BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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In the Matter of Discount Call Rating, Inc., doing business as Flat Rate Long Distance, Inc.'s Revised Tariff, Changing the Corporate) Name to Discount Call Rating, Inc., doing business as Flat Rate Long Distance, Inc., doing business as ConnectFREE, and Making Certain Other Changes.

Case No. TO-99-409 Tariff No. 9900729

ORDER APPROVING TARIFF

On March 24, 1999, Discount Call Rating, Inc., doing business as Flat Rate Long Distance, Inc. (Company), filed its revised adoption notice and revised tariff sheets with a requested effective date of April 30, 1999, changing the corporate name to Discount Call Rating, Inc., doing business as Flat Rate Long Distance, Inc., doing business as ConnectFREE and adding two new services. On April 15, 1999, Company filed a substitute revised tariff sheet and withdrew one of the proposed revised tariff sheets originally submitted.

The Commission's Staff reviewed the revised adoption notice and proposed revised tariff sheets and filed a memorandum on April 21, 1999, recommending that the Commission approve the proposed revised adoption notice and tariff sheets as amended by the substitute sheet, effective on April 30, 1999. Staff states that Company is adding two services: ConnectFREE-Residential and ConnectFREE-Business. new ConnectFREE-Residential is an outbound-only residential long distance service permitting unlimited intrastate calls at no per minute charge. The service is only available to the subscribers of ConnectFREE's

interstate residential service. ConnectFREE-Business is a prepaid intrastate long distance service available only to subscribers of ConnectFREE's interstate business service. The rate is \$0.10 per minute.

The Commission has reviewed the proposed revised adoption notice and tariff sheets and Staff's recommendation and finds that the adoption notice and tariff sheets, as amended, should be approved to become effective on April 30, 1999.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the change of the corporate name to Discount Call Rating, Inc., doing business as Flat Rate Long Distance, Inc., doing business as ConnectFREE is acknowledged.

2. That the proposed revised tariff sheets filed by Discount Call Rating, Inc., doing business as Flat Rate Long Distance, Inc., doing business as ConnectFREE on March 24, 1999, and assigned tariff number 9900729, are approved as amended to become effective on April 30, 1999. The tariff sheets approved are:

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Discount Call Rating, Inc., dba Flat Rate Long Distance, Inc., dba <u>ConnectFREE P.S.C. Mo. No. 1</u> 1st Revised Adoption Notice replacing Original Adoption Notice Original Sheet 50.1 1st Revised Sheet 55 replacing Original Sheet 55

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3. That this order shall become effective on April 30, 1999.

4. That this case may be closed on May 1, 1999.

BY THE COMMISSION

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Dale Hardy Roberts Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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Kevin A. Thompson, Deputy Chief Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.120(1) (November 30, 1995) and Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 23rd day of April, 1999.

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COMMISSION COUNSEL: PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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