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RESPONDENT/APPLICANT: RCN TELECOM SERVICES INC

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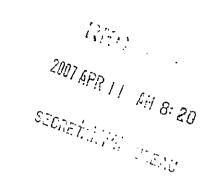
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JOINT PETITION OF COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY DBA FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY AND RCN TELECOM SERVICES, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF AN INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT UNDER SECTION 252(E) OF THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1996.

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James J. McNulty, Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
400 North Street – Filing Room (2nd Floor)
P.O. Box 3265
Harrisburg, PA 17120

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RE: Joint Petition of Commonwealth Telephone Company dba Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company and RCN Telecom Services, Inc. for Approval of a Negotiated Interconnection Agreement

Dear Secretary McNulty:

Enclosed for filing with your office, please find an original and three (3) copies of a Joint Petition for Approval of an Interconnection Agreement filed on behalf of Commonwealth Telephone Company dba Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company and RCN Telecom Services Inc.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 570-631-6269.

Sincerely,

Theresa Moffitt, Esquire Regulatory Affairs

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COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY DBA FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS
COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY AND
RCN TELECOM SERVICES, INC.

Commonwealth Telephone Company dba Frontier Communications

Commonwealth Telephone Company ("CT") and RCN Telecom Services, Inc. ("RCN") hereby request that the Commission review and approve the attached Interconnection Agreement pursuant to Sections 252(a)(1) and 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 47 U.S.C. §§ 252(a)(1) and 252(e) (the "Act"). In support of their request, the parties state as follows:

- 1. The Agreement was arrived at through good faith negotiations between the Parties as contemplated by Section 252(a) of the Act and provides for interconnection as addressed in Section 251 of the Act.
- 2. RCN's application to provide services in CT's service territory is unprotested and anticipated to be before the Commission for action in the near future.



- 3. Pursuant to Section 252(e)(2), the Commission may only reject a negotiated Agreement if it finds that (1) the Agreement discriminates against another carrier or (2) implementation of the Agreement would not be consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.
- 4. CT will make the Agreement available to any other telecommunications carrier operating within its territory. Other carriers are also free to negotiate their own terms and conditions pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Act. For this reason, the Agreement is not discriminatory.
- 5. In addition, implementation of the Agreement is consistent with the public interest because it will promote competition and enhance RCN's ability to provide Pennsylvania telecommunications users with a competitive alternative for telecommunications services.
- 6. In accordance with Section 252(e)(4) of the Act, the Agreement will be deemed approved if the Commission does not act to approve or reject the Agreement within 90 days from the date of this submission.
- 7. Copies of the Agreement are available for public inspection in CT and RCN's public offices.

WHEREFORE, CT and RCN respectfully request that the Commission approve the attached Interconnection Agreement under Section 252(e) of the Act as expeditiously as possible.

Respectfully submitted this day of	April , 2007
COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY DBA FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS COMMONWEALTH TELEPHONE COMPANY	RCN TELECOM SERVICES, INC.
NAME: Kenneth Arabt	NAME: Richard Ramlall
TITLE: VP/GM	TITLE: SVP, Strategic & External Affairs

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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA)
) ss:
COUNTY OF LUZERNE)

VERIFICATION

Michael P. Sharry, being duly sworn or affirmed, states on oath or affirmation that he is Director Regulatory & Public Affairs and Statutory Agent for Commonwealth Telephone Company dba Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company, and that the facts stated in the foregoing Joint Petition for Approval of Negotiated Agreement are true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

' Michael P. Sharry

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Richard Ramlall, being duly sworn or affirmed, states on oath or affirmation that he is Senior Vice President, Strategic and External Affairs, for RCN Telecom Services, Inc. and that the facts stated in the foregoing Joint Petition for Approval of Negotiated Agreement are true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge, information and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to or affirmed before me this 29 day of March, 2007

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Notary Public

My commission expires

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PA PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION SECRETARY'S BUREAU

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA **PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

DATE:

April 13, 2007

SUBJECT: A-310554 F7003

TO:

Office of Special Assistants

FROM:

James J. McNulty, Secretary



Joint Petition of Commonwealth Telephone Company DBA Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company and RCN Telecom Services, Inc. for Approval of an Interconnection Agreement Under Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Attached is a copy of a Joint Petition for Approval of an Interconnection Agreement filed in connection with the above-docketed proceeding.

