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**Re: Ionex Communications North, Inc. No. T-03864A-14-0079**

Dear Docket Control Administrator:

Pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 40-365 and 40-367 Ionex Communications North, Inc. files the following revisions to its Arizona Tariff No. 1:

- Arizona C.C. Tariff No. 1.
- Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Revised Page 2
- Check Sheet Cont. 1<sup>st</sup> Revised Page 3
- New Original Pages 12-22 in Section 5

Please call me if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Best regards,

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**LOCAL EXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS TARIFF**

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5.6 Remote Call Forward

1. Remote Call Forwarding (RCF) is a service whereby a call placed from a station (the originating station) to a customer's (the RCF customer) telephone number (call forwarding location) is automatically forwarded by Company central office equipment to another station designated by the RCF customer (terminating station).

2. Limitations

- (a) Remote Call Forwarding service is offered subject to availability of suitable facilities.
- (b) RCF is not offered where the terminating number is a coin or coinless pay telephone.
- (c) The Company does not guarantee identification of the originating telephone number to the Remote Call Forwarding customer.
- (d) Transmission quality may vary depending on the distance and routing necessary to complete a call. Since RCF service "tandems" two calls into one call, normal transmission quality is not assured for calls forwarded via RCF. Nonetheless, the resulting transmission performance will generally meet the RCF customer's voice-grade needs. Service arrangements which tandem more than two calls into one are more likely to result in unacceptable transmission quality; therefore, the Company will not knowingly forward calls via RCF to another telecommunications service arranged for permanent call forwarding. This policy can be administered only at the time RCF is ordered, and applies only in the forwarding direction. The services to which RCF calls are forwarded are provided independent of the RCF service and may not be within the Company's jurisdiction. Further, such services can be changed subsequent to the provision of an RCF service. Consequently, it is impractical to assure that such increased tandem forwarding never occurs. Where the Company is aware of such a service configuration, it reserves the right to modify such arrangements. Modifications may include, but are not limited to, changing the associated forwarded to number or termination of the RCF service. The RCF customer will be responsible for normal tariff charges for such changes.

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5.6 Remote Call Forward(continued)

- (e) Remote Call Forwarding is not suitable for satisfactory transmission of data.
- (f) RCF is provided on the condition that the customer subscribe to sufficient RCF features and facilities to adequately handle calls to the RCF customer without interfering with or impairing any services offered by the Company. If in the opinion of the Company, additional Remote Call Forwarding features at the call forwarding location or facilities at the terminating station line are needed, the customer will, where appropriate, be required to subscribe to such additional RCF features and facilities. In the event the customer refuses to subscribe to such additional RCF features and facilities, said customer's RCF service shall be subject to termination.
- (g) When the Call Forwarding number is to be located in a multi-office exchange, the Company will determine the serving central office.
- (h) Remote Call Forwarding will be provided for local calling where the RCF telephone number and the terminating station are both located in the same exchange. Further, Remote Call Forwarding will be provided for local calling on an interexchange basis in those instances where the exchange serving the RCF telephone number and the exchange serving the terminating station have the identical local calling area within the same county, or are within an Extended Area Service arrangement as specified in this Tariff. All other calls will be sent-paid (1+) only.
- (i) Where a business directory listing is provided for the RCF number, calls will not be forwarded to a Company-provided telephone service for which residential rates apply.
- (j) Where calls are to be forwarded to telephone service other than that of the RCF subscriber, it shall be the responsibility of the RCF subscriber to obtain permission for such forwarding from the subscriber to the other service and to determine a mutually acceptable number of access paths. Where the other subscriber contests such forwarding or the number of access paths, the Company reserves the right to modify the RCF service to the extent necessary to eliminate the other subscriber's complaint. The RCF subscriber shall be responsible for the tariffed charges for any resulting rearrangement of the RCF service.

3. Minimum Contract Period

The minimum contract period for this service is one month.

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5.6 Remote Call Forward(continued)

4.Charges

The following charges are for the Remote Call Forwarding feature and additional access facilities only and are in addition to applicable charges for service and equipment with which it is used.

Monthly Rate

(a)Per feature arranged for other than local calling	\$30.00
(b)Per feature arranged for local calling	\$30.00
(c) Per additional access facility	\$30.00

5. Message Charges

(a) The message charges applicable to remotely forwarded calls shall be comprised of two separate charges: (1) a charge for that portion of the call from the originating station to the call forwarding location, and (2) a charge for that portion of the call from the call forwarding location to the terminating station. The respective charge for each such portion shall be as follows:

Between the originating station and all forwarding locations.

