

SBC Communications Inc.



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Transmittal No. 65 Amended

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

On May 13, 2004 Nevada Bell Telephone Company (NBTC) proposed to introduce OC-12/OC-12c, GigE/FC/FICON<sup>TM</sup>, ESCON<sup>TM</sup>, and OC-3/OC-12 Sub-Rate multiplexing systems to the existing Multi-service Optical Network (MON) Ring Service found in Sections 8 and 22 of NBTC's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1. NBTC also proposed to remove OC-192 and 10 Gbps WAN-PHY language, which is no longer applicable to the MON Ring Service. Transmittal No. 65 is scheduled to become effective on May 28, 2004.

The purpose of the Amended Transmittal No. 65 Letter is to clarify that the existing transmission speed of 10 Gigabit Ethernet (WAN-PHY) is 9.953 Gbps and that currently there are no customers on the existing Multi-service Optical Network (MON) Ring Service, therefore there is no customer impact. The amended letter is necessary in order to avoid customer confusion.

Personal or facsimile service petitions against this Transmittal, as required under Section 1.773(a)(4) of the Commission's Rules, should be sent to A. Alex Vega, Area Manager - Tariff Administration, Four Bell Plaza, Room 1970.04, Dallas, Texas 75202, facsimile number (214) 858-0639. All other correspondence and inquiries concerning this Transmittal should be addressed to Debra L. Clemens, Associate Director-Federal Regulatory, (202) 326-8882, 1401 I Street, N.W., Suite 1100, Washington, D.C. 20005.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick R. Doherty". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Attachments:

Amended Transmittal Letter