

DOCKET NO. UM 1375

**Required Cover Sheet for Submission of
2008 Annual ETC Recertification Reports**

Filing Deadline: Tuesday, July 15, 2008

Name of Eligible Telecommunications Carrier: Gervais Telephone Co.

Filing date: 7-15-08

Is this: Original submission?

OR

Revised submission? If revised, please identify which reports
are being revised _____

Person to contact for questions:

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PO Box 2148
Salem, OR 97308-2148

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Attn: Filing Center
550 Capitol St. NE #215
Salem, OR 97308-2148

If you have any questions on these reports, please call Kay Marinos at 503-378-6730, or Celeste Hari at 503-378-6628.

Report #1 – Supported Services Offerings

1.1. Basic Local Usage Service Offerings – All ETCs

Choose either A. or B. below, as applicable:

A. Basic local usage service offerings are filed under tariff with the Oregon PUC. The specific tariff references (with *company name, tariff number, section and page numbers*) for the basic local usage offerings and corresponding rates are:

1. residence:

2. business:

B. Basic local usage service offerings are **not** filed under tariff with the Oregon PUC. Submit the following information for each basic service offering that includes local usage allowances (unlimited or limited): 1) plan's name, 2) advertised public description, 3) number of local minutes included, 4) calling area included, and 5) rates and charges. Include basic offerings for both residence and business services.

1.2. Comparable Local Usage Plan – CETCs only

The carrier certifies that it offers at least one basic local usage plan that is comparable to those offered by the ILECs in its designated service area: yes _____ no _____

Identify which of the plans in 1.1.B above are "comparable" to the ILEC local usage offerings, and explain the basis for the comparability. _____

1.3. Supported Services Not Provided – CETCs only

Identify any supported services that were not available at designation, but were to be provided as a condition of ETC designation (e.g., toll restriction for qualifying low-income consumers, E911): _____

Are these services provided currently? yes _____ no _____

If no, explain why not: _____

1.4. Equal Access Acknowledgement – CETCs only

The carrier acknowledges that it may be required to provide equal access if it is the only remaining ETC in an area: yes _____ no _____

Local Service

**Local Access Line Rates
Business Service**

Rates

Following are the monthly rates for local access lines:

Dialtone

	USP Code	Monthly Rate
Business	100	\$14.50
Government	101	14.50
Northern Flat Rate Extended Area Service	173	7.25
Business Flat Rate Extended Area Service	171	21.80

Northern Flat Rate Extended Area Service – Unlimited calling to Woodburn, Hubbard and St. Paul

Business Flat Rate Extended Area Service – Unlimited calling to Salem, Woodburn, Hubbard and St. Paul

Measured Service

.08 per minute

The above rates do not include the Residential Service Protection Fund Surcharge.

Advice No. _____

Issued December 1, 2007 Effective January 1, 2008

Issued By John Hoffmann Title General Manager

Local Service

**Local Access Line Rates
Residence Service**

<u>Dialtone</u>	USP <u>Code</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
	130	\$10.00
Northern Flat Rate Extended Area Service	183	5.00
Residence Flat Rate Extended Area Service	181	15.00

Northern Flat Rate Extended Area Service – Unlimited calling to Woodburn, Hubbard and St. Paul

Residence Flat Rate Extended Area Service – Unlimited calling to Salem, Woodburn, Hubbard and St. Paul

Measured Service

.08 per minute

Conditions

Local service is provided through facilities owned and maintained according to the standards of Gervais Telephone Company. The territory served is shown on maps filed with the Commission by the Company. This territory is referred to as an exchange. One-party service is provided.

Local service rates include the line which provides access to the central office switching equipment. Customer premises equipment (CPE) is excluded, except that one telephone is included with semi-public service. Customer premises inside wire is excluded.

The above rates do not include the Residential Service Protection Fund Surcharge.

