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## NOTICE OF REQUIRED ORIGINATING SWTCHED ACCESS TARIFF FILINGS

## To: All Maryland Regulated Facilities-Based Local Exchange Carriers with Maryland Intrastate Access Tariffs

On April 6, 2020, Commission-approved revisions to COMAR 20.45.09.03, Intrastate Switched Access Rates, took effect. The revisions require that all local exchange carriers in Maryland reduce the originating switched access rate in their Maryland tariff to the equivalent originating switch access rate in their interstate tariff. Pursuant to COMAR 20.45.09.03, this letter serves notice that revised originating switched access rates must be filed for approval by the Maryland Public Service Commission by June 1, 2020, to be effective July 1, 2020.

Failure to comply with this mandate will result in your company being out of compliance with provisions of the Code of Maryland Regulations. If appropriate tariffs, consistent with state law, are not filed by the deadlines set forth in this letter, your company's ability to charge for originating intrastate access traffic may be prohibited until such time as the Commission approves the appropriate tariff revisions.

If you have any questions about these requirements, please timely contact Juan Alvarado, Director of the Telecommunications, Gas & Water Division, at (410) 767-8044 or Juan.Alvarado@Maryland.gov. Tariff filings should be addressed to Andrew Johnston, Executive Secretary, Maryland Public Service Commission, William Donald Schaefer Tower, 6 St. Paul Street, 16th Floor, Baltimore, Maryland 21202.

By Direction of the Commission,

/s/ Andrew Johnston

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