

# **Telecom Order CRTC 2006-232**

Ottawa, 1 September 2006

### Saskatchewan Telecommunications

Reference: Tariff Notices 69A and 69B

## **Ethernet Access Services and Agreement**

- 1. The Commission received an application by Saskatchewan Telecommunications (SaskTel) dated 15 July 2004, filed under Tariff Notice 69 (TN 69), which proposed the introduction of its Ethernet Access Services and Agreement, pursuant to the Commission's directives in *Ethernet services*, Telecom Decision CRTC 2004-5, 27 January 2004, as amended by Telecom Decision CRTC 2004-5-1, 6 February 2004. SaskTel's proposed Ethernet Access Services and Agreement application consisted of three components: Ethernet Access Service, General Tariff, item 110.54, Ethernet CO [Central Office] Connecting Link Service, Competitor Access Tariff, item 610.29, and Ethernet Interface Service, Competitor Access Tariff, item 610.30. The Commission granted interim approval to the Ethernet Access Service component and the Ethernet CO Connecting Link Service component of TN 69 in *Saskatchewan Telecommunications Aggregated Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line (ADSL) Service, and Ethernet Access Services and Agreement*, Telecom Order CRTC 2006-64, 27 March 2006.
- 2. The Commission received an amendment by SaskTel dated 15 March 2006, under Tariff Notice 69A (TN 69A), which proposed revisions to the Ethernet Access Service and Ethernet CO Connecting Link components and also proposed replacing the Ethernet Interface Service component with the Ethernet Transport Service component. The Commission granted interim approval to revisions associated with the Ethernet Access Service and the Ethernet CO Connecting Link components in Saskatchewan Telecommunications Ethernet Access Services and Agreement, Telecom Order CRTC 2006-104, 4 May 2006.
- 3. The Commission received an amendment by SaskTel dated 5 June 2006, under Tariff Notice 69B (TN 69B), which proposed revisions to the rates for the Ethernet Transport Service component.
- 4. On 21 August 2006, SaskTel identified that it had received a customer request for the Ethernet Transport Service component and requested that the Commission grant interim approval to the Ethernet Transport Service component.

#### **Positions of parties**

5. No comments were received with respect to TN 69A and TN 69B.



## Commission's analysis and determination

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In light of the customer request for the Ethernet Transport Service component, the Commission <b>approves on an interim basis</b> SaskTel's Ethernet Transport Service component of the Ethernet Access Services and Agreement as proposed in TN 69A and TN 69B.
Secretary General