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Report #2 – Unfulfilled Service Requests

2.1. Unfulfilled Service Requests/Held Orders – All ETCs

Choose either A. or B. below, as applicable:

- A. ___ Service quality reports for “primary held orders over 30 days” were filed with the Oregon PUC for calendar year 2007. No additional submission is required for recertification purposes.
- B. Service quality reports for “primary held orders over 30 days” were **not** filed with the Oregon PUC for calendar year 2007. In this case, choose **one** of the following alternatives for reporting:
1. The number of customer requests for supported services that were not fulfilled during calendar year 2007: 0.
If greater than zero, include an attachment noting for each such request, the location (address) of the request and a description of attempts to provide service.
 2. ___ The number of “primary held orders over 30 days” (as defined in Section 860-034-0390 of the Oregon Commission rules) for calendar year 2007: _____.
If greater than zero, include attachment noting for each such held order, the reason the order was held and the original commitment date.

2.2. Service Request Processing - CETCs only

Submit a description of how the carrier ensures that every request for service that cannot be immediately fulfilled is recorded and processed under the 6-step process set forth in 47 CFR Section 54.202(a)(1)(i).

**Report #3 – Evidence of Advertising for Basic Supported Services
(excluding low-income/lifeline) – All ETCs**

Describe how basic supported services were advertised during calendar year 2007 throughout the designated service area. List the types of media used, advertising frequencies and geographic coverage. Attach examples of actual advertisements, noting dates, specific distribution methods, and target geographical populations, sufficient to demonstrate that basic supported services and rates were advertised **throughout** the designated service area in 2007.

Legal Notices

Public Notice of Basic Telephone Service

Gervais Telephone is a local, quality telecommunications provider designated as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier who meets the guidelines of the Federal Communications Commission and Oregon Public Utility Commission.

Basic service includes

- Single party service with unlimited local calling
- Access to emergency services including Enhanced 911
- Touch tone service
- Access to operator services, interexchange carriers and directory assistance
- Voice grade access to the public switched network

Basic services are offered to all consumers in the Gervais Telephone Company service territory at the same rates, terms and conditions specified in the company's tariff. Low income individuals may be eligible to Lifeline and Link-up telephone assistance programs which provide discounts from basic rates as described below.

Single party residential service is \$10.00 per month. Single party business service is \$14.50 per month. Federal Subscriber Line Charge for Single Line is \$6.00 per month. If you have questions or would like to become a customer of Gervais Telephone, please contact Gervais Telephone at 503-792-3611, or visit our office at 489 Third St, Gervais, Oregon.

Published: December 19, 2007

Report #4 – Low-income Services – All ETCs

4.1. Number of Lifeline Customers – All ETCs

The total number of customers receiving Lifeline discounts during the month of December 2007 in the designated service area: 16.

CETCs only - also list counts by ILEC service area as follows:

<u>ILEC Svc Area</u>	<u>No. of Lifeline customers</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

4.2. Advertising of Low-Income Program Service Offerings – All ETCs

Submit copies of all advertisements (for all media) for Lifeline, LinkUp, and OTAP service offerings that were run during calendar year 2007, noting media (newspaper name, radio station, bill inserts, internet postings, etc.), run/distribution dates, and geographic coverage area.

July 15, 2008

This piece about Lifeline and Link Up are standard bill inserts each quarter of the year.

Harry

Do you qualify for discounts on your telephone bill?

You, or someone you know, may qualify for a discount each month on your telephone bill and/or installing new telephone service.

If you are getting one of the following benefits listed below, you could receive Federal and State assistance.

CHECK WITH YOUR CASEWORKER to see if you qualify!

- ▶ Food Stamps
- ▶ Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- ▶ Certain types of Medical Assistance from the Dept of Human Services
- ▶ Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF)

The federally funded **Lifeline** program lowers the cost of basic monthly local telephone service up to \$10.00 per month. In addition, the State Of Oregon's **Oregon Telephone Assistance Program (OTAP)** can assist with the reduction of your monthly bill, up to \$3.50 per month; a total savings of up to \$13.50 per month. The federal program **Link Up** reduces the cost of getting new local telephone service of up to 50% discount off one-time costs for installation and/or set up, to a maximum of \$30.00.

To apply, come to the **Gervais Telephone** office at 489 Third St, Gervais. Complete a simple form. That's it! The Oregon Public Utility Commission will verify your qualification and share that information with your telephone company. Your name must be on the telephone bill in order to be considered for Lifeline, Link Up, or OTAP.

