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June 21, 2017

Ms. Irene Asbury, Secretary  
New Jersey Board of Public Utilities  
44 South Clinton Avenue  
Trenton, NJ 08625-0350



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RE: First Communications, LLC, Tariff Advice Letter No. 14, 2017 FCC USF/ICC Transformation Order/47 C.F.R. §51.911(c) Terminating Access Rate Reduction

Dear Secretary Asbury:

First Communications, LLC submits to the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities an original and five (5) copies of amended Sheet Nos. 2 and 51 to First Communications, LLC's ("First") New Jersey switched access tariff, New Jersey Tariff No. 2, for incorporation into the Company's Tariff.

With this amendment, First complies with Sections 51.911(c) and 61.26(c) of the Federal Communications Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. 47 C.F.R. §§51.911(c), 61.26(c) by setting its terminating intrastate end office and tandem switching and transport rates at parity with the corresponding The Verizon Telephone Companies' rates, as set forth in The Verizon Telephone Companies' Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, effective July 1, 2017 and reflected in First's New Jersey Tariff No. 2. A July 1, 2017 effective date is requested to enable the Company to comply with the above cited orders and rule.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by file-stamping the additional copy of this letter and returning it in the self-addressed stamped envelope provided for this purpose. Thank you for your attention to this matter. Questions may be directed to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

MILLER ISAR, INC.

Andrew O. Isar

Regulatory Consultants to  
First Communications, LLC

Enclosures

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 First Communications, LLC  
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SECTION 5 - SWITCHED ACCESS RATES, (Cont' d.)

5.4 Rates and Charges, (Cont'd.)

5.4.2 Terminating Access

	3 <sup>rd</sup> Party Location	Own End Office	
Tandem Transport, fixed	\$0.00	\$0.00	(R)
Tandem Transport, per mile	\$0.000002	\$0.00	
Tandem Switching	\$0.001574	\$0.0007	
Multiplexing	NA	\$0.00	
Local Switching	NA	\$0.00	(R)
Shared Trunk Port	NA	\$0.00	

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5.4.3 Toll-Free 8XX Data Base Query

Per Query \$0.0055

5.4.4 Switched Access Optional Features

*All Optional Features are offered on an Individual Case Basis (ICB).*