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REQUEST TO ESTABLISH DOCKET

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1. Division Name/Staff Name Communications/Strong

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4. Request for approval of tariff filing to provide employee concessions for residential service and to delete outdated language from the tariff of Quincy Telephone Company (T-930159 Filed 3/31/93)

5. Suggested Docket Mailing List (attach separate sheet if necessary)

A. Parties (Provide names of regulated companies or use abbreviation from list below if Parties should include all regulated companies in one or more industries; provide names and addresses of nonregulated companies; provide names, addresses, and affiliation (i.e., attorney, company liaison officer, or customer) of individuals.)

Quincy Telephone Company TL 718

B. Interested Persons/Companies (Provide names, complete mailing addresses, and affiliation. Use abbreviation from list below if Interested Persons should include all regulated companies in one or more industries.)

REGULATED INDUSTRIES

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Investor-Owned Electrics (EI) | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Utilities (WU)               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Electric Cooperatives (EC)    | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Exchange Telephone Cos. (LI) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Municipal Electrics (EM)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Interexchange Telephone Cos. (II)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gas Utilities (GU)            | <input type="checkbox"/> Coin-Operated Telephone Cos. (IC)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wastewater Utilities (SU)     | <input type="checkbox"/> Shared Tenant Telephone Cos. (IS)  |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> Alternate Access Vendors (IA)      |

6. Check One:

- Documentation attached.
- Documentation will be provided with recommendation.

**TDS TELECOM***Quincy  
Telephone Company*

March 31, 1993

Mr. Walter D'Haeseleer, Director  
Division of Communications  
FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
101 East Gaines Street  
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Dear Mr. D'Haeseleer:

Pursuant to Florida Statute 354.05 we are filing herewith revisions to our General Service Tariff. Following are the affected pages.

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	Second Revised Sheet 16
	First Revised Sheet 18
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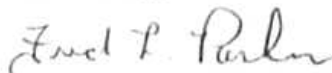
The purpose of this filing is to request authorization to provide residential concession service to all full time Company employees residing within Quincy Telephone Company's serving area. Our parent company, TDS TELECOM, has developed a standardized concession policy that Quincy Telephone would like made available to its employees.

The Company estimates that the annually recurring cost associated with the plan will be approximately \$11,000. The amount will vary depending on level of services subscribed to beyond basic residential service.

The Company is also filing revisions to a number of other sheets. The intention is to eliminate language and regulation that is no longer applicable to Quincy Telephone.

If there are any questions, please call me at (904) 875-5207.

Sincerely,



Fred L. Parker  
Associate Manager Customer Services

Attachment

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BY: ~~Lila D. Corbin, President~~

DENNIS V. GREGORY, GENERAL MANAGER

QUINCY TELEPHONE  
COMPANY

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

B. LIMITATIONS AND USE OF SERVICE (CONT'D)

10. Cancellation of Service for Cause (Cont'd)

a. Without notice (cont'd)

(3) Abuse or fraudulent use of service. Abuse or fraudulent use of service includes: (Cont'd)

(b) The obtaining, or attempting to obtain, or assisting another to obtain or to attempt to obtain, long distance message telephone service, by rearranging, tampering with, or making connection with any facilities of the Company, or by any trick, scheme, false representation, or false credit device, or by or through any other fraudulent means or device whatsoever, with intent to avoid the payment, in whole or in part, of the regular charge for such service;

The use of the service in such a manner as to interfere unreasonably with the use of the service by one or more other customers.

b. With notice in writing

(1) Failure of a subscriber to make suitable deposit as required by this tariff.

(2) Impersonation of another with fraudulent intent.

(3) RESERVED FOR FUTURE USE  
~~Listening in on party line conversations~~

(4) Nonpayment of any sum due for exchange, long distance or other services, except that the following shall not constitute sufficient cause:

(a) Delinquency in payment for service by a previous occupant of the premises, unless the current applicant or customer occupied the premises at the time the delinquency occurred and the previous customer continues to occupy the premises and shall benefit from each current service.

(b) Delinquency in payment for service by a present occupant who was delinquent at another address and subsequently joined the household of the subscriber in good standing.