Contact Jesse, Maribel, or Harry at Gervais Telephone for more information. 503-792-3611

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¿Califica usted para obtener descuentos en su factura telefónica?

Usted, o alguien que usted conozca, talvez califique para recibir un descuento mensual en su factura telefónica o para instalación de nuevo servicio telefónico.

Si usted esta recibiendo asistencia pública por medio de programas tal como. **¡Verifique con su rabajador(a) social si usted califica!**

- ▶ Estampillas alimenticias
- ▶ Ingresos suplementarios de seguridad (SSI)
- ▶ Plan de asistencia médica del departamento de Servicios Humanos
- ▶ Asistencia Temporal para Familias en Necesidad (TANF)

El programa Federal **Lifeline**, rebaja el costo mensual de servicio básico telefónico con un ahorro le hasta \$10.00 por mes. También el programa **estatal de asistencia telefónica de Oregon (OTAP)** contribuye con un crédito de \$3.50 en su factura mensual telefónica. Otro programa de asistencia Federal es **Link Up**. Este reduce el costo de activación de nuevo servicio telefónico local con un ahorro de hasta 50% del costo regular con un máximo de \$30.00.

Para aplicar, pase por la oficina de la compañía telefónica de Gervais en 489 y calle 3 en Gervais. Llene el formulario necesario y es todo. La Comisión Pública de Utilidades verificara su aplicación. Si la aprueba la compañía telefónica aplicara los créditos a su cuenta mensual. Su nombre debe de aparecer en la factura telefónica para calificar con LIFELINE, LINK UP u OTAP.

Para más información llame a la compañía telefónica de Gervais que con mucho gusto Maribel, Jesse o Harry le ayudaran. 503-792 3611.



It's true! You've got it.

Faster DSL speeds at no additional charge. What a deal!

New to Gervais Telephone members who subscribe to High Speed Internet service: 1.5Mbps DSL speed at the same price as 512Kbps was. Effective in June, it's now 1.5Mbps.

What does 'K' mean? A thousand bits of information per second. 'M' means one million bits of information per second. How does high speed benefit you? It saves you time and makes it a whole lot more fun to navigate around the Internet! As you surf the Internet with its universe of video, photos, graphics, text files, and especially if you download information onto your computer; the faster your connection speed the quicker you gain access to what you seek. Upgrades in Gervais Telephone's underground and hub infrastructure increased its broadband capacity; another example of your local telephone cooperative doing something better for its members.

Order DSL Service This Month with Our Special Offer!

- Get FREE 30 days of DSL service
- Plus FREE activation & 50% off modem price
- Two FREE Garfield cat dolls

That's a savings of \$133.00! (not counting the cats)

Only \$43⁴⁰ per month
(including taxes/charges)

Once you're on DSL, you'll never go back to dial-up.
This offer ends Sept. 28, 2007. 12 month agreement required.
To order, call Maribel, Jesse or Maria at the Gervais Telephone business office today! (503) 792-3611.



New employees add efficiency and fun

Welcome Jeremy Smith, Maria Fregoso, and Jason Riggs to the GTC family!

Maria Fregoso, Part-time Receptionist and Customer Service Representative. Maria has worked in banking, customer service, and as a pre-school teacher. Her leisure time finds her with family, friends, and exercising. What does Maria like most about her job? "I like the friendly environment and helping customers." Favorite movie? Fools Rush In. Favorite place in Oregon? Rockaway Beach. Favorite food? Italian and Mexican.

Jeremy Smith, Outside Technician. Jeremy comes to GTC from earlier employment as a nurseryman. What I like best about working at GTC are "my fellow employees, interesting work, working outside, and learning new things. I've got a good job!" Favorite movie? Star Wars, and Raiders of the Lost Ark. Favorite food? Pizza... "If there's pizza I'll eat any kind!" Fav place in Oregon? Camping and hiking in Central Oregon.

