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Public Utility Commission of Oregon  
Administrative Hearing Division

RE: ARB – 577 Amendment of Negotiated Wireless Traffic Exchange Agreement  
between Asotin Telephone Company d/b/a TDS Telecom and Verizon Wireless

Dear Sir/Madam:

TDS Telecommunications Corporation (TDS) as an agent for Asotin Telephone Company d/b/a TDS Telecom has entered into a voluntary wireless traffic exchange agreement with Verizon Wireless. The purpose of the amendment is to add the recently acquired Rural Cellular markets to the existing agreement. All other terms and conditions remain unchanged. Three (3) copies of the amendment have been enclosed for filing with this Commission along with a copy of the completed checklist. This filing was made electronically on July 27, 2009. A copy of the automatic response is also included to the hard copy of this filing.

TDS respectfully requests approval of this amendment as filed.

If you have questions regarding this filing, please contact Linda Lowrance of TDS at (865)671-4758 or myself at (503)656-8399. Thank you in advance for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Gail M. Long  
Manager, State Government Affairs

Enclosures: 5

Cc: Linda Lowrance – TDS Telecom  
Mary Bacigalupi - Verizon Wireless

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**CARRIER-TO-CARRIER AGREEMENT CHECKLIST** Public Utility Commission of Oregon  
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INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete all applicable parts of this form and submit it with related materials when filing a carrier-to-carrier agreement pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 252 and OAR 860-016-0000 et al. The Commission will utilize the information contained in this form to determine how to process the filing. Unless you request otherwise in writing, the Commission will serve all documents related to the review of this agreement electronically to the e-mail addresses listed below.

**1. PARTIES**

	<i>Competitive Carrier</i>	<i>Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier</i>
Name of Party:	Verizon Wireless	Asotin Telephone Company d/b/a TDS Telecom
Contact for Processing Questions:		
Name:	Mary Bacigalupi	Linda Lowrance
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**2. TYPE OF FILING** NOTE: Parties making multiple requests (such as seeking to adopt a previously approved agreement and Commission approval of new negotiated amendments to that agreement) should submit a separate checklist for each requested action.

Adoption: Adopts existing carrier-to-carrier agreement approved by the Commission.

- Docket ARB
- Parties to prior agreement &

New Agreement: Seeks approval of new negotiated agreement.

Does adoption or agreement replace an existing agreement between the parties?

- NO
- YES, Docket ARB

Amendment: Amends an existing carrier-to-carrier agreement.

Docket ARB 577

**Amendment No. 1 to Wireless Interconnection Agreement  
OREGON**

This Amendment No. 1 to the Wireless Interconnection Agreement (“Agreement”) entered into on the fifteenth day of March 2002, by and between TDS Telecommunications Corporation as agent for Home Telephone Company, Inc. and Asotin Telephone Company, each of which is an Oregon corporation and Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier, (“TDS TELECOM”) and Celco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless on behalf of the FCC CMRS licenses listed on Appendix B of the Agreement (“VZW”), referred to individually as “Party” and collectively as “Parties”, is entered into this twelfth day of December 2008.

**WHEREAS**, as provided herein, the Parties wish to amend the Agreement.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration of the mutual promises and upon the terms and conditions set forth below, the Parties agree:

**Pursuant to Section Appendix B, FCC and CMRS Licensees and Markets**, the following Licensed Entities are added:

TLA Spectrum, LLC  
RCC Minnesota, Inc.

The remaining terms and conditions of the Agreement shall remain in effect.


**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the authorized representatives of the Parties hereto have signed this Amendment effective as of the date and year set forth above.

**By: TDS Telecommunications Corporation (not individually but as agent for Home Telephone Company, Inc. and Asotin Telephone Company)**

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Signature Date

Printed name and Title: Katherine S. Barnekow, Director – Carrier Relations

**By: Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
Celco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
Verizon Wireless Telecom, Inc.  
TLA Spectrum, LLC  
RCC Minnesota, Inc.**

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Signature

6/29/09  
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Date

Printed name and title: Walter L. Jones, Jr. West Area Vice President – Network

Signature Page effective December 12, 2008 to Amendment of Wireless Interconnection Agreement between TDS Telecommunications Corporation (OR Cos.) and Verizon Wireless