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Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

The accompanying interstate access service tariff issued by Easton Telephone Company and bearing Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 is sent to you for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

Effective July 1, 2003, Supplement No. 2 cancels in its entirety Easton Telephone Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 offering interstate access services. Instead of issuing and maintaining its own tariff for interstate access services, Easton Telephone will thereafter be a participating carrier in the National Exchange Carrier Association ("NECA") Tariff F.C.C. No. 5. The rates, terms and conditions of Easton Telephone Company, Inc.'s interstate access tariff will thereafter be found in the NECA tariff.

This filing to become effective July 1, 2003, consists of tariff pages as indicated on the following Check Sheet:

Tariff F.C.C. No. 1
4th Revised Page 1

Pursuant to Section 61.14(c) of the Commission's Rules, the original of this transmittal letter (without attachments), Form 159, and a check for \$695.00 have been sent via overnight delivery to the Mellon Bank in Pittsburgh, PA, as of this date.

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