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Colleen Ryan
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1200 West Washington Street
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Re: Supplemental changes to Sheet Nos. 19 and 20 of Copper Valley Telephone, Inc.'s General Exchange Tariff – Arizona to comply with Docket T-00000A-05-0380, Decision No. 67941

Dear Colleen:

Copper Valley Telephone, Inc. supplements the filing of its General Exchange Tariff – Arizona to comply with Docket T-00000A-05-0380, Decision No. 67941 regarding Lifeline and Link-Up programs. Please replace Sheet Nos. 19 and 20 of the tariff filed on August 19, 2005, with the revised Sheet Nos. 19 and 20 attached. The revised sheets include Staff's recommended language that a customer is ineligible for Lifeline and Linkup credit with Copper Valley Telephone, Inc. if another Eligible Telecommunications Carrier is providing the service.

If you have any questions, please contact me at the number above or Jeff Crockett at (602) 382-6234.

Very truly yours,

Snell & Wilmer

Marcie Montgomery

Enclosures

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EXCHANGE SERVICES (Cont'd)

H. LOW-INCOME TELEPHONE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (Effective Date: 01/01/98)

4. Lifeline Assistance - Regulations (Cont'd)

- e. Partial payments that are received from Lifeline customers will first be applied to local service charges and then to any outstanding toll charges.
- f. Verification of customer continuing eligibility shall be via statistically valid sampling performed by the Company on an annual basis. (C)
- g. Records will be maintained by the Company in accordance with Arizona Corporation Commission Decision No. 67941 and paragraphs 38 and 39 of FCC Order No. FCC 04-87.
- h. A customer is not eligible for Lifeline Assistance from the Company if he/she is currently receiving Lifeline credit for services provided by another Eligible Telecommunications Carrier. (C)

5. Lifeline Assistance - Credits

- a. The credits for Low-Income Assistance Programs are as set forth as follows:

	<u>Monthly Credit</u>
(1) Federal Subscriber Line Charge Credit	\$ 3.50
(2) Initial Federal credit to Residential Access Line	\$ 1.75

- * Credit amount will not exceed the total of the Subscriber Line Charge and the Residential Local Exchange rate.

6. Lifeline Connection Assistance (Link-Up) - General

a. Description

Link-Up reduces an eligible customer's service connection charges. All eligible customers receive a credit for half of the service connection charges up to \$30.00.

b. Regulations

- (1) The same eligibility requirements as outlined in paragraph H(4)(a) above will apply for Link-Up. (C)
- (2) This credit is only available on the installation of a single residential access line to the principal residence of the eligible customer.

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EXCHANGE SERVICES (Cont'd)

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6. Lifeline Connection Assistance (Link-Up) - General

b. Regulations (Cont'd)

(3) This credit will only apply a second or subsequent time for a principal place of residence with a different address from the previous address at which Link-Up was provided.

(4) A customer is not eligible for Lifeline Connection Assistance from the Company if he/she is currently receiving this credit for service provided by another Eligible Telecommunications Carrier. (C)

(5) A deferred Schedule for payment of the remaining service connection charges will be offered to Link-Up customers. The customer is not required to pay interest on the first \$200 of service connection charges that are deferred up to a year.

c. Lifeline Connection Assistance - Credit

The One-Time Non-Recurring credit for Lifeline Connection Assistance is equivalent to one half of all Service Connection charges or \$30.00, whichever is less.

d. Lifeline Connection Assistance - Verification Procedures (C)

The same verification procedures as outlined in paragraph H(4)(f) above will apply for Link-Up.

e. Lifeline Connection Assistance - Records

The same procedures for maintaining records as outlined in paragraph H(4)(g) above will apply for Link-Up. (C)

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