

Dear Customer:

Due to regulatory reforms issued by the Federal Communications Commission and Washington Utilities & Transportations Commission, TDS Telecom has filed proposed changes to basic residential and business telephone service rates associated with the Plan A which you currently subscribe to. If approved, these rates will go into effect on Dec. 7, 2015.

If approved, basic residential service will increase \$2.30 on your December bill. The basic residential service rate associated with your Plan A will change from \$15.80 to \$17.80. However, the per-message rate you pay per call is being reduced, from \$0.25 to only \$0.09 per message. Basic business service and business relocation forwarding service will increase \$6.25. The basic business service rate associated with your Plan A will change from \$23.07 to \$29.32. However, the per-message rate you pay per call is being reduced, from \$0.25 to \$0.09 per message.

Thank you for being a TDS customer. We look forward to continuing to serve you for many years to come.

If you would like to comment on the proposed rate increase you may do so by using the Public Comment feature at the Commission's website, utc.wa.gov or by using the following contact information; WA Utilities and Transportation Commission, 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW, PO Box 47250, Olympia, WA 98504-4250. Email: comments@utc.wa.gov. Phone 888-333-WUTC(9882). You may also participate in the Commission's public meeting in Olympia in person or by phone. Call 360-664-1234 to find out when the meeting will take place.