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

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

The accompanying tariff material, issued by Nevada Bell Telephone Company (NBTC) and bearing Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, is sent to you for publication in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

This filing, scheduled to become effective August 2, 2007, consists of the tariff pages as indicated on the following Check Sheets:

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Check Sheet Revision No.
160th Revised Page 1
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21st Revised Page 1.12

With this filing, NBTC is proposing to introduce the new Unprotected Channel Transport (UCT) feature for Dedicated SONET Ring Service. Additionally, this filing proposes to clarify existing rules and regulations as they relate to the Optical-to-Electrical Add/Drop Capability feature for Dedicated SONET Ring Services. This filing includes the following revisions: 1) Adding clarifying language to the Optical-to-Electrical DS-1 Add/Drop Capability text description, which describes at what point a customer is charged this fee per OC-48 node. 2) Adding a change in regulation as it relates to the OC-192 Add/Drop Capability charge not being applied to CO nodes without drop ports. This was also added as a footnote to the OC-192 rate section, where applicable. 3) Making text changes and removing erroneous information from the OC-192 Optical-to-Electrical Add/Drop Capability text description. 4) Reducing the 60-month rate for the OC-192 DS-3 Transmux Re-Map port feature. None of the revisions included in this filing will adversely affect existing customers.

Supporting information discussed under Section 61.49 of the Commission's Rules, to the extent applicable, is included with this filing in the attached Description and Justification.

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In accordance with Section 61.14, this transmittal letter and associated attachments are being filed electronically today via the Federal Communications Commission's Electronic Tariff Filing System (ETFS) in compliance with the electronic filing procedures.

Payment in the amount of \$775.00 has been electronically transmitted to the Mellon Bank in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, in accordance with the fee program procedures. The Form 159 is being transmitted electronically via ETFS as a proprietary document. These actions have been committed on the date established as the issued (filed) date as reflected above.

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 Linda Quarles, Associate Director - Tariff Administration, 3535 Colonnade Parkway north, Room E3D1, Birmingham, Alabama 35243, 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) 457-3066, 1120 20th Street, N.W., Suite 1000, Washington, D.C. 20036.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Patrick R. Doherty".

Attachments:

Transmittal Letter

Tariff Pages

Description and Justification

Tariff Review Plan (TRP)