and 0.459 of the Commission's rules. If the Commission denies this request for confidential treatment, Frontier requests that these documents be returned.

It was not feasible to separate out the materials contained in this filing to which this confidentiality request applies from materials to which the request does not apply without destroying the integrated nature of the information presented. Thus, consistent with 47 C.F.R. § 0.459(a), Frontier identifies the materials to which the request applies above and is including in the publicly available version of this filing uploaded via Electronic Tariff Filing System (ETFS) a redacted version of each document identified. The redacted version of each document is marked "**REDACTED—FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION**" with the confidential information omitted. The non-redacted version of each document is being uploaded separately via the not-for-public access function of ETFS.

In accordance with the Commission's fee filing requirements, a filing fee in the amount of nine hundred sixty-dollars (\$960.00), has been paid by credit card and an electronic Form 159 has been submitted.

In accordance with the requirements of Section 61.21(a) (3) of the Commission's Rules, the FCC Registration Number (FRN) for Frontier is 0003-5763-52. Frontier is making this filing on behalf of issuing carriers with the following FRNs:

FCC Registration Numbers for participants in Tariff FCC No. 13:
0001-5364-24 0001-6802-63

Questions regarding this filing may be directed to me at:

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Personal service or email of any petitions that may be filed challenging this transmittal should use the above name, address, and email address.

Respectfully Submitted,

/s/ Tammy L. Chatfield

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