Jason Riggs, Outside Technician. Jason is a former outside plant technician for a cable company. Job satisfaction comes from, "The people. My teammates. Good people. I like helping people solve problems where there's a sense of accomplishment." Favorite movie? Top Gun. Fav in Oregon? Anywhere my son, Hunter, and I are together. Fav food? Italian. And where does he Jason find refreshment? "I love sports of all kinds, particularly baseball."

Maria, Jeremy, and Jason are very customer-oriented, good communicators, and are welcome additions to the staff of Gervais Telephone.

Need calling assistance?

Are you an Oregonian, or know of someone with a hearing, speech, or severe mobility disability?

You may qualify for a loaner phone that meets your needs. Call (TDAP) Telecommunications Devices Access Program at 1-800-848-4442 Voice, or 1-800-648-3458 TTY. Oregon Telecommunications Relay service (OTRS) provides a vital link between hearing people and those who are deaf, hard of hearing, or speech disabled.

- Totally confidential
- Toll-free access, 24 hours a day, 365 days per year
- Voice Carry Over (VCO) allows the deaf or hard of hearing to use their own voice
- Hearing Carry Over (HCO) allows the speech disabled to use their own hearing

All you have to do is dial 711, or:

TTY	1-800-735-2000
Spanish	1-800-735-3806
VCO	1-800-735-3260
900 Services	1-800-568-3323
Voice	1-800-735-1232
Customer Service	1-800-676-3777
ASCN	1-800-735-0644

To connect with Captioned Telephone (CapTel) users, dial 1-877-243-2843.

For CapTel Customer Service, dial 1-888-269-7477.



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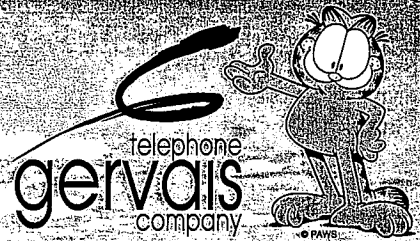
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Need a book?

2007-08 phone directories. Didn't get it? Want it? Got it but want more? Both the regular and mini-sizes are available.

Contact us the phone company at 503-792-3611, or just come on by our business office located at 489 Third St, Gervais.



¡Es verdad! Usted lo tiene.

DSL más rapido sin precio adicional. ¡Que gran oferta!

Nuevo para los miembros de la compañía telefónica de Gervais, quienes se inscribieron al servicio de internet de alta velocidad DSL. Ahora es 1.5Mbps al mismo precio que el de 512 Kbps desde Junio.

Que significa "K?" Es mil porciones de información por segundo. "M" significa un Millón de porciones de información por segundo. Como le beneficia a usted la alta velocidad? Le ahorra tiempo y le hace mucho más divertido navegar alrededor de la internet. En lo que usted esta en el internet con su universo de videos, fotos, gráficas, archivos y especialmente, si usted quiere bajar información a su computadora; entre más rápida sea la conexión, más rápido usted tendrá acceso a lo que busca. Mejoras de la Compañía Telefónica de Gervais se han extendido. Nuevas infraestructuras de onda ancha para alta capacidad para la internet se encuentran ahora bajo tierra y a su alcance. Este es otro ejemplo de cómo su Cooperativa trabaja para mejorar y proveer mejores servicios a sus miembros.

¡Ordene DSL Este Mes Con Esta Oferta Especial!

- 30 días GRATIS de servicio de DSL
- Activación GRATIS y modem a ½ precio
- Dos gatos de Garfield (monos) GRATIS

¡Se esta ahorrando \$133.00! (sin contar los gatos)

Solamente \$43⁴⁰ por mes
(impuesto incluido)

Una vez que usted esta con DSL, nunca volvera a tener dial up. Esta oferta se acaba el 28 de Sept. 2007. Para ordenar, llame a Maribel, Jesse, o a Maria a Gervais Telephone. 503-792-3611