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

C. ESTABLISHMENT AND FURNISHING OF SERVICE (CONT'D)

2. Flat- and Message-Rate Service (Cont'd)

premises to the same subscriber, or in the same room to the same subscriber or to a group of different subscribers, except that this does not apply to hotel and hospital premises where flat-rate service may be furnished for the exclusive use of the hotel or hospital management or may be contracted for separately by guests or patients in addition to the message service ordinarily provided in guests' or patients' rooms and lobbies; nor to premises where semipublic or public telephones may properly be located; nor to nonadministrative lines connected to secretarial service facilities and not furnished with outward service.

3. ~~Party Line Service~~ RESERVED FOR FUTURE USE

~~When party line service is furnished to a subscriber, the Company may in consideration of the rate at which service is furnished, establish and furnish service to 1 other subscriber in the case of 2-party line service, and to 3 other subscribers in the case of 4-party line service. The Company reserves the right to cancel any party line service, upon 30 days' notice, whenever in the judgment of the Company, the use of the subscriber is such, from large use or other causes, as to interfere with reasonable use of others connected with the same line.~~

4. Application for Service

- a. Any applicant for service may be required to sign an application form requesting the Company to furnish the service in accordance with rates, charges, rules and regulations from time-to-time in force and effect.
- b. The Company reserves the right to refuse service to any applicant who is found to be indebted to the Company for service previously furnished until satisfactory arrangements have been made for the payment of all such indebtedness, except that conditions specified in B.10.b.(4) (a) thru (f) of this section do not constitute sufficient cause for refusal of service to applicant or customer. The Company may also refuse to furnish

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## GENERAL REGULATIONS

## C. ESTABLISHMENT AND FURNISHING OF SERVICE (Cont'd)

## 15. Suspension of Business and Residence Service (Vacation Service) (C)

## a. General

- (1) Upon request, a subscriber to business or residence service may arrange for the temporary suspension of such service, except when subject to initial service period.
  - (a) For residence service the suspension is not applicable for periods less than two months nor for more than eight months in a calendar year.
  - (b) For business service the suspension is not applicable for periods less than one month nor more than six months in a calendar year.
- (2) Local or long distance service is not furnished during the period of suspension. At the request of the subscriber, inward calls to a station at which service is suspended may be referred to the call number of another station in the same or a distant exchange.
- (3) The charge for the total suspension period may be collected in advance.
- (4) There is no reduction in the charge for foreign central office line mileage and foreign exchange line mileage during the period of suspension.
- (5) No allowance is made in the charges for additional listings ~~or joint user service except when the service under the main contract is temporarily suspended.~~ (D)  
(D)
- (6) Whenever the period of disconnection is less than the minimum period, the charge levied by the Company will not exceed the regular rate for the service.

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DANIEL V GREGORY, GENERAL MANAGER

QUINCY TELEPHONE COMPANY

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

C. ESTABLISHMENT AND FURNISHING OF SERVICE (Cont'd)

16. Termination of Service

a. Termination of Service by the Company

- (1) Violation of any of the regulations contained in this tariff on the part of the subscriber may be regarded as sufficient cause for termination of the subscriber's service.
- (2) When the service is terminated on the initiative of the Company because of violation of its regulations by the subscriber, the regulations stipulated below for termination of service at the subscriber's request apply.
- (3) The Company may refuse to furnish or continue to furnish service hereunder, if such service would be used or is used for a purpose other than that for which it is provided or when its use interferes with or impairs, or would interfere with or impair, any other service rendered to the public by the Company.

b. Termination of Service at the Subscriber's Request

Service may be terminated at any time upon reasonable notice from the subscriber to the Company. Upon such termination the subscriber shall be responsible for the payment of all charges due. This includes all charges due for the period service has been rendered plus any unexpired portion of an initial service period or applicable termination charges, or both.

17. Ringer Limitations

- a. ~~Except as provided herein, 1 ringer is provided for each station and such ringer is located at the station. If additional ringers are are desired, or if the ringer is not located at the station, such ringers will be provided as specified for in Section A14 of this tariff.~~ (C) (C) (D) +
- b. ~~The number of ringers directly connected to the line (including that furnished with the main station) is limited to four per main station in the case of~~ (D)

EXCEPT AS PROVIDED HEREIN, THE CAPABILITY TO ACTIVATE ONE RINGER IS PROVIDED FOR EACH ACCESS LINE.

