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Advice No. 3320

Mr. David Danner, Executive Director and Secretary  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
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To whom it may concern:

Frontier Communications Northwest Inc. submits Advice No. 3320, a tariff filing in the Facilities For Intrastate Access Tariff, WN U-16, which contains proposed language in Section 2 to introduce Identification and Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic. It is important to settle the charges for this traffic as soon as possible after the December 29, 2011 effective date of the FCC's Order 11-161. In addition, given the FCC's settlement of this issue effective December 29, 2011, Frontier views these tariff changes as administrative, because they are specifically permitted by the FCC's Order. Frontier views this tariff filing as a rate decrease, because in Frontier's view the rates currently applicable to the termination of VoIP-originated intrastate interexchange traffic are Frontier's currently effective intrastate switched access charges, which are higher than the interstate access charges that will apply pursuant to the enclosed tariff sheets.

The Company requests permission to file the proposed provisions with less than statutory notice. It is important to settle the charges for this traffic as soon as possible after the December 29, 2011 effective date of the FCC's Order 11-161. In addition, given the FCC's settlement of this issue effective December 29, 2011, Frontier views these tariff changes as administrative, because they are specifically permitted by the FCC's Order. This does not result in any "restriction of any service" to customers.

This filing does not impact customer rates therefore, cost support is not submitted.

Frontier requests an effective date of January 1, 2012 for this tariff filing.

Pursuant to WAC 480-80-103(4) and WAC 480-80-104(8), I certify that I am authorized to make this filing on behalf of the company. If you have questions regarding this filing, please contact Carl Gipson at (425) 261-6380.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "CG", written over a white background.

Carl Gipson  
Manager, Government & External Affairs

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Enclosures

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Attachment A

Facilities For Intrastate Access Tariff, WN U-16

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Section 2

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EVERETT, WASHINGTON**

**NOTICE**

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No cost documentation is submitted with this filing, which does not affect existing rates.

The effective date for this tariff filing is January 1, 2012.

A copy of this tariff is available for public inspection at the following Frontier Plus store locations:

1402 SE Everett Mall Way  
Everett  
Everett Frontier Plus

18700 33<sup>rd</sup> Ave. West, Suite D  
Lynnwood  
Alderwood Frontier Plus

Posted at \_\_\_\_\_  
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