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VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

Mr. James R. Galloway Filing Clerk Public Utility Commission of Texas 1701 N. Congress Ave. Austin, Texas 78701

Transmittal Letter No. 2010-02

Re: **Docket No. 27385**

Revised Texas Rate Sheet No. 2 NTS Communications, Inc.

Dear Mr. Galloway:

Enclosed are the original and six (6) copies of the NTS Communications, Inc.'s revision to its Texas Rate Sheet No. 2.

Specifically, NTS has made the following revisions:

The Check Sheet was revised to reflect the changes to the Rate Sheet.

At Page 2.25, the Regulatory Cost Recovery Fee was increased from \$.97 to \$1.47 for residential Customers and from \$1.33 to \$1.83 for business Customers.

Please return a file-marked copy of this letter in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me by e-mail at <u>danw@ntscom.com</u> or by telephone at 806-788-2915.

Respectfully submitted,

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LOCAL EXCHANGE TARIFF

CHECK SHEET

All pages included in this tariff are effective as of the date shown.

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1.1	Original	2.31	1 st Revised	10.1	2 nd Revised
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2.1	Original	2.36	Original	10.6	1 st Revised
2.2	Original	2.37	Original	10.7	Original
2.3	Original	3.1	Original	10.8	Original
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2.9	Original	4.2	Original	12.1	1 st Revised
2.10	Original	5.1	Original	12.2	1 st Revised
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2.15	Original	5.6	1 st Revised	12.7	1 st Revised
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2.17	Original	6.1	Original	12.9	Deleted
2.18	Original	6.2	1 st Revised		
2.19	Original	6.3	4 th Revised		
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GENERAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

2. REGULATIONS (Cont'd)

2.5 Payment Arrangements (Cont'd)

2.5.1 Payment for Service (Cont'd)

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2.5.1.4 Regulatory Cost Recovery Fee

A monthly, per invoice fee will be assessed on all of the Company's retail Customers (including but not limited to Customers who subscribe to local, long distance, and/or internet services) for the purpose of recovering administrative costs incurred by the Company to comply with State regulatory obligations. The fee will be \$1.47 for residential Customers and \$1.83 for business Customers.

2.5.2 Billing and Collection of Charges

Bills will be rendered monthly to Customer.

- 2.5.2.1 All service, installation, monthly Recurring Charges and Non-Recurring Charges are due within 22 days of invoice date.
- 2.5.2.2 The Company shall present bills for Recurring Charges monthly to the Customer, in advance of the month which service is provided.
- 2.5.2.3 For new customers or existing customers whose service is disconnected, the charge for the fraction of the month in which service was furnished will be calculated on a pro rata basis. For this purpose, every month is considered to have 30 days.
- 2.5.2.4 Amounts not paid within 30 days after the date of invoice are considered past due.
- 2.5.2.5 A \$30.00 charge will be assessed for checks or electronic/automatic drafts which are returned or rejected for insufficient funds or non-existing accounts.

2.5.3 Disputed Bills

The Customer shall notify the Company of any disputed items on a bill within 30 days of receipt of the bill. If the Customer and the Company are unable to resolve the dispute to their mutual satisfaction, the Customer may file a complaint with the Texas Public Utilities Commission in accordance with the Commission's rules of procedure.

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