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**T-01954B-03-0023**

**RE: Citizens Utilities Rural Company, Inc.  
d/b/a Frontier Citizens Utilities Rural T-01954B – Arizona Universal Service  
Fund (AUSF)**

Dear Corporation Commissioners and Staff:

Enclosed please find an original and thirteen copies of the tariff filing for Citizens Utilities Rural Company, Inc., d/b/a Frontier Citizens Utilities Rural for review and approval.

The purpose of this filing is to revise the Arizona Universal Service Fund (AUSF) surcharges in connection with the Arizona Corporation Commission Decision No. 65472, by decreasing the contribution for the percent of toll revenue, access line per month, and trunk line per month. The revised surcharges are being filed in accordance with R14-2-1206(A).

It is respectfully requested that this tariff become effective on January 1, 2003.

An additional copy of this filing is also enclosed. Please stamp this copy received and return it in the enclosed stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Please direct any questions or notifications of action taken on this tariff filing to Curt Huttzell at (801) 924-6358, or 4 Triad Center, Suite 200, Salt Lake City, UT 84180.

Sincerely,

Curt Huttzell  
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Enclosures

TELEPHONE SERVICES TARIFF  
ARIZONA UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND

19.1 APPLICABILITY

The surcharges set forth below relate to funding the Arizona Universal Service Fund (AUSF) and are in addition to the rates and charges for access service, toll service and local service set forth in the applicable tariffs. If the Company determines it has collected its annually assessed amount prior to the end of the calendar year, it will suspend collection of these surcharges for the remainder of that year, subject to any subsequent adjustment necessitated by Arizona Corporation Commission Order.

19.2 ELEMENTS AND RATES

19.2.1 Toll Portion Element

AUSF Surcharge for intraLATA Toll:

	<u>Rate</u>	
a) Currently assessed surcharge, percent of toll revenue (See Note 1)	0.1565%	(R)

Note 1: The surcharge amounts are per R-14-2-1206A. As the Arizona Corporation Commission issues orders which increase or decrease the requirement for AUSF funding, this surcharge amount(s) will be adjusted accordingly.

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19.2 ELEMENTS AND RATES (Continued)

19.2.2 Local Portion Element

AUSF surcharge applied to each access line and trunk line on a monthly basis:

	<u>Rate</u>	
a) Currently assessed surcharge, per access line per month (See Note 1)	\$0.009119	(R)
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Note 1: The surcharge amounts are per R-14-2-1206A. As the Arizona Corporation Commission issues orders which increase or decrease the requirement for AUSF funding, this surcharge amount(s) will be adjusted accordingly.

(L) The Per trunk line per month surcharge has been relocated to the Access Service tariff.

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ACCESS SERVICE

16. Arizona Universal Service Fund

16.1 Applicability

The surcharges set forth below relate to funding the Arizona Universal Service Fund (AUSF) and are in addition to the rates and charges for access service, toll service and local service set forth in the applicable tariffs. If the Company determines it has collected its annually assessed amount prior to the end of the calendar year, it will suspend collection of these surcharges for the remainder of that year, subject to any subsequent adjustment necessitated by Arizona Corporation Commission Order.

16.2 Elements and Rates

16.2.1 Access Portion Element

AUSF surcharge applied to each trunk line on a monthly basis:

	<u>Rate</u>
a) Currently assessed surcharge, per trunk line per month (See Note 1):	\$0.091193

NOTE 1: The surcharge amounts are per R-14-2-1206A. As the Arizona Corporation Commission issues orders which increase or decrease the requirement for AUSF funding, this surcharge amount(s) will be adjusted accordingly

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