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*Re: Advice Letter—Manti Telephone Company  
Docket No. 14-046-T01*

To the Commission:

In accordance with R746-405 of the Public Service Commission's Rules, Manti Telephone Company ("Manti") hereby files the original and two (2) copies of the following Revised Tariff Sheets of Manti's P.S.C.Utah No. 4 Concurrence in the Access Tariff of Direct Communications Cedar Valley, LLC on file with the Commission:

1. 2<sup>nd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 190.4, replacing 1<sup>st</sup> Revised Sheet No. 190.4; and
2. 2<sup>nd</sup> Revised Sheet No. 190.6, replacing 1<sup>st</sup> Revised Sheet No. 190.6.

This filing makes the following changes:

1. **Increases Manti's Tandem Switched Facility Per Access Minute Per Mile Terminating Rate from \$0.000418 to \$0.000424.** This is necessary because the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) expects the inter- and intra-state rates to be at parity, and interstate rates have recently risen slightly as companies have exited the NECA pool. The FCC directives state that intrastate rates may be raised to achieve parity if interstate rates go up after companies exit the NECA pool.
2. **Increase the Tandem Switched Termination Per Access Minute Per Termination rate from \$0.002171 to \$0.002202.** This is necessary because the FCC expects the inter- and intra-state rates to be at parity, and interstate rates have recently risen slightly as companies have exited the NECA pool. The FCC directives state that

intrastate rates may be raised to achieve parity if interstate rates go up after companies exit the NECA pool.

3. **Decreasing the Switched Access Service Local Switching-LTR-Intrastate Terminating Per Access Minute Rate from \$0.023322 to \$0.01778300.** This is necessary because the FCC expects the inter- and intra-state rates to be at parity and the intrastate local switching rate was above the interstate rate.
4. **Decreasing the Switched Access Service Local Switching-LTR-Intrastate Information Surcharge Terminating Per 100 Access Minutes from \$0.0513 to \$0.0000.** This change is necessary because NECA has chosen to combine the Terminating Information Rate with the Local Switching Rate, but NECA recommends that the Terminating Information Rate published in the tariff be set at \$0.0000 rather than being removed.

These changes are required by the FCC's November 18, 2011 Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in WC Docket Nos. 10-90, etc. ("FCC Transformation Order"), and should be effective July 1, 2014.

Manti requests an effective date for this filing of July 1, 2014. If you have any questions concerning the above, please contact me at your convenience.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosures

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