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WILTON TELEPHONE COMPANY

Tariff Filing to Introduce Electronic Key Services

Order Rejecting Tariff Filing

O R D E R N O. 23,572

October 26, 2000

On September 26, 2000, Wilton Telephone Company filed with the New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission (Commission) revisions to its NHPUC Tariff No. 5 affecting Main Telephone Exchange Services. The filing proposes the introduction of a new class of business services to reflect new business electronic telephone systems offered to customers. The two new rate elements are for Electronic Key Digital and Electronic Key Analog service classes.

Staff notes that the company has failed to provide any accompanying information defining the nature of the services, nor has the company submitted any cost information in support of this filing. Due to the lack of information, Staff recommends denial of the tariff without prejudice. The company may re-file the tariff at a later date with appropriate supporting cost information for review by the Commission.

Based upon the foregoing, it is hereby

ORDERED, that Wilton Telephone Company's Tariff Filing is denied without prejudice.

By order of the Public Utilities Commission of New Hampshire this twenty-sixth day of October, 2000.

Douglas L. Patch
Chairman

Susan S. Geiger
Commissioner

Nancy Brockway
Commissioner

Attested by:

Thomas B. Getz
Executive Director and Secretary