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Transmittal No. 5  
Tariff F.C.C. No. 5

July 13, 2021

**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING (ETFS)**

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
45 L Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20554

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

Re: (1) Replacement Tariff F.C.C. No. 5 of NTS Communications, LLC d/b/a Vexus  
(2) Cancellation of Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 of Pride Networks, LLC d/b/a NTS of Louisiana  
(FRN: 0018804716)  
(3) Cancellation of Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 of Xfone USA, Inc. (FRN: 0021518345)

Dear Secretary Dortch:

By this transmittal and the accompanying attachments, NTS Communications, LLC d/b/a Vexus (formerly NTS Communications, Inc.) (the "Company" or "Vexus") submits as Attachment 1 its Tariff F.C.C. No. 5 for the provision of switched access service, which cancels and replaces in its entirety the current Tariff F.C.C. No. 4 on file for NTS Communications, Inc. This replacement tariff:

- (1) Reflects the conversion of the Company to a limited liability company and its associated name change to NTS Communications, LLC d/b/a Vexus; and
- (2) Adds the switched access services previously provided in Louisiana by its affiliates (a) Pride Networks, LLC d/b/a NTS of Louisiana ("NTS of Louisiana") under NTS of Louisiana's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 and (b) Xfone USA, Inc. ("Xfone USA") under Xfone's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1.

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The additions described in (2) are need due to the consolidation of NTS of Louisiana and Xfone with and into Vexus, with Vexus surviving the consolidations. As a result, NTS of Louisiana and Xfone no longer exists as separate entities and their customers are served by Vexus.

Under this transmittal and pursuant to Section 61.87(a)(1) of the Commission's rules, Vexus also is canceling NTS of Louisiana's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 and Xfone USA, Inc's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1. The Vexus replacement Tariff F.C.C. No. 5 and cancellations of the Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 of NTS of Louisiana and Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 of Xfone USA are being filed to become effective on fifteen (15) days' notice.

The replacement tariff is being issued by Keith Davidson, Chief Financial Officer and consists of an Original Title Page and Original Pages 1 through 74, each bearing an issued date of July 13, 2021 and an effective date of July 28, 2021.

In order to cancel NTS of Louisiana's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, Vexus files, as Attachment No. 2, 1st Revised Title Page and 1st Revised Page No. 1 to that tariff, bearing an issued date of July 13, 2021 and an effective date of July 28, 2021.

In order to cancel Xfone's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, Vexus files, as Attachment No. 3, 1st Revised Title Page and 1st Revised Page No. 1 to that tariff, bearing an issued date of July 13, 2021 and an effective date of July 28, 2021.

This transmittal, replacement Tariff F.C.C. No. 5 of Vexus and revised pages to Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 of NTS of Louisiana and Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 of Xfone are being filed electronically via the Federal Commission's Electronic Tariff Filing System ("ETFS"). Payment in the amount of \$960.00 is being electronically transmitted.

Any Petitions in connection with this filing should be served upon Catherine Wang and Brett Ferenchak, Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP, via facsimile on 202-739-3001, by mail or personal service at 1111 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004 or via electronic mail to [catherine.wang@morganlewis.com](mailto:catherine.wang@morganlewis.com) and [brett.ferenchak@morganlewis.com](mailto:brett.ferenchak@morganlewis.com).

Should you have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Respectfully submitted,



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Attachments

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