Enclosed is a copy of the notice that we provided to the Pennsylvania Bulletin to be published on April 28, 2007. Comments are due on or before 10 days after the publication of this notice.

This matter is assigned to your Office for appropriate action.

Attachment

Bureau of Fixed Utility Services CC:

Office of Administrative Law Judge-copy of memo only

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NOTICE TO BE PUBLISHED

Joint Petition of Commonwealth Telephone Company DBA Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company and RCN Telecom Services, Inc. for Approval of an Interconnection Agreement Under Section 252(e) of The Telecommunications Act of 1996.

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Commonwealth Telephone Company DBA Frontier Communications
Commonwealth Telephone Company and RCN Telecom Services, Inc., by its counsel,
filed on April 11, 2007, at the Public Utility Commission, a Joint Petition for approval of an
Interconnection Agreement under Sections 251 and 252 of the Telecommunications Act
of 1996.

Interested parties may file comments concerning the petition and agreement with the Secretary, Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, P.O. Box 3265, Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265. All such Comments are due on or before 10 days after the date of publication of this notice. Copies of the Commonwealth Telephone Company DBA Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company and RCN Telecom Services, Inc. Joint Petition are on file with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission and are available for public inspection.

Contact person is Cheryl Walker Davis, Director, Office of Special Assistants, (717) 787-1827.

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RE: Joint Petition of Commonwealth Telephone Company dba Frontier

Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company and RCN Telecom Services Inc. for approval of a Negotiated Interconnection Agreement –

Docket No. A-310554F7003

Dear Secretary McNulty:

Please be advised that a true and correct copy of the above-referenced agreement was filed with the Joint Petition on April 11, 2007.

In addition, in compliance with ordering paragraph three (3) of the Opinion and Order entered May 10, 2007 approving the interconnection agreement between Commonwealth Telephone Company and RCN Telecom Services, Inc., an electronic copy in ".pdf format" of the true and correct agreement is enclosed (including a true and correct copy of the 911 Addendum filed on May 7, 2007).

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 570-631-6269.

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Sincerely,

Theresa Moffitt, Esquire Regulatory Affairs

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RE: Commonwealth Telephone Company dba Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company and RCN Telecom Services, Inc. 911 Addendum to Interconnection Agreement

Dear Secretary McNulty:

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Enclosed for filing with your office, please find four (4) copies of Addendum One to the Interconnection Agreement between Commonwealth Telephone Company dba Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company ("CTCO") and RCN Telecom Services, Inc. ("RCN") filed with your office on April 11, 2007. This Addendum has been executed by both parties and contains mutually agreed-upon 911 language. This Addendum is being filed on behalf of both parties.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 570-631-6269.

Sincerely,

Muesa Moffitt, Esquire

Regulatory Affairs

Commonwealth Telephone Company

dba Frontier Communications

Commonwealth Telephone Company

cc: Mohan Samuel, Bureau of Fixed Utilities
Office of Special Assistants
Joseph Kahl, Senior Director, Regulatory Affairs, RCN



ADDENDUM ONE TO WIRELINE INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT

This Addendum One to the Interconnection Agreement is made and entered into this 4th day of May, 2007 by and between Commonwealth Telephone Company dba Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company ("CTCO"), an incumbent local exchange carrier and RCN, Telecom Services, Inc. ("RCN"), a competitive local exchange carrier. CTCO and RCN may also be referred to singularly as a "Party" or collectively as the "Parties".

WHEREAS, CTCO and RCN entered into that certain Interconnection Agreement filed with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission ("Commission") for approval on April 11, 2007 to be effective upon approval by the Commission ("Original Agreement").

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to add a certain term to the Original Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, promises and agreements contained berein, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties, intending to be legally bound, agree as follows:

 The following Section 37 will be added to the Original Agreement under "General Terms and Conditions":

"37. 911/E911.

The Parties affirm and acknowledge that each Party has independently arranged direct interconnection and administrative arrangements with the relevant 911/E911 Public Safety Answering Points (PSAPs) for the provision of 911/E911 to users of its respective Telephone Exchange Services. As such, the Parties do not require any interconnection or other arrangements between themselves for purposes of 911/E911."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Addendum to the Wireline Interconnection Agreement to be excented as of the date set forth above.

Commonwealth Telephone Company dba Frontier Communications Commonwealth Telephone Company

Name:

Title:

RICHARD BURSON SVP CUSTOMER OPERATIONS RCN Telecom Services. Inc

Name: Joseph Kahl

Title Sr. Director, Regulatory Affairs

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