

July 15, 2021

Executive Director South Dakota Public Utilities Commission 500 East Capitol Ave., 1st Floor Pierre, SD 57501-5070 (605) 773-3201

VIA E-FILING

RE: Docket TC21-042 - Airus, Inc.: S.D. PUC Tariff No. 1 – Access Tariff Revisions

Please see below for the responses of Airus, Inc. ("Airus" or "Company") to Staff's data requests in the above-referenced docket.

DATA REQUEST RESPONSES – DOCKET TC21-042

1-1. Provide the revised tariff sheets that have been filed or will be filed with the FCC to implement changes required by WC Docket No. 18-156, FCC Release No. 20-143.

RESPONSE

After reviewing Staff's data requests, Airus decided to withdraw the previous tariff filing and replace it with a tariff filing submitted on July 15, 2021. Unlike the withdrawn filing, the corrected filing filed on July 15 no longer cross-references to Airus's FCC Tariff. As such, the FCC tariff pages requested in data request #1 are no longer referenced in Airus's South Dakota intrastate tariff filing. However, if Staff would still like to review the Company's FCC tariff filing, a copy will be provided upon request.

1-2. Refer to the proposed 3rd Revised Sheet No. 105. Regarding Note 2 and the originating rates listed under Section 5.1.2, will the Originating Toll Free and Originating Non-Toll Free rates be the same? If the toll free and non-toll free originating rates are different, would Airus, Inc. be opposed to listing the Non-Toll Free Originating Access Service rates separately from the Toll Free Originating Access Service rates that mirror the interstate rates in order to more clearly identify the difference?

RESPONSE

Airus's corrected tariff filing submitted on July 15th lists the Toll-Free and Non-Toll-Free rates separately, and deletes the Note 2 that was in the withdrawn tariff filing.

1-3. Does Airus, Inc. have Joint Tandem Switched Transport Access Service rate elements for Toll Free Calls that should be no more than \$0.001 per minute? Explain and point to the location in the South Dakota tariff if applicable.

RESPONSE

Yes, the corrected filing submitted on July 15th contains the \$0.001 per minute rate for Tandem Switched Transport. This rate is show on 3rd revised page 105.

1-4. Does Airus, Inc. have Toll Free Database Query Charges that should be no more than \$0.004248 per query? Explain and point to the location in the South Dakota tariff if applicable.

RESPONSE

No, Airus's South Dakota intrastate tariff does not contain a 8YY dip rate.

If there are any questions concerning this filing, please feel free to contact me at (312) 506-0933 or at <u>regulatory@peerlessnetwork.com</u>. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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