

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the matter of the joint requests for Commission )  
approval of interconnection agreements and )  
amendments. )  
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At the July 24, 2018 meeting of the Michigan Public Service Commission in Lansing,  
Michigan.

PRESENT: Hon. Sally A. Talberg, Chairman  
Hon. Norman J. Saari, Commissioner  
Hon. Rachael A. Eubanks, Commissioner

**ORDER**

The following parties have filed joint applications for approval of interconnection agreements  
or amendments to an interconnection agreement:

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| Case No. U-16179 | AT&T Michigan and CBTS Technology Solutions, LLC, d/b/a Suntel Services, f/k/a Cincinnati Bell Any Distance, Inc. Application filed May 3, 2018, and amended applications filed June 12, 2018, June 15, 2018, and July 6, 2018, for approval of a third amendment to the interconnection agreement (adds terms and conditions to implement the Connect America Fund et al., WC Docket No. 10-90 et al., Report and Order, FCC 11-161, issued November 18, 2011, and FCC 11-189, amended on December 23, 2011; and changes the name of Cincinnati Bell Any Distance, Inc., to CBTS Technology Solutions, LLC, d/b/a Suntel Services). |
| Case No. U-20249 | Chatham Telephone Company and Teleport Communications America, LLC Application filed June 20, 2018, for approval of an interconnection agreement.  |

- Case No. U-20250      Communication Corporation of Michigan and Teleport Communications America, LLC  
Application filed June 20, 2018, for approval of an interconnection agreement.
- Case No. U-20251      Island Telephone Company and Teleport Communications America, LLC  
Application filed June 20, 2018, for approval of an interconnection agreement.
- Case No. U-20252      Shiawassee Telephone Company and Teleport Communications America, LLC  
Application filed June 20, 2018, for approval of an interconnection agreement.
- Case No. U-20253      Wolverine Telephone Company and Teleport Communications America, LLC  
Application filed June 20, 2018, for approval of an interconnection agreement.
- Case No. U-20254      Frontier North Inc. and Frontier Midstates Inc., and Wide Voice, LLC  
Application filed June 29, 2018, for approval of an interconnection agreement.

47 USC 252(e)(2) and (3) provides in part:

- (2) The State commission may only reject
  - (A) an agreement (or any portion thereof) adopted by negotiation under subsection (a) of this section if it finds that--
    - (i) the agreement (or portion thereof) discriminates against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement; or
    - (ii) the implementation of such agreement or portion is not consistent with the public interest, convenience, and necessity; . . .
- (3) Notwithstanding paragraph (2), but subject to section 253 of this title, nothing in this section shall prohibit a State commission from establishing or enforcing other requirements of State law in its review of an agreement, including requiring compliance with intrastate telecommunications service quality standards or requirements.

After reviewing the applications, the Commission finds that they should be approved. The Commission finds that the agreements and amendments are consistent with federal and state law and are in the public interest. Under 47 USC 252(i) and MCL 484.2359(2), the services provided

under the agreements shall be made available to other telecommunications carriers upon the same terms and conditions.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

A. The interconnection agreements and amendments listed above are approved.

B. Approval of the interconnection agreements and amendments does not alter the duty of the parties to comply with relevant federal and state law and past and future Commission orders and rules.

The Commission reserves jurisdiction and may issue further orders as necessary.

Any party aggrieved by this order may file an action in the appropriate federal District Court under 47 USC 252(e)(6). To comply with the requirement to notify the Commission of an appeal, appellants shall send required notices to both the Commission's Executive Secretary and to the Commission's Legal Counsel. Electronic notifications should be sent to the Executive Secretary at [mpscdockets@michigan.gov](mailto:mpscdockets@michigan.gov) and to the Michigan Department of the Attorney General - Public Service Division at [pungpl@michigan.gov](mailto:pungpl@michigan.gov). In lieu of electronic submissions, paper copies of such notifications may be sent to the Executive Secretary and the Attorney General - Public Service Division at 7109 W. Saginaw Hwy, Lansing, MI 48917.

MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Sally A. Talberg, Chairman

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Norman J. Saari, Commissioner

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Rachael A. Eubanks, Commissioner

By its action of July 24, 2018.

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Kavita Kale, Executive Secretary

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STATE OF MICHIGAN )

Case No. U-16179 et al

County of Ingham )

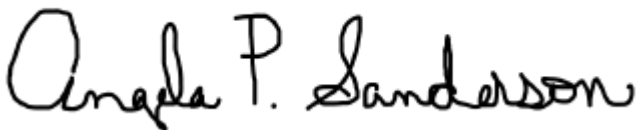
Lisa Felice being duly sworn, deposes and says that on July 24, 2018 A.D. she electronically notified the attached list of this **Commission Order via e-mail transmission**, to the persons as shown on the attached service list (Listserv Distribution List).



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Lisa Felice

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 24th day of July 2018



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Angela P. Sanderson  
Notary Public, Shiawassee County, Michigan  
As acting in Eaton County  
My Commission Expires: May 21, 2024

**Service List for Case: U-16179**

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**Service List for Case: U-20250**

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