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April 23, 2019  
Via Web Filing

Ms. Brinda Westbrook-Sedgwick, Commission Secretary  
Public Service Commission of District of Columbia  
1325 G ST NW  
Suite 800  
Washington, DC 20005

**RE: Business Telecom, LLC d/b/a EarthLink Business  
Revision to P.S.C – DC Tariff No. 5**

Dear Ms. Westbrook-Sedgwick:

Enclosed for filing please find the original of the above referenced tariff filing submitted on behalf of Business Telecom, LLC d/b/a EarthLink Business. The purpose of this filing is to increase certain monthly recurring charges and payphone surcharge and introduce the Administrative Services Fee. The Company respectfully requests an effective date for this filing of May 1, 2019.

The following tariff pages are included with this filing:

6 <sup>th</sup> Revised page 1	Updates check sheet
5 <sup>th</sup> Revised page 2	Updates check sheet
Original page 45.1	Introduces Administrative Services Fee
1 <sup>st</sup> Revised page 69	Increase pay telephone surcharge
5 <sup>th</sup> Revised page 86	Increase calling features monthly recurring charges
5 <sup>th</sup> Revised page 102	Increase remote call forwarding monthly recurring charges

Any questions you may have regarding this filing should be directed to my attention at 407-740-3031 or via email to Sharon Thomas (sthomas@inteserra.com). Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Sharon Thomas  
Consultant

cc: Lori Wheeler – Windstream (via Email)  
tms: DCi1901

Enclosures  
ST/rs/im

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**CHECK SHEET**

The Title Page and pages listed below of this tariff are effective as of the date shown. Revised sheets contain all changes from the original tariff that are in effect as of the date indicated.

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**SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D.)**

2.16 Public Telephone Surcharge

In order to recover the Company's expenses to comply with the FCC's pay telephone compensation plan effective on October 7, 1997 (FCC 97-371), an undiscountable per call charge is applicable to all intrastate calls that originate from any pay telephone used to access Company provided services. This surcharge, which is in addition to standard tariffed usage charges and any applicable service charges and surcharges associated with service, applies for the use of the instrument used to access Company provided service and is unrelated to the service accessed from the pay telephone.

Pay telephones include coin-operated and coinless phones owned by local telephone companies, independent companies and interexchange carriers. The Public Pay Telephone Surcharge applies to the initial completed call and any reoriginated call (e.g., using the "#" symbol). The Public Pay Telephone Surcharge does not apply to calls placed from pay telephones at which the Customer pays for service by inserting coins during the progress of the call.

Whenever possible, the Public Pay Telephone Surcharge will appear on the same invoice containing the usage charges for the surcharged call. In cases where proper pay telephone coding digits are not transmitted to the Company prior to completion of a call, the Public Pay Telephone Surcharge may be billed on a subsequent invoice after the Company has obtained information from a carrier that the originating station is an eligible pay telephone.

Surcharge	Per Call \$3.00 (I)
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**SECTION 4 - ADDITIONAL SERVICES (CONT'D.)**

4.1 Central Office, Line And Trunk Features (Cont'd.)

4.1.3 Rates and Charges for Line and/or Trunk Features

Monthly Rates and Per Usage Rates are provided in this Section.

<u>CALLING FEATURE</u>	<u>Monthly Recurring</u>	
	<u>Residential</u>	<u>Business</u>
Call Block	\$3.80	\$10.82 (I)
Call Forwarding	\$4.18	\$12.75 (I)
Call Forwarding Busy Line	\$1.90	\$4.80 (I)
Call Forwarding Busy Line and Don ' t Answer	\$1.90	\$4.80 (I)
Call Forwarding Don ' t Answer	\$1.90	\$4.80 (I)
Call Forwarding Variable	\$4.75	\$16.82 (I)
Call Waiting/Cancel Call Waiting	\$4.51	\$12.75 (I)
Caller ID Deluxe (Name and Number)	\$6.18	\$20.42 (I)
Caller ID Standard (Number Only)	\$7.13	\$22.84 (I)
Hunting	\$0.31	\$0.78 (I)
Priority Call	\$2.85	\$8.41 (I)
Remote Access to Call Forwarding	\$14.58	\$36.85 (I)
Repeat Call	\$1.90	\$6.00 (I)
Return Call	\$3.80	\$9.61 (I)
Select Forward	\$3.80	\$10.82 (I)
Special Ring (per dependent number)	\$4.28	\$15.61 (I)
Speed Dial 30	\$3.64	\$10.34 (I)
Speed Dial 8	\$1.43	\$5.78 (I)
Three Way Calling/Call Hold	\$3.80	\$10.56 (I)
Touch Tone		
- Per Line Arranged	N/C	N/C
- Per Trunk Arranged	N/C	N/C

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**SECTION 6 - REMOTE CALL FORWARDING (CONT'D.)**

6.1 Remote Call Forwarding (Cont'd.)

6.1.2 Rates

	<u>Installation Charge</u>	<u>Per Month</u>
First Arrangement Associated with a Remote Call Forwarding Number	\$10.37	\$36.70 (I)
Additional Arrangements Associated with the Same Remote Call Forwarding Number, per arrangement	N/A	\$36.70 (I)