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TO: PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

FROM: DIVISION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

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Re: Telephone Exchange Maps for Navajo Communications Company for Halchita, Montezuma Creek and Monument Valley, Docket No 09-050-T05

ISSUE:

Pursuant to Commission rules R746-340-2 (E)(1)(2), and R746-405-2 and, Public Utilities Statutes 54-7-8 and 54-7-12 (6)(d), the Division of Public Utilities (DPU) petitioned the Public Service Commission (PSC) to initiate a review of various telecommunications service providers' tariffs and exchange maps to bring them into compliance with Commission rules. The PSC issued Docket No. 08-050-01 on October 22, 2008 for review of the Navajo Company's tariffs and exchange maps. This filing of exchange maps by Navajo is in response to the Commission's docket.

RECOMMENDATION: Approve new tariff maps.

BACKGROUND:

The DPU has worked with Navajo Communications Company to review its tariff and develop its exchange maps. Navajo considers its tariff up-to-date, but recognizes the need for exchange service maps that should be filed with the Commission. These maps were developed by Navajo and reviewed by the DPU which now recommends their approval.

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