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TO: PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

FROM: DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

Chris Parker, Director
Bill Duncan, Manager, Telecommunications and Water
Paul M. Anderson, Utility Technical Consultant

Re: Utah Docket No. 15-2419-T01, TARIFF: Direct Communications Cedar Valley, LLC (“DCCV”) filing to add wording to clarify developer liability when they provide trenches for company use.

ISSUE:

On March 9, 2015 DCCV submitted a filing changing wording to further clarify trenching liability in the Construction Charges section of their local Tariff P.S.C. Utah No. 1 and to correct a typographical error.

On page 85 DCCV is proposing changes with respect to charges to real estate subdivision developers which allow DCCV to recover repair and replacement costs from developers where cable facilities and ductwork installed in developer-prepared trenches by DCCV are determined to have been damaged or become unusable prior to being put into service.

On page 87 DCCV is changing the word “SAYING” to “SAVING.”

RECOMMENDATION: Approve tariff filing.

The DPU reviewed this filing and has no objection to DCCV updating language in its local tariff to clarify developer liability, since this type of change does not affect basic rates and does not require a rate hearing. The Division therefore recommends it become effective March 20, 2015 as requested.

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