



**OREGON PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE**

**DATE:** December 22, 2014

**TO:** File through Bruce Hellebuyck 

**FROM:** Jim Stanage 

**SUBJECT:** Frontier Communications Northwest Inc., Advice No. 035SPL  
Increases the monthly rates for Directory Listings by \$0.50.

I have reviewed this filing and recommend that an acknowledgement letter be sent. The filing went into effect on December 14, 2014, and was filed on December 11, 2014. Frontier Communications Northwest Inc. (Frontier) proposes to increase the monthly rates for non-primary Directory Listings, which are Price List services, by \$0.50.

On August 18, 2014, the Commission issued its Order No. 14-290, in docket UM 1677, approving a *Price Plan* for Frontier under ORS 759.255. Section K of the Price Plan, *Directory Listings*, establishes that the second and any other additional listings will be subject to the "Other Services" rate cap and is most pertinent to this filing. In turn, the "Other Services" provisions of the Price Plan, found in Section H, provide that "monthly rates may increase up to 25% or \$.50, annually, whichever is greater."

The Price Plan allows that, within 60 days of receiving notice of a price increase to "Other Services," customers who request removal of any service contained in "Other Services" will not incur a non-recurring charge for the removal of the service.

The proposed local access line services rate increases are as follows:

<u>Service</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>Proposed</u>	<u>Increase</u>	
	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Additional Listing	\$1.50	\$2.00	\$0.50	33.3%
Foreign Exchange Listing	\$1.50	\$2.00	\$0.50	33.3%
Extra Lines of Information	\$1.50	\$2.00	\$0.50	33.3%

The filing was submitted on December 11, 2014, and thus, complies with Frontier Price Plan, Section Q, which requires filings for price list changes to be made at least one day prior to their effective dates. Telecommunications utilities are required under ORS 759.175 to submit tariff filings to the Commission whenever they intend to change their rates, terms, or conditions of service.

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This filing complies with the above cited provisions of Section H of the Price Plan and do not exceed the rate increases allowed for Other Services.

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