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TO: PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

FROM: DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES
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SUBJECT: Direct Communications Cedar Valley, LLC
Docket No. 08-02419-T02
Dated October 10, 2008

RECOMMENDATION: approve

The Division recommends that the Commission approve this tariff filing.

ISSUE:

The purpose of this filing is to introduce a new service called Emergency Line Service, which will be available to residential customers. This service will be marketed as an option for those customers without a line from Direct Communications as an option to keep access to 911 services in emergencies.

BACKGROUND:

This filing does not result in the increase of any rate presently being charged to a customer of Direct Communications Cedar Valley, LLC and falls within the provision of *Utah Code* § 54-7-12(4), as amended and, therefore, could become effective without the necessity of a hearing before the Commission. Direct will offer this service to customers who do not have land-line phone service from Direct. This service will allow Direct to offer the option of having the line still active for emergency purposes only.

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