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*Via Electronic Filing*

Jeff R. Derouen, Executive Director  
Kentucky Public Service Commission  
211 Sower Boulevard  
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

Dear Mr. Derouen:

On behalf of Ballard Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. please find the tariff pages issued to become effective on June 1, 2013. With this filing, the company is raising its local service rates to the FCC's mandated \$14.00 floor. This change is necessitated by 47 C.F.R. § 54.318(a) which imposes a reduction in High Cost Loop Support for those carriers below the rate floor.

The proposed effective date of this revision is June 1, 2013. The Company is mailing its customers a letter explaining this rate change and a copy is included as a support document to this filing.

This filing is being made electronically. Original signed pages shall be provided upon request. Should you have any questions, please call me at 770-649-1886.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Eileen M Bodamer". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Eileen M Bodamer  
Consultant to Ballard Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc.

Enclosures

Cc (electronically): Stephen Jones, Ballard Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc.