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February 27, 2009

Ms. Beth Salak
Director, Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement
Attention: Tariff Section
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

RE: TL727

Dear Ms. Salak:

Attached for filing, please find the following revised pages for the Embarq Florida, Inc. General Exchange Tariff. This filing is submitted with a proposed effective date of April 1, 2009. The Company's tariffs are available on its website at www.embarq.com/tariffs.

#### General Exchange Tariff

Section A3 Sixteenth Revised Sheet 44

Thirteenth Revised Sheet 44.1 Fourteenth Revised Sheet 47 Fourteenth Revised Sheet 49

This filing proposes to increase Residential Flat Rate and Business Flat Rate services.

Attached is a summary of the Price Cap changes.

Commission consideration and timely approval of these pages are respectfully requested. If you have questions or need additional information regarding this filing, please call Sandy Khazraee at 850-847-0173.

Sincerely,

Debia A. Levy

cc: Sandy Khazraee

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Attachments

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Category	Percent Change
Basic	1.88%
Residential - Nonbasic Exchange Access	TBD
Residential - Optional Services	TBD
Business - Nonbasic Service	TBD
Directory Assistance and Directory Listings	TBD
Other Optional Services includes: Toll Service Operator Services Transport Services	TBD
Miscellaneous Services	TBD
TOTAL	1.88%

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### BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

### D. MONTHLY EXCHANGE RATES - BASIC SERVICES

# 16. Rates and Charges

John M. Felz

Director

BY:

The rates specified herein entitle subscribers to an unlimited number of messages, unless otherwise specified to all stations bearing the designation of central office within the service exchange and additional exchanges or portions of exchanges as shown in B.2. preceding. Touch-Tone Service is included in these rates.

		Rate Groups 1	2	3	4	5	
a.	Residential, Flat Rate	\$16.40	16.40	16.40	17.00	17.00	(I)
b.	SmallTalk, Residential Only	\$12.50	13.00	13.50	14.25	15.00	
C.	Residential, Key Line	\$22.00	22.25	23.25	24.50	25.50	
d.	Residential, Rotary, Flat Rate	\$18.90	18.90	18.90	20.50	20.50	
e.	Residential, Rotary, Key Line	\$25.50	25.75	26.75	28.00	29.00	

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# D. MONTHLY EXCHANGE RATES - BASIC SERVICES (Cont'd)

16. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

		Rate Groups					
		1	2	3	4	5	
h.	Business, Flat Rate	\$24.00	25.00	27.50	29.00	31.00	(1)
i.	Business, Key Line	\$28.95	29.30	31.20	31.85	33.70	
j.	Business, Rotary, Flat Rate	\$31.75	32.30	35.30	37.65	41.30	
k.	Business, Rotary, Key Line	\$33.50	34.50	36.85	38.75	43.75	

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#### E. LOCAL EXCHANGE EXCEPTIONS (Cont'd)

- Pine Island Exchange: Useppa Island
  - a. Except as otherwise provided, the rates and regulations contained in the General Exchange Tariff apply in this exception area.
  - b. The telephone rates specified hereunder entitle the subscriber to an unlimited number of local telephone messages to all stations bearing the designation of Pine Island, Fort Myers, Fort Myers Beach, North Fort Myers, Cape Coral, North Cape Coral, and Sanibel-Captiva Islands exchanges.
  - c. A map showing the Exception Area is filed in Supplemental Section A3.
  - d. Each customer will be required to make a contribution for construction for the first five years that customer location has service. This contribution for construction will apply for service provided through the originally placed, or replaced, cable pairs which number 100.
  - e. Within this Exception Area, the following access line rates apply:

	<u>Business</u>	<u>Residence</u>	
Individual Line	\$40.00	\$17.00	
Individual Line, Rotary	47.65	20.50	
PBX Trunk	53.65		
SmallTalk		15.00	
Centrex	40.70	28.00	
Centrex, Rotary	51.65	28.25	
Key Line	41.85	34.50	
Key Line, Rotary	48.75	38.00	
Pay Telephone Service (PATS)	38.75 plus	PATS usage	
Network Access Registers (NAR) per Register	38.72		
Off Premises Extension	35.00	20.00	

f. A special trip charge of \$35 will apply in addition to the connection charges specified within this tariff.

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# E. LOCAL EXCHANGE EXCEPTIONS (Cont'd)

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- 5. Sanibel-Captiva Islands: North Captiva Island (Cont'd)
  - e. Within this Exception Area, the following access line rates apply:

	<u>Business</u>	Residence	
Individual Line	\$40.00	\$17.00	
Individual Line, Rotary	47.65	20.50	
PBX Trunk	53.65		
SmallTalk		15.00	
Centrex	40.70	28.00	
Centrex, Rotary	51.65	28.25	
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Key Line, Rotary	48.75	38.00	
Pay Telephone Service (PATS)	38.75 plus	PATS usage	
Network Access Registers (NAR) per Register	38.72		
Off Premises Extension	35.00	20.00	

- f. A special trip charge of \$35 will apply in addition to the connection charges specified within this tariff.
- g. Throughout the exception area, the rates for service not specifically shown in this section are given in the General Exchange Tariff.

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a.	Residential, Flat Rate	<b>\$16.40</b> \$15.40	<b>16.40</b> 15.40	<b>16.40</b> 15.40	17.00	17.00	(I)
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# D. MONTHLY EXCHANGE RATES - BASIC SERVICES (Cont'd)

16. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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h.	Business, Flat Rate	<b>\$24.00</b> 23.45	<b>25.00</b> 24.25	<b>27.50</b> 26.95	29.00 28.75	<b>31.00</b> 30.75	(I)
i.	Business, Key Line	\$28.95	29.30	31.20	31.85	33.70	
j.	Business, Rotary, Flat Rate	\$31.75	32.30	35.30	37.65	41.30	
k.	Business, Rotary, Key Line	\$33.50	34.50	36.85	38.75	43.75	

<sup>(</sup>O) Material formerly appearing on this sheet now appears in Section A103.

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Individual Line	\$ <b>40.00</b> 38.75	\$17.00
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