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Ms. Irene Kim Asbury, Secretary
New Jersey Board of Public Utilities
44 South Clinton Ave., 9th Floor
Trenton, N.J. 08625-0350

Dear Ms. Asbury:

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Enclosed please find an original and four (4) copies of the CenturyLink Communications, LLC New Jersey B.P.U. Tariff No. 3.

This filing makes the following changes to its residential long distance calling plans; increases the per minute rate for the grandfathered residential long distance calling plans "300 Minute", "Total Connect", "Choice Long Distance", "Solutions Single Rate" and "Solutions 120 w/International", removes the residential calling plan "10 Cent Flat Rate", as there are no customers and this plan will no longer be available, and, removes the duplicative monthly charge reflecting its location in the CenturyLink Rates and Services Schedule for the grandfathered residential long distance calling plans "300 Minute", "200 Plan", "Choice Long Distance", "Membership Plan", "Rollback" and "Lead Flat". Customers were notified of the increase in their July bills.

CenturyLink respectfully requests that the proposed changes outlined above become effective on August 1, 2017. If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at marla.hazlett@centurylink.com or 303-992-5838.

Respectfully submitted,

Marla Hazlett

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D. Calling Plans

The following are applicable to the services provided by CenturyLink Communications, LLC (f/k/a Qwest Communications Company, LLC)

1. 300 Minute Plan

a. General Description

The 300 Minute Plan will allow a residential customer to complete direct dialed calls between any two points within the state.

b. Terms and Conditions

- (1) This plan is provisioned in conjunction with the interstate 300 Minute Plan under which the Company provides interstate long distance usage. All other terms and conditions and customer eligibility under this plan are specified in the Company Rates and Services Schedules.
- (2) Calling Card Service and Home 800 Service are available to residence customers subscribing to this plan.
- (3) Residential plans are available to all residential customers who have no more than five lines at a single location.
- (4) Calling plans are available on a full-time basis, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.
- (5) The 300 Minute Plan is only available on an intrastate basis when the customer has subscribed to the interstate 300 Minute Plan for residential customers.
- (6) Calls made using the 300 Minute Plan are billed in full minute increments.
- (7) The 300 Minute Plan is only available to customers subscribing to local service from a carrier other than CenturyLink.

c. Rates and Charges

	INTERLATA	INTRALATA
• Over 300 Minutes Each Month		
- Per Minute	\$0.10 (I)	\$0.10 (I)

The intrastate monthly charge is located in the Company's Rates and Services Schedules.

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D. Calling Plans (Cont'd)

5. CenturyLink 200 Plan

a. General Description

The intrastate CenturyLink 200-minute Calling Plan is a 1+ dialed long distance plan designed for residential customers. 200 combined interstate and/or intrastate minutes are included each month. Intrastate long distance minutes-of-use over the combined 200 minutes is priced as shown.

b. Terms and Conditions

- (1) This plan is provided in conjunction with the interstate CenturyLink 200 Plan.
- (2) Carryover of minutes from month-to-month is not allowed. Unused minutes will be forfeited.

c. Rates and Charges

The per minute usage rates are as follows:

	INTERLATA RATE	INTRALATA RATE
• All Time Periods		
- Per Minute	\$0.10	\$0.10

The intrastate monthly charge is located in the Company's Rates and Services Schedules.

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 - 6. CenturyLink Choice Long Distance – Residence
 - b. Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)

(5) The customer must comply with all of the use restrictions and limitations of the plan, and the Company may monitor the customer’s usage to ensure that the customer’s use is consistent with the applicable restriction for residential use only (no business use). If the Company has any reason to believe that the customer’s usage is not consistent with the applicable restrictions, or if the customer’s use exceeds 5,000 minutes in any month, the customers must clearly demonstrate that the use is consistent with the restrictions and limitations of the plan, and if the customer fails to do so, then the Company may terminate the customer’s plan upon notice, and the customer must select another usage sensitive plan.

- c. Rates and Charges

	INTERLATA	INTRALATA
• Per Minute Rate, up to maximum monthly charge	\$0.10 (I)	\$0.10 (I)
• Usage above maximum monthly charge	0.00	0.00

The intrastate monthly charge is located in the Company’s Rates and Services Schedules.

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8. CenturyLink Membership Plan

a. General Description

The CenturyLink Membership Plan is a 1+ dialed long distance plan designed for residential customers only. An annual fee does apply.

b. Terms and Conditions

- (1) This plan is provided in conjunction with the interstate CenturyLink Membership Plan.
- (2) The customer is allowed multiple CenturyLink Membership plans on their account, on a per line basis.

c. Rates and Charges

The per minute usage rates are as follows:

	INTERLATA RATE	INTRALATA RATE
• All Time Periods		
- Per Minute	\$0.10	\$0.10

The intrastate monthly charge is located in the Company's Rates and Services Schedules.

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9. CenturyLink Rollback

a. General Description

The CenturyLink Rollback offering provides residential customers with a competitive per minute rate for a monthly fee.

b. Terms and Conditions

- (1) This plan is provided in conjunction with the interstate CenturyLink Rollback Plan.
- (2) Customer allowed multiple Rollback plans on an account.

c. Rates and Charges

The per minute usage rates are as follows:

	INTERLATA RATE	INTRALATA RATE
• All Time Periods		
- Per Minute	\$0.10	\$0.10

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11. Lead Flat

a. General Description

CenturyLink's intrastate Lead Flat service offering is a 1+ long distance plan designed for residence subscribers.

b. Terms and Conditions

Lead Flat is provided in conjunction with the interstate CenturyLink Lead Flat plan.

c. Rates and Charges

The per minute usage rates are as follows:

	INTERLATA RATE	INTRALATA RATE
• All Time Periods		
- Per Minute	\$0.10	\$0.10

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2. Total Connect (5KS)

a. General Description

Total Connect is a residential intrastate and interstate service. Customers who sign up for Total Connect service will receive 50 minutes of Dial-1 usage. A monthly recurring charge applies. Beginning October 14, 2002, customers enrolling in this service must choose the Company as their intrastate carrier. Any minutes of Dial-1 usage above the 50 minutes will be charged a flat per minute rate.

b. Terms and Conditions

Customers must subscribe to Total Connect for outbound Dial-1 service. The customer's account may not have more than two (2) residential phone lines associated with the customer's account, and the customer is limited to two (2) Total Connect accounts. If a customer's account has two lines, the 50 minutes of Dial-1 usage provided under this service is shared.

c. Rates and Charges

	PER MINUTE
• Usage To 50 Minutes Per Month	\$0.00
• Usage Above 50 Minutes, Per Month	0.10 (I)

The monthly recurring charge which affords customers the ability to place intrastate and interstate long distance calls is located in the Company's Interstate Rates and Services Schedules.

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10. Solutions Service – Solutions Single Rate

a. General Description

A customer who subscribes to Single Rate pays a monthly recurring charge each month for 120 minutes of interstate and/or intrastate Dial-1 usage.

b. Terms and Conditions

Any usage above the predetermined minutes will be charged a flat, non-distance sensitive per-minute rate. Unused minutes cannot be carried over to the next month.

c. Rates and Charges

PER MINUTE

Solutions 120

Usage above 120 interstate and/or
Intrastate minutes per month

\$0.10 (I)

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