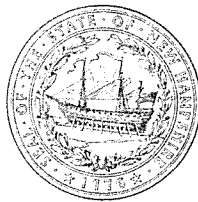


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July 30, 2013

Ryan P. Taylor  
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770 Elm Street, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor  
Manchester, NH 03101

Re: DT 13-200, Northland Telephone Company of Maine, Inc., d/b/a FairPoint Communications  
Tariff Filing to Introduce New Residential Bundles called  
Voice Advantage II

Dear Mr. Taylor:

On July 17, 2013, Northland Telephone Company of Maine, Inc., d/b/a FairPoint Communications (Northland), submitted a tariff filing to introduce new residential bundles called Voice Advantage II, that provide residential customers with the option of subscribing to service packages that provide a dial tone access line, local usage, IntraLATA toll usage and InterLATA toll usage for a single bundled rate. In addition to introducing Voice Advantage II, FairPoint is correcting its stated rate for Voice Advantage, whereby the intraLATA and interLATA rate components have been removed from the rate because they are stated in Northland's affiliated competitive toll provider's Rate Schedules. The total bundle price for Voice Advantage remains unchanged for all customers.

Staff reviewed the proposed tariff changes and, following its investigation, recommended these proposed changes be allowed to go into effect. The Commission has accepted Staff's recommendation that the proposed tariff changes be allowed to take effect.

For administrative efficiency, an order will not be issued by the Commission either suspending, rejecting, or approving the proposed tariff changes. Pursuant to RSA 378:3 and RSA 378:6, IV, the proposed tariff changes, as filed on July 17, 2013, and pursuant to Staff's recommendation, are effective as of August 16, 2013. Tariff pages should be filed referencing Docket No. DT 13-200 and reflecting the effective date of August 16, 2013.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Debra A. Howland".

Debra A. Howland  
Executive Director

cc: Docket file

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