



March 17, 2003

Transmittal No. 778

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals
445 Twelfth Street S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Attention: Common Carrier Bureau

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The accompanying tariff material, issued by Cincinnati Bell Telephone (CBT), and bearing FCC No. 35 Access Service, is sent to you for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. This filing is scheduled to become effective April 1, 2003 as indicated on the following Check Sheets:

Tariff FCC NO.

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Check Sheet No.

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With this filing CBT adjusts its Universal Service Fund (USF) rate in accordance with Commission's Report and Order and Second Further Notice Of Proposed Rulemaking FCC 02-329, Released December 13, 2002, and the Commission's Public Notice Proposed Second Quarter 2003 Universal Service Contribution Factor, DA 03-689, released March 7, 2003

The original letter, completed FCC Form 159, and a check for \$695.00 to pay the required filing fee were sent to Mellon Bank, Pittsburgh, PA via Federal Express on March 14, 2003.

Please date stamp and return the enclosed duplicate of this letter to acknowledge its receipt. Questions concerning this Transmittal should be directed to Mike Bishop at the above address, by phone at (513) 397-1231, or by fax at (513) 723-9815.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Gary Peddicord

Gary Peddicord
Director -Operations and Regulatory
Cincinnati Bell Telephone

Attachments