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

C. ESTABLISHMENT AND FURNISHING OF SERVICE (Cont'd)

~~17. Ringer Limitations (Cont'd)~~

(D)

~~b. (Cont'd)~~

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~~individual and two-party lines, to two per main station in the case of four-party lines, and to one per main station in the case of rural lines, except that two ringers per main station can be installed on a rural line where, in the judgment of the Company, it would be appropriate and not detrimental to other service.~~

~~c. Ordinarily in connection with individual line, party line, and Gentrex station line service, a ringer is permanently connected to the line. However, at the subscriber's request, a ringer cut-off may be provided at rates applicable in Section A14 of this tariff.~~

(D)

18. RESIDENCE SERVICE FOR COMPANY EMPLOYEES  
~~Reserved for Future Use~~

(D)(N)

a. A CONCESSION OF 100 PERCENT OF THE REGULAR CHARGES FOR BASIC RESIDENCE LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE AND ASSOCIATED RESIDENCE OFFERINGS, AS OUTLINED IN THE COMPANY'S TELEPHONE CONCESSION SERVICE POLICY, WILL BE FURNISHED TO ALL EMPLOYEES RESIDING IN THE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATED SERVICE AREA. CONCESSIONS TO EMPLOYEES ARE ALLOWED AT ONE LOCATION ONLY AND THE SERVICE MUST BE LOCATED AT THE EMPLOYEE'S RESIDENCE.

(N)

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b. CONCESSIONS TO EMPLOYEES ARE NOT ALLOWED AT LOCATIONS WHERE THE SERVICE IS NOT LISTED IN THE NAME OF THE EMPLOYEE AND RESTRICTED TO THE USE OF THE EMPLOYEE AND MEMBERS OF THE IMMEDIATELY FAMILY.

(D)(N)

19. Connection with Miscellaneous Common Carriers

Application

(D)

~~a. Service is available to and from customers of miscellaneous common carriers through connecting facilities provided by the Company in accordance with the provisions following.~~

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(D)

(REGULATIONS FOR CONNECTION OF MOBILE RADIO SERVICES ARE LOCATED IN SECTION A12, INTERCONNECTION OF MOBILE SERVICES.)

(N)

(N)

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C. ESTABLISHMENT AND FURNISHING OF SERVICE (Cont'd)

~~19. Connection with Miscellaneous Common Carriers (Cont'd)~~

~~Application (Cont'd)~~ RESERVED FOR FUTURE USE

- ~~b. Subject to the availability of facilities and the reasonable requirements of the Company for its telecommunications service, the Telephone Company will, at the miscellaneous common carrier's request, extend, and physically connect its facilities with those of the miscellaneous common carrier for the purpose of interchanging intra-state traffic in connection with the miscellaneous common carrier's Domestic Public Land Mobile Radio Services (as defined in Part 21 of the FCC Rules). The point of connection with the facilities of the miscellaneous common carrier will be located within the service area of the miscellaneous common carrier base station and within the exchange boundary of the serving exchange.~~
- ~~c. The facilities provided for connection and interchange of traffic shall not be used, switched, or otherwise connected together by the miscellaneous common carrier for the provision of through calling from a landline telephone to another landline telephone, nor shall they be switched or otherwise connected together by the miscellaneous common carrier for the provision of through calling from a landline or mobile unit located in one Reliable Service Area to a landline telephone or mobile unit in another Reliable Service Area.~~
- ~~d. Specific administrative procedures, connection, and operating arrangements and charges for the facilities provided by the Company to the miscellaneous common carrier for the purpose of connection and interchanging traffic are set forth in agreements between the Company and the miscellaneous common carriers or in the tariffs of the Company as appropriate. Where the state franchise area or state authorization of the miscellaneous common carrier is different than the Reliable Service Area the terms and conditions of connection and interchange of traffic may be modified to recognize the extent of such state franchise or authorization.~~

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