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May 8, 2013



Mr. Darrell Nitchke
Executive Secretary
Public Service Commission of North Dakota
600 E. Boulevard Ave., Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

RE: Granite Telecommunications, LLC, Tariff Advice Letter No. 3

Dear Mr. Nitchke:

Enclosed for submission to the North Dakota Public Service Commission are an original and seven (7) copies of revised Sheet Nos. 1 and 67 to Granite Telecommunications, LLC's ("Granite") switched exchange access tariff, NDPSC Tariff No. 2, for incorporation into the Company's Tariff.

With this submission, Granite complies with the July 1, 2013 interstate access rate benchmarking requirement set forth in Section 51.911(c) of the Federal Communications Commission's ("FCC") rules, 47 C.F.R. § 51.911(c), Access Reciprocal Compensation Rates for Competitive LECs, promulgated under the USF/ICC Transformation Order,¹ as amended, which states in part:

Beginning July 1, 2013, notwithstanding any other provision of the Commission's rules, all Competitive Local Exchange Carrier Access Reciprocal Compensation rates for switched exchange access services subject to this subpart shall be no higher than the Access Reciprocal Compensation rates charged by the competing incumbent local exchange carrier, in accordance with the same procedures specified in §61.26 of this chapter.

Granite now sets its composite terminating intrastate rate at parity with the corresponding interstate rate, effective July 1, 2013. Granite's interstate rates are currently below the dominant incumbent local exchange carrier's interstate rates.

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Revised tariff

Granite Telecommunications, LLC

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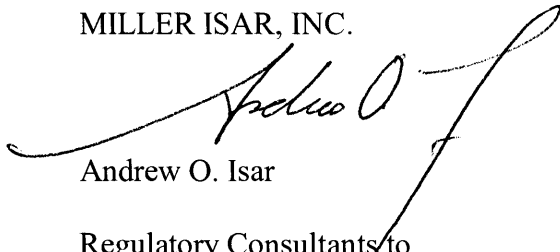
¹ *Connect America Fund et al.*, WC Dkt. No. 10-90 *et al.*, Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 11-161 (rel. Nov. 18, 2011) (*USF/ICC Transformation Order*), *pets. for review pending*, *Direct Commc'ns Cedar Valley, LLC v. FCC*, No. 11-9581 (10th Cir. filed Dec. 8, 2011) (and consolidated cases).

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Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by return electronic mail to me at aisar@millerisar.com. Thank you for your attention to this matter. Questions regarding this filing may be directed to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

MILLER ISAR, INC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andrew O. Isar", written in a cursive style. The signature is positioned above the printed name and extends to the right, crossing over the company name.

Andrew O. Isar

Regulatory Consultants to
Granite Telecommunications, LLC

Enclosures

CHECK SHEET

The sheets of this tariff are effective as of the date shown. The original and revised sheets named below contain all changes from the original tariff and are in effect on the date shown. An asterisk appearing next to the Sheet Version indicates sheets included with the filing made on the issue date appearing at the bottom of this sheet.

Sheet No.	Sheet Version	Sheet No.	Sheet Version	Sheet No.	Sheet Version
Title	Original				
1	First*	31	Original	61	Original
2	First	32	Original	62	Original
3	First	33	Original	63	First
4	Original	34	Original	64	First
5	Original	35	Original	65	First
6	Original	36	Original	66	First
7	Original	37	Original	67	Second*
8	Original	38	Original	68	First
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Robert T. Hale, Jr.
Granite Telecommunications, LLC
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RATES**5.1 ACCESS SERVICE**

5.1.1	Service Orders	Nonrecurring Charge	
	Service Implementation	First	Add'l
	A. Installation Charge	\$0.00	\$0.00
	B. Access Order Charge	\$0.00	\$0.00
	C. Cancellation Charge	\$0.00	\$0.00
5.1.2	Switched Access		
	Originating, per minute		\$0.05700
	Terminating, per minute		\$0.00394
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5.1.3	Toll Free Data Base Access Service		
	POTS Translation Charge, Per Query	\$0.005	
	All others per query	\$0.005	
	Toll Free Carrier Identification Charge	\$0.000	
	Call Handling Destination Feature Charge	\$0.000	

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