

### **Notice of Utility Tariff Filing**

The REGULATORY COMMISSION OF ALASKA (Commission) gives notice that OTZ Telephone Cooperative (OTZ) filed tariff revision TA63-83, proposing to make amendments to its Lifeline program to comply with new federal regulations issued by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). Additionally, OTZ requests a waiver of certain state Lifeline program eligibility criteria as established in 3 AAC 53.390(b).

This notice does not contain all of the revisions proposed in TA63-83 and the Commission may approve a rate or classification which varies from those proposed. You may obtain more information about this filing by contacting Doug Neal, Chief Executive Officer for OTZ, at P.O. Box 324, Kotzebue, Alaska 99752; phone: (907) 442-1000; email: dneal@otz.org. The complete filing is also available for inspection at the Commission's office at 701 West 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Suite 300, Anchorage, AK 99501; phone: (907) 276-6222, or may be viewed at the Commission's website at <http://rca.alaska.gov> by typing "TA63-83" in the *Find a Matter* search box.

To comment on this filing, please file your comments by 5:00 p.m., November 21, 2016, at the Commission's address given above or via our website at:

<https://rca.alaska.gov/RCAWeb/WhatsNew/PublicNoticesComments.aspx>

Please reference TA63-83 and include a statement that you have filed a copy of the comments with OTZ at its address given above or by email at the email address listed above.

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DATED at Anchorage, Alaska, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2016.

REGULATORY COMMISSION OF ALASKA



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