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Re: essential.com, Inc.; Docket No. ~~991767-TX~~

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Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing is an original and three (3) copies of replacement pages for Sheet Numbers 2, 3, 4, 99, and 106 of essential.com's Local Exchange Tariff. These pages reflect a new flat rate pricing package for Intrastate IntraLATA Service, as well as a revised FCC End User Line Charge.

Please time stamp the extra copy of this letter, and return it to me in the provided self-addressed stamped envelope as receipt of this filing. If any questions arise or further information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact me at (617) 556-3855 or Eric Krathwohl at (617) 556-3857. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Jessica Kinney
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SECTION 3 - SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES, Continued

3.4. INTRALATA/MESSAGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE (MTS)

3.4.1. Generally

A. The Company provides two options to Customers for Intrastate IntraLATA Service: (a) a time and/or distance sensitive pricing package, as set forth in section 3.4.1.B below; or (b) a flat rate pricing package with all toll usage charged at a per minute rate, as set forth in section 3.4.1.C below.

B. Time Differentiated Option

1. The Company offers intraLATA MTS service has billing increments of six second, after an initial increment if 30 seconds. The Peak rates apply Monday – Friday, 7:00 AM – 5:59 PM. Off-Peak rates apply at all other times, including recognized holidays.

2. Rates – All Calls

	Peak First 30 Seconds	Peak Add'1 6 Seconds	Off-Peak First 30 Seconds	Off-Peak Add'1 6 Seconds
Residential customers	\$0.1050	\$0.0210	\$0.0630	\$0.0126
Business customers	\$0.1245	\$0.0249	\$0.0934	\$0.0187

C. Usage Charges—Option B
 \$.0990 per minute (all periods, all minutes)

D. Surcharges

	Residence	Business
Station Charge	\$0.25	\$0.25

SECTION 3 - SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES, Continued**3.9. FCC END USER LINE CHARGES**

3.9.1.	Residence		(N)
	Primary residence line	\$4.35	
	Each additional residence line	\$6.07	(N)
3.9.2	Business		(N)
	Single line business	\$4.35	
	Multiline business	\$8.15	(N)

3.10. PROMOTIONS

The Company may, from time to time, engage in special promotions of new or existing Service offerings of limited duration designed to attract new Customers or to increase existing Customer awareness of a particular offering. The promotional offerings are subject to the availability of the services and may be limited to a specific geographical area or to a subset of a specific market group; provided, however, all promotional offerings shall be offered in accordance with applicable Commission rules or regulations.

3.11. INDIVIDUAL CASE BASIS ("ICB") ARRANGEMENTS

Arrangements will be developed on a case-by-case basis in response to a bona fide request from a Customer or prospective Customer to develop a competitive bid for a Service offered under this Price List. Rates quoted in response to such competitive requests may be different than those specified for such services in this Price List. ICB rates will be offered to the Customer in writing and on a non-discriminatory basis.

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