

**PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON  
INTEROFFICE CORRESPONDENCE**

**DATE:** June 21, 2023

**TO:** File through Bryan Conway

**FROM:** Laurel Anderson

**SUBJECT:** **Canby Telephone Association, Docket No. ADV 1512/Advice No. 26  
Revises tariff PUC Or. No. 3 Access Services as required by FCC Order  
No. 20-143.**

I have reviewed this filing and recommend that an acknowledgement letter be sent. The filing was submitted on May 25, 2023, and will go into effect on July 1, 2023.

This filing includes tariff revisions for the following seven (7) companies:

- Canby Telephone Association
- Clear Creek Mutual Telephone Company
- Eagle Telephone System, Inc.
- Molalla Communications Company
- Mt. Angel Telephone Company
- Nehalem Telecommunications, Inc.
- Scio Mutual Telephone Association

This filing revises Canby Telephone Association's Tariff PUC Or. No 3, Access Services, as required by FCC Order No. 20-143; Part 51 – Interconnection; Subpart M – 8YY Transition; §51.909 Transition of rate-of-return carrier access charges; Step 4. Step 4 requires interstate and intrastate originating End Office Access Service Step 4 requires interstate and intrastate originating End Office Access Service rate elements for Toll Free Calls to be reduced to bill-and-keep (i.e., reduced to zero) as set forth in paragraph (o)(1) of 47 CFR §51.909. The seven companies propose a reduction to the required rate level.

Additionally, Federal Communication Commission (“FCC”) rules require National Exchange Carrier Association (“NECA”) member companies to adjust their capped interstate switched access rates for July 1, 2023. NECA has informed its member companies that pool election changes for the upcoming tariff year will increase rates by 0.4225 percent. On June 16, 2023, NECA will file modified rates for interstate access rates with the FCC. This filing adjusts the terminating intrastate access rates to maintain parity with interstate rates in accordance with federal rules.

The state terminating switched access rate changes match the CAF ICC Intrastate Tariff Rate Plan (TRP), which are proposed for July 1, 2023.

Other than noted above, this filing will not increase any rate or charge, cause the withdrawal of service, or conflict with other schedules.

It is requested that this filing become effective July 1, 2023.