Nuevos empleados añaden eficiencia y diversión

Bienvenidos Jeremy Smith, Maria Fregoso y Jason Riggs a la familia de GTC

Maria Fregoso, Recepcionista y Servicio al cliente. Maria ha trabajado en servicios bancarios, maestra de prekindergarten y en servicio al cliente. Durante su tiempo libre le gusta pasar en familia, con amistades y haciendo ejercicios. ¿Que es lo que le gusta más a Maria de su trabajo? "Me gusta el ambiente amigable y el ayudar a nuestros clientes" ¿Cuál es tu película favorita? Fools Rush In. ¿Cuál es tu lugar favorito en Oregon? Rockaway Beach. ¿Comida favorita? Italiana y mexicana

Jeremy Smith, Técnico. Antes de iniciar su empleo en GTC, Jeremy trabajaba en una Nursery. ¿Qué te gusta más de trabajar en GTC? Lo que me gusta más de trabajar en la telefónica es el trabajar con los otros empleados de GTC, es un trabajo interesante, el trabajar afuera y el aprender nuevas cosas. ¿Tengo un trabajo muy bueno! ¿Cual es tu película favorita? Star Wars y Raiders of the Lost Ark. ¿Comida favorita? Pizza... "Pizza de cualquier tipo" ¿Cuál es tu lugar favorito en Oregon? Me gusta acampar y excursiones de caminatas en el área central de Oregon.

Jason Riggs, Técnico. Jason trabajaba como técnico para una compañía de cable televisivo. Satisfacción de su nuevo empleo viene de "la gente" mis compañeros de trabajo, buena gente. Me gusta ayudar y solucionar problemas, hay un sentimiento de éxito en esto. ¿Cual es tu película favorita? Top Gun ¿Comida favorita? Italiana. ¿Cuál es tu lugar favorito en Oregon? Cualquier lugar en el que mi hijo, Hunter y yo podamos estar juntos. ¿Y cual es tu pasatiempo favorito? Los deportes, cualquier deporte me gusta, en particular el Baseball!

Maria, Jeremy y Jason tienen una gran habilidad y orientación comunicativa a las necesidades de nuestros clientes. En el poco tiempo con La Compañía Telefónica de Gervais han demostrado que son muy buenas adiciones a nuestro personal.

Introducción al servicio de relevo – Oregon Telecommunications Relay Service (OTRS) Public Utility Commission

¿Qué es OTRS?

El Oregon Telecommunications Relay Service (OTRS) es un servicio de relevo que proporciona la accesibilidad completa de teléfono a personas que son sordos, tienen dificultades para oír o hablar. Especialistas entrenados, llamados Asistentes de Comunicación (CAs), elaboran todas las llamadas y permanecen en la línea para relevar mensajes electrónicamente sobre un teléfono de texto, (también llamado un TTY para "teléfono de texto"), o verbalmente para oír a las personas. Este instrumento valioso de comunicación da a todos los individuos que son sordos, que tienen dificultad para escuchar y dificultad al hablar, la oportunidad de hacer llamadas personales o de negocio así como cualquier otro usuario de teléfono.

¿Usted puede utilizar uno de los servicios ofrecidos:

Estándar: Entre un usuario de TTY y una persona que escucha.

VO (Voice Carry Over): Una persona con pérdida de oído utiliza la voz para hablar con la persona que él o ella ha llamado, pero recibe mensajes ablatados en texto en el TTY por medio del Asistente de Comunicación.

HO (Hearing Carry Over): Una persona con dificultad para hablar escucha a la persona que él o ella han llamado hablando con él o con ella, pero utiliza un TTY para comunicarse por medio del Asistente de Comunicación.

Spanish Relay: Usuarios de TTY pueden escribir en español y sus conversaciones serán retransmitidas en español a la persona que ellos están llamando. Los usuarios de TTY también pueden pedir traducciones español-inglés o inglés-a-español a través del servicio del relevo.

TS (speech-to-speech): Una persona con dificultad para hablar no utiliza el TTY; el Asistente de Comunicación escucha e interpreta para él o para ella a la persona que él o ella ha llamado, y cada uno puede escucharse uno al otro.