The charge for this portion of a remotely forwarded call shall be the charge specified in this or any other applicable Tariff for the type of call involved.

Between the call forwarding location and the terminating station. The Remote Call Forwarding customer is responsible for the applicable charges specified in this or any other applicable Tariff for other than seven- or ten-digit local calling. These charges apply to all calls answered at the terminating station, including person-to-person and collect calls, even though such calls might not be accepted at the answering location.

No message charges apply for seven- or ten-digit local calling.

6. Remote Call Forward Additional Path \$30.00/each

Additional paths may be provided to handle multiple calls to the Remote Call Forwarding number as long as there are at least an equal number of lines at the terminating end.

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**SECTION 5 - LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE, (CONT'D.)**

**5.7 Covista Communications**

The following products of Covista Communications are obsolete or grandfathered. In addition, their name has changed to a current Birch product as outlined below.

A. BirchNet Value Line

- 1Phone basic monthly
- 1phone Unlimited local
- 1phone unlimited local and domestic ld

**5.8 Ernest Communications**

The following products of Ernest are obsolete or grandfathered. In addition, their name has changed to a current Birch product as outlined below.

A. Remote Call Forward or Remote Call Forward Additional Path

- Remote Call Forward-QAZ-Addl Path-30.00
- Remote Call Forward-QAZ-30.00
- Remote Call Forward-Rsale-QAZ-30.00
- Remote Call Forward-Spc

B. BirchLink T PRI

- Mo Svc-Bus-PRI Voice-399.00

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5.8 Ernest Communications (continued)

C. BirchNet Basic Plus (continued)

DesertMtn-Flat-29.95	RHF-31AZ-EZPI-Z1-QAZ-49.95
Design W/Rch-BI-2b-19.18	RideNow-Flat-QAZ-22.95
Digitell-EZPI-Z1-AZ-23.95	RSigler-BI-2b-19.06
Dolan-BI-2a-25.42	Securus-EZ-Z2-QAZ-26.20
Dussin-BI-2a-17.33	Sm Bus-Z1-Pae-QAZ-19.95
Empire-Flat-27.61	Sm Bus-Z1-QAZ-22.95
EZPI-Z1-AZ-38.95	Sm Bus-Z2-QAZ-29.95
EZ-Z1-AZ-33.95	Sm Bus-Z3-QAZ-59.95
EZ-Z2-AZ-33.95	Smalley-EZPI-OnNet-35.97
Ferrell Gas-BI-2b-34.29	SteinMart-Flat-25.45
FleetPride-Flat-30.20	Sterling-Flat-28.84
Fox&Hnd-BI-2d-25.91	TrueReligion-Flat-27.24
Fuddruckers-On Net-30.95	TSR-QAZ-Flat-22.95
FurnRow-BI-2b-24.71	TX Rdhse-BI-2b-25.99
GrtClps-EZ-Z1-AZ-33.95	Under Armour-On Net-34.49
HalfPrcBks-Flat-27.96	Velocity-Flat-32.99
HCR-Flat-23.74	YES Comm-On Net-34.99
HealthyAdvice-EZPI-QAZ-34.95	Zales-EZPI-Z1-AZ-27.39
Inf-EZ-Z1-QAZ-38.95	Zales-EZPI-Z2-AZ-27.39
Internap-BI-2b-23.59	ZCanceled-AZ- 28.50

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**5.9 Lightyear Communications**

The following products of Lightyear are obsolete or grandfathered. In addition, their name has changed to a current Birch product as outlined below.

A. BirchNet Basic Plus

BIZValue Commercial

B. BirchLink T 1 PRI

LY BIZ Local PRI

C. BirchLink T 1 Integrated (Complete)

DT-1 Equip Upgrade

DT1-23line\_7200 min

Dynamic T-1 Loop A Monthly

Loop A Monthly Charge

New DT-1 23 lines

New Dynamic T-1 4 lines

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SECTION 5 - LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE, (CONT'D.)

5.10 BirchLink T1 Services

A. Regulations

The 12-month, 24-month and 36-month term agreements are available for Services. Month-to-month service is not available. Early terminations will result in charge of \$100 x months remaining. (Per Location)

All Birch Long Distance term offers are available in conjunction with these services.

The standard allowance of 5000 long distance minutes to locations within the contiguous United States and any optional Long Distance Bundles purchased include:

- Inbound and outbound long distance calls made to locations within the contiguous United States
- 8XX Toll Free Service

Long distance usage beyond the allowance and any purchased bundle is billed at \$0.049 minute and at \$0.069 for 8XX toll-free calls.

