OREGON PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE:

September 21, 2016

TO:

File through Bruce Hellebuye

FROM:

Malia Brock Mb

SUBJECT: Asotin Telephone Company, Advice No. 121

Deletes the Interexchange Receiving Service and Joint User Service

from the tariff.

I have reviewed this filing and recommend that an acknowledgement letter be sent. The filing went into effect on September 21, 2016, and was filed on September 20, 2014. The company proposes to delete the Interexchange Receiving Service (Enterprise Service) and Joint User Service from the tariff. The company states that these services currently have no customers subscribing to them.

Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 860-032-0020 (8) permits a telecommunications utility to abandon a regulated service for which there are no current customers by filing a tariff change which deletes the regulated service. The filing must clearly and explicitly disclose which regulated service the utility proposes to abandon.

The filing complies with Oregon Revised Statutes (ORS) 759.175, which requires telecommunications utilities to submit tariff filings to the Commission whenever a telecommunications utility intends to change its rates, terms, or conditions of service. Under ORS 759.040, the company can make tariff filings effective upon notice to the Commission.

I find that this filing meets the requirements of the Commission's rules and Oregon statutes.

This filing would have no effect on annual revenues.

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