¿Ayudando a personas a estar en contacto

El Oregon Telecommunications Relay Service es gratis. Llamadas pueden ser hechas a cualquier parte del mundo, las 24 horas del día, 365 días del año, sin restricciones en el número, tiempo, o tipo de llamadas. OTRS maneja llamadas usando marcado directo, por cobrar, persona a persona, tarjetas de teléfono de débito, tarjetas telefónicas prepagadas, y cualquier proveedor de larga distancia participante. Estas llamadas son cargadas a la cuenta de su proveedor de larga distancia bajo las tarifas designadas. Las tarifas de llamadas locales de su proveedor aplican para ambos, local y regional. OTRS no es una compañía de teléfono, y no recibe ganancias por uso de larga distancia de llamada de relevo. Usted siempre escoge su proveedor de larga distancia.

¿Confidencialidad

OTRS es serio acerca de proteger su privacidad. Todas las llamadas son estrictamente confidenciales, y ningún registro de cualquier conversación es mantenido. Es requisito para todo el personal de OTRS recibir entrenamiento anual y deben de firmar un compromiso de Confidencialidad y el Código de la Moralidad que protege sus derechos. Ningún registro de cualquier llamada es mantenido jamás, los empleados no tienen permitido



¿Necesita un libro telefónico?

2007-08 Libro telefónico. ¿No recibió uno? ¿Desea uno? ¿Tiene uno pero desea uno más? Ambos tamaños están ahora disponibles en nuestra oficina localizada en 489 calle 3 en Gervais. Llámenos al 503-792-3611

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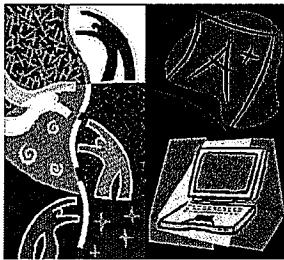
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discutir el contenido de su llamada, su información personal, o actuar sobre información que ellos puedan aprender al relevar una llamada. OTRS está comprometido a proporcionar los servicios profesionales y éticos.



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A culture of Diversity, Technology and Academic Excellence

We, with the involvement of our culturally rich community, will provide a creative, enriching and safe environment, which instills a desire to become a life-long learner and a responsible citizen.

July 14, 2008

This letter is to verify that the Gervais Telephone provided, and our school district level resources distributed Oregon Telecommunications Relay Service brochures to all students who registered for the 2007-2008 school year in August, 2007.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Clare Columbus.

Clare Columbus
Food Service Director

Report #5 – Outage Report – All ETCs

Choose either A. or B. below, as applicable:

A. Carrier was required to report service outages (as defined in Oregon PUC Rules at Sections 860-034-0390(9) for small telecom utilities, 860-023-0055(9) for large telecom utilities, and 860-032-0012(9) for competitive telecom providers) to the Oregon PUC during year 2007. No additional submission is required for recertification purposes.

B. Carrier was *not* required to report service outages (as defined in Oregon PUC Rules at Sections 860-034-0390(9) for small telecom utilities, 860-023-0055(9) for large telecom utilities, and 860-032-0012(9) for competitive telecom providers) to the Oregon PUC during year 2007. Select #1 (wireline carriers) or #2 (wireless carriers) below.

1. The number of service outages, as defined in Oregon PUC rules, that occurred during calendar year 2007 was _____.

If the number was greater than zero, attach a report that lists for each such outage the following: the date and time of onset, a brief description of the outage and its resolution, the particular services affected, the geographic areas affected, steps taken to prevent a similar future occurrence, and the number of customers affected.

2. The number of service outages, as defined in FCC rules at 47 CFR Section 54.209(a)(2), that occurred during calendar year 2007 was _____.

If the number was greater than zero, attach a report that lists for each such outage the following: the date and time of onset, a brief description of the outage and its resolution, the particular services affected, the geographic areas affected, steps taken to prevent a similar future occurrence, and the number of customers affected.

Report #6 – Trouble Report – All ETCs

Choose either A. or B. below, as appropriate:

A. Trouble reports were filed with the Oregon PUC for calendar year 2007 per Oregon PUC service quality rules. No additional submission is required for recertification purposes.

B. X Trouble reports were **not** filed with the Oregon PUC during calendar year 2007. In this case, choose **one** of the following alternatives for reporting:

1. The average monthly number of customer trouble reports received per 100 wireless handsets for supported services during calendar year 2007, for each company switch.

