

**RE: UUSF surcharge increase**

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Cc: PublicService Commission <psc@utah.gov>

Mon, Dec 4

It is very difficult to be in compliance without some time between a final determination and the start of the collection period. I understand that the proposed change was published on October 15, 2023, and may change prior to a final decision. Ideally, and typically, we are given at least 30 days from when a change occurs before a new fee is required to be collected.

Is it safe to assume the surcharge will be set at the new rate of 71 cents at some point between December 15th and December 29th? If so, we can go ahead and turn on the new rate now and for January 1, 2024.

Please let me know when you have a chance.

Thank you,

Carlos

From: John Delaney <jdelaney@utah.gov>
Sent: Monday, December 4, 2023 1:29 PM
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Mr. Anguiano,

The proposed rule was published on October 15, 2023, and depending on what the PSC learns from public comment, we anticipate making a final determination between the close of the public comment period and Friday, December 29, 2023.

Thank you,

John Delaney

On Mon, Dec 4, 2023 at 2:20 PM ANGUIANO, CARLOS <ca860v@att.com> wrote:

We will need some time to ensure compliance with the new rate. Do you know when the PSC will make a final determination on the proposed increase surcharge?

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Mr. Anguiano,

Yes, if the PSC decides to move forward with the amended rule's increase after the close of the public comment period, the compliance period begins January 1, 2024, and will thus include the period from January 1, 2024, through the end of the year.

Thank you,

John Delaney

ANGUIANO, CARLOS <ca860v@att.com>

to me

Hello,

I've read through the proposed UUSF surcharge increase notice - [329895NtcPrpsdRuleAmndmnt9-19-2023.pdf \(utah.gov\)](#). The notice states that public comment is due by December 15, 2023, but also states that the rule change may become effective on December 29th. We're trying to ensure compliance with the proposed surcharge increase, but the turnaround time is very quick.

If the Public Service Commission decides to move forward with the surcharge increase after the public comment period on the 15th, will telecommunications companies be expected to remit the new 71 cent surcharge for the month of January?

Please let me know as soon as you can so that we can properly comply with any potential change.

Thank you,

Carlos Anguiano

Tax Director, ETP

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