

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF COMCAST OF DELMARVA, INC., FOR A)
CHANGE IN ITS BASIC SERVICE RATES)
AND NECESSARY EQUIPMENT AND INSTAL-) PSC DOCKET NO. 08-311
LATION CHARGES IN THE UNINCORPORATED)
AREAS OF KENT AND SUSSEX COUNTIES)
SERVED BY THE GEORGETOWN HEAD-END)
(FILED SEPTEMBER 30, 2008))

ORDER NO. 7500

AND NOW, to-wit, this 16th day of December, A.D. 2008;

WHEREAS, Comcast of Delmarva, Inc. ("Comcast"), holds a franchise granted by this Commission ("the Commission" or the "PSC") to operate a cable television system in the unincorporated areas of Kent and Sussex Counties. The Commission regulates the maximum permitted rates that Comcast may charge its subscribers for its basic service tier ("BST") and related equipment rentals and installation services. In doing so, the Commission applies the rate regulation rules and methodologies adopted by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC"); and

WHEREAS, on September 30, 2008, Comcast filed an FCC Form 1240 seeking to gain the Commission's approval to adjust its maximum permitted BST monthly rate for the then upcoming January 1, 2009 to December 31, 2009 projected period. With that Form 1240, Comcast also submitted another form, FCC Form 1205, to make changes to the maximum permitted rates for its equipment and installation charges during the same period; and

WHEREAS, at the direction of Staff, Comcast published notices of these proposed adjustments to its regulated rates in the Delaware State News and The News Journal newspapers on November 28, 2008 and

November 29, 2008, respectively, and no written comments were received;
and

WHEREAS, the Commission having, on December 16, 2008, conducted a public evidentiary hearing on the application filed by Comcast, seeking approval to make changes in the maximum permitted rates for basic cable television service and equipment and installation charges governing service provided by Comcast in four areas within Community Identifier Unit Number DE0076 (Georgetown, Milford/Sussex, Seaford, and Lewes), and one area within Community Identifier Unit Number DE0034 (Milford/Kent);
and

WHEREAS, based on the evidence so presented, the Commission having determined that Comcast's proposed rate adjustments, as they appear on its FCC Forms 1240 and 1205, have been calculated in accordance with the regulations of the Federal Communications Commission and, hence, should be approved for service after January 1, 2009; now, therefore,

IT IS ORDERED:

1. That the Commission hereby approves the maximum permitted rates for basic cable service and equipment and installation as set forth below for service offered by Comcast of Delmarva, Inc., in the areas within Community Identifier Units CIU DE0034 and DE0076, with such maximum permitted rates to be effective for service after January 1, 2009.

MILFORD, KENT COUNTY UNINCORPORATED (SERVED FROM GEORGETOWN, DE)
 GEORGETOWN UNINCORPORATED (SERVED FROM GEORGETOWN, DE)
 LEWES UNINCORPORATED (SERVED FROM GEORGETOWN, DE)
 MILFORD, SUSSEX COUNTY UNINCORPORATED (SERVED FROM GEORGETOWN, DE)
 SEAFORD UNINCORPORATED (SERVED FROM GEORGETOWN, DE)

Basic Service Tier Rates

COMCAST OF DELMARVA, INC.	CURRENT MONTHLY MAXIMUM PERMITTED RATE	CURRENT COMPANY SELECTED RATE	COMPANY PROPOSED RATE (TO BE EFFECTIVE JAN. 1, 2009)	FCC FORM 1240 MAXIMUM PERMITTED RATE (EFFECTIVE JAN. 1, 2009)
	\$26.85	\$21.51	\$21.51	\$28.45

**Maximum Permitted Rates for Equipment and Installation Per
 FCC Forms 1205
 (Costs Aggregated on Regional Basis)
 Applicable to Both Community Identifier Unit Numbers**

INSTALLATION	PROPOSED MAXIMUM PERMITTED RATES (Effective Jan. 1, 2009)	NEW OPERATOR-SELECTED RATES (Effective Jan. 1, 2009)
Hourly Service Charge	\$33.81	\$33.80
Install Unwired Home	\$47.12	\$47.10
Install Pre-Wired Home	\$32.46	\$32.45
Install A/O Initial	\$17.75	\$17.60
Install A/O Separate	\$27.72	\$27.10
Relocate Outlet	\$23.49	\$21.35
Other Install- Upgrade(non-addressable)	\$17.73	\$17.70
Other Install - Downgrade Service (addressable)	\$11.94	\$11.90
Upgrade/Downgrade Service (addressable)	\$ 1.99	\$ 1.99

Connect VCR-Connect Initial	\$ 8.00	\$ 7.65
Connect VCR-Connect Separate	\$14.59	\$14.55
Customer Trouble Call	\$29.70	\$28.90
	\$10.80	\$10.80
Remote Control	\$ 0.31	\$ 0.25
Basic-Only Converter	\$ 1.14	\$ 1.10
Digital/Addressable Converter	\$ 3.43	\$ 3.40
HDTV Converter	\$ 9.81	\$ 7.50
CableCARD	\$ 2.05	\$ 1.50

2. That the Commission reserves the jurisdiction and authority to enter such further Orders in this matter as may be deemed necessary or proper.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Chair

/s/ Joann T. Conaway
Commissioner

/s/ Dallas Winslow
Commissioner

/s/ Jaymes B. Lester
Commissioner

/s/ Jeffrey J. Clark
Commissioner

ATTEST:

/s/ Karen J. Nickerson
Secretary