Birchlink T1 services do not include calling cards, international calling, calls to AK, HI, PR, and USVI other US Territories, or Canada, directory assistance calling, or voice mail. These services are provided pursuant to other Company tariffs or tariff equivalents. Birchlink T1 services are not available to telemarketing firms, Internet Service Providers (ISPs) or call center operations, and are only available in select CLLIs

End users may or may not choose Company IntraLATA and InterLATA long distance service. If end users utilize other long distance options there will be no price change.

All charges are inclusive of regulatory and special fees. Additional Local, State, Federal & usage-based taxes will apply in accordance with regulatory requirements.

May not be available in all service areas, limited to facility availability.

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5.10 BirchLink T1 Services (continued)

B. Products

1 BirchLink T1 Complete

The Birchlink T1 Complete option offers up to 24 voice lines with symmetrical data speeds burstable to 1.544 Mbps with the data speed available depending upon voice utilization of the T1 circuit bandwidth. The Complete option also offers a number of additional features inclusive within the basic rates:

- Long distance usage allowance of 5000 minutes per billing cycle for calls m to locations within the contiguous United States.
- Unlimited IntraLATA long distance calling
- Voice Features:

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|--|------------------------------|
| Call Waiting                               | Call Forwarding              |
| Three-Way Calling                          | Speed Calling                |
| Distinctive Ringing Service                | Call Forwarding Busy Line    |
| Hunting                                    | Call Forwarding Don't Answer |
| Remote Access - Call Forwarding Variable   | Call Return                  |
| Selective Class of Call Screening          | Call Tracing                 |
| Repeat Dialing                             | Preferred Call Forwarding    |
| Call Block                                 | Anonymous Call Rejection     |
| Call Selector                              | Enhanced Caller ID           |
| Caller ID                                  | Message Waiting Indication   |
| Calling number delivery blocking, per line | Caller ID Deluxe             |
| Call Transfer Disconnect                   |                              |

2. BirchLink T1 PRI

The Birchlink T1 PRI offers the following inclusive features:

- Up to 23 ISDN B-Channels for Voice with D-channel for signaling
- 20 Direct Inward Dialing (DID) Numbers
- Caller name and number presentation
- Direct cable connection from phone system
- Unlimited IntraLATA long distance calling
- Long distance usage allowance of 5000 minutes per billing cycle to locati within the contiguous United States.

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5.10 BirchLink T1 Services (continued)

C. Non-Recurring Charges

1. New Install

The length of the term agreement signed by the customer will determine the total non-recurring charge required for install:

12-Month Term Agreement = \$600  
24-Month Term Agreement = \$300  
36-Month Term Agreement = \$0

2. Service Order Charges

Service Order Charges apply for changes in service and for additions to service. Service Order Charges are in addition to all other applicable nonrecurring charges identified in this tariff.

Charge	Price
Feature Add or Change	\$10.00 per Order
Basic Service Change	\$10.00 per Order
Establishing or Re-arranging Hunting	\$10.00 per Order
Directory Listing Change	\$10.00 per Order
Invoice Change	\$60.00 per Order
Transfer of Service	\$60.00 per Order
TN Change	\$25.00 per Order
Line Signaling Change	\$25.00 per Order
Vanity Number Search	\$25.00 per Order
Establishing Dual Service	\$60.00 per Order
Expedite Service Charge (T1 Circuits)	\$595.00 per Day per Circuit

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5.10 BirchLink T1 Services (continued)

D. Non-Recurring Charges (continued)

3. Maintenance Visit Charges

Maintenance Visit Charges apply when the Company dispatches personnel to a Customer's premises to perform work necessary for installing new service, effect changes in service or resolving troubles reported by the Customer when the trouble is found to be caused by the Customer's facilities.

Maintenance Visit Charges will be credited to the Customer's account in the event trouble is not found in the Company facilities, but the trouble is later determined to be in those facilities. The time period for which the Maintenance Visit Charges is applied will commence when Company personnel are dispatched at the Customer premises and end when work is completed. The rates for Maintenance of Service, therefore, vary by time per Customer request.

Premise Work Charge	\$139.00
Initial Hour (time & materials)	\$165.00
Trouble Determination (per request)	\$110.00
Each Additional 30 minute increment	\$ 60.00
Each Additional Jack & Wiring (existing customer)	\$ 65.00

4. Monthly Recurring Charges

BirchLink T1 Complete	\$625.00
BirchLink T1 Complete Lines	\$ 10.00 per line
BirchLink T1PRI	\$450.00

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