<u>Trouble Type</u>	<u>Switch A (location)</u>	<u>Switch B (location)</u>
No service	_____	_____
Network busy	_____	_____
Interruption of service	_____	_____
Poor reception	_____	_____

2. X The average monthly number of customer trouble reports, as defined in Section 860-034-0390 (5) of the Oregon PUC rules, per 100 access lines, received during calendar year 2007: 1 per month, per 100 working access lines.



**Interstate Common Line Support (ICLS)
2008 - 2009**

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Date June 22, 2008

ICLS

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Federal Communications Commission
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Karen Majcher
Vice President - High Cost and Low Income Division
Universal Service Administrative Company
2000 L Street, NW, Suite 200
Washington, DC 20036

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45
Interstate Common Line Support - ICLS
Annual Certification Filing

This is to certify that Gervais Telephone Company
will use its **INTERSTATE COMMON LINE SUPPORT - ICLS** only for the provision, maintenance
and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the
study area(s) listed below. **(Please enter your Company Name, State and Study Area Code)**

ICLS

Company Name	State	Study Area Code
Gervais Telephone Company	Oregon	532373

(If necessary, attach a separate list of additional study areas and check this box.)

Signed,

John Hoffmann
[Signature of Authorized Representative]

Date: 6/25/2008

John Hoffmann
[Printed Name of Authorized Representative]

General Manager
[Title of Authorized Representative]

Date Received
(For official use only)

AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING USE OF UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUNDS

I, JOHN HOFFMANN, being of lawful age and duly sworn, on my oath, state that I am the PRESIDENT / CEO [an officer] of GERVAIS TELEPHONE CO. ("Company") and that I am authorized to execute this Affidavit on behalf of the Company, and the facts set forth in this Affidavit are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

Pursuant to the rules of the Federal Communications Commission, 47 C.F.R. § 54.314, there must be annual certification that funds received under the federal Universal Service Fund programs will be used only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. The Company hereby certifies to the Public Utility Commission of Oregon that pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.7, and for purposes of the certification required under 47 C.F.R. § 54.314, the company will use all federal high-cost support provided to it only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, consistent with the principles of universal service set forth in 47 U.S.C. 254. This includes, but is not limited to, trying to meet the goal of the provision of services that are properly supported by the high-cost funds at rates that are reasonably comparable to rates charged for similar services in urban areas.

DATED this 7th day of July, 2008.

GERVAIS TELEPHONE CO. (Company)

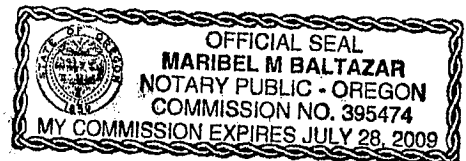
By: John Hoffmann (Name)

Its: PRESIDENT / CEO (Title)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 7th day of July, 2008.

Maribel M Baltazar
Notary public in and for the State of Oregon

My Commission Expires: July 28, 2009



AFFIDAVIT CERTIFYING EMERGENCY FUNCTIONALITY AND COMPLIANCE
WITH SERVICE QUALITY AND CONSUMER PROTECTION MEASURES

I, JOHN HOFFMANN, being of lawful age and duly sworn, on my oath, state that I am the PRESIDENT/CEO [an officer] of GERVAIS TELEPHONE CO. ("Company") and that I am authorized to execute this Affidavit on behalf of the Company, and the facts set forth in this Affidavit are true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

The Company hereby certifies to the Public Utility Commission of Oregon, pursuant to the requirements of Commission Order No. 06-292, that it:

- 1) is able to remain functional in emergencies, and,
- 2) complies with service quality and consumer protection measures in (check one):

applicable Oregon Commission rules, or
 the CTIA Consumer Code for Wireless Carriers, or
 other (describe and explain conformance with requirements of Order No. 06-292): _____

DATED this 7th day of July, 2008.

GERVAIS TELEPHONE CO. (Company)

By: John Hoffmann (Name)

Its: PRESIDENT/CEO (Title)

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