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Via Overnight Delivery

Mr. Morris Woodruff, Executive Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
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**RE: Birch Telecom of Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Birch Communications
Missouri Tariff No. 5 - Access Tariff Revision**

Dear Mr. Woodruff:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and two (2) copies of the above referenced tariff filing submitted on behalf of Birch Telecom of Missouri, Inc. d/b/a Birch Communications. This filing revises the Company's intrastate terminating rates to reference their interstate access rates. The Company respectfully requests an effective date for this filing of July 26, 2014.

The following tariff pages are included with this filing:

3rd Revised Sheet 54 Revises local switching terminating rates to reference interstate tariff

Please acknowledge receipt of this mailing by returning, date-stamped, the extra copy of this cover letter in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope which is provided for that purpose.

Any questions you may have regarding this filing should be directed to my attention at 407-740-3006 or via email to croesel@tminc.com. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Carey Roesel
Consultant to Birch Telecom of Missouri, Inc.
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SECTION 5 - SWITCHED ACCESS RATES, (CONT'D)

5.4 Rates and Charges, (Cont'd)

5.4.2 Switched Transport

	<u>Usage Charge</u>
A. Tandem Switched Transport -Terminating, per Minute	Note 1
B. Tandem Switched Transport - Facility, per Minute, per Mile	Note 1
C. Tandem Switching, per Minute	Note 1
D. Common Transport Multiplexing, per Minute	Note 1

5.4.3 End Office Switching

A. Local Switching

	<u>Service Provided via Commercial Agreement</u>		<u>Service Provided via Company Facilities</u>
	<u>Tandem Connect</u>	<u>Direct Connect</u>	<u>Tandem Connect</u>
Originating, per minute	\$0.015970	\$0.014646	\$0.015563
Terminating, per minute	Note 2 (C)	Note 2 (C)	Note 2 (C)

Note 1: All access minutes are billed at a single per minute access rate found in Section 5.4.3.A., Local Switching. This composite rate includes the elements traditionally billed as Common Transport.

Note 2: See the Company's Access Services Tariff FCC No. 1 at the following link:
<https://apps.fcc.gov/etfs/public/lecTariffs.action?idLec=444>.

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