

1 AN ACT concerning public utilities.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,  
3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Public Utilities Act is amended by  
5 changing Section 13-501 as follows:

6 (220 ILCS 5/13-501) (from Ch. 111 2/3, par. 13-501)

7 (Section scheduled to be repealed on July 1, 2005)

8 Sec. 13-501. Tariff; filing.

9 (a) No telecommunications carrier shall offer or provide  
10 telecommunications service unless and until a tariff is filed  
11 with the Commerce Commission which describes the nature of  
12 the service, applicable rates and other charges, terms and  
13 conditions of service, and the exchange, exchanges or other  
14 geographical area or areas in which the service shall be  
15 offered or provided. The Commission may prescribe the form  
16 of such tariff and any additional data or information which  
17 shall be included therein.

18 (b) After a hearing, the Commission has the discretion  
19 to impose an interim or permanent tariff on a  
20 telecommunications carrier as part of the order in the case.  
21 When a tariff is imposed as part of the order in a case, the  
22 tariff shall remain in full force and effect until a  
23 compliance tariff, or superseding tariff, is filed by the  
24 telecommunications carrier and, after notice to the parties  
25 in the case and after a compliance hearing is held, is found  
26 by the Commission to be in compliance with the Commission's  
27 order.

28 (Source: P.A. 92-22, eff. 6-30-01.)