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Transmittal No. 173

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

The accompanying tariff material, issued by Pacific Bell Telephone Company (PBTC) and bearing Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, is sent to you for publication in compliance with Sections 61.49, 61.55, 61.58(c), and 69.727 of the Commission's Rules and the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. This filing is being submitted on one day's notice in compliance with Section 61.58(c) of the Commission's Rules and the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

This filing, scheduled to become effective October 9, 2004, consists of tariff pages as indicated on the following Check Sheets:

Tariff F.C.C. No.

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Check Sheet Revision No.

163rdth Revised Page 1

10th Revised Page 1.17

1st Revised Page 1.18

With this filing, PBTC is proposing to introduce Wireless Advantage Managed Services Value Incentive Plan (WAMS-VIP) Offer (Contract Offer No. 29), an access pricing plan, into Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, Section 33. Wireless Advantage Managed Services Value Incentive Plan (WAMS-VIP) Offer is an access discount plan that provides Customers with Incentive Discounts and Portability Incentives (as defined in Section 33.29.4) in accordance with the terms and conditions as set forth in this Section 33.29.3. The contract term is eighty-four (84) months and is not renewable. This contract offering is available from October 9, 2004 through November 9, 2004.

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In accordance with Section 61.14, this transmittal letter and associated attachments are being filed electronically today via the Federal Communications Commission's Electronic Tariff Filing System (ETFS) in compliance with the electronic filing procedures.

Payment in the amount of \$720.00 has been electronically transmitted to the Mellon Bank in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, in accordance with the fee program procedures. The Form 159 is being transmitted electronically via ETFS as a proprietary document. These actions have been committed on the date established as the issued (filed) date as reflected above.

Personal or facsimile service petitions against this Transmittal, as required under Section 1.773(a)(4) of the Commission's Rules, should be sent to A. Alex Vega, Area Manager - Tariff Administration, Four Bell Plaza, Room 1970.04, Dallas, Texas 75202, facsimile number (214) 858-0639. All other correspondence and inquiries concerning this Transmittal should be addressed to Anisa A. Latif, Associate Director-Federal Regulatory, (202) 326-8905, 1401 I Street, N.W., Suite 400, Washington, D.C. 20005.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Patrick R. Doherty". The signature is written in a cursive style with a stylized flourish at the end of the last name.

Attachments:

Transmittal Letter

Tariff Pages