

STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT

The Bidder hereby represents that any bid price proposal submitted in Phase 2 in response to this RFB is a firm offer to provide standard offer service in accordance with Maine law and regulations, and the provisions of the RFB, at prices and amounts specified on the Bidder's Bid Price Proposal Sheets, and that the firm offer will remain open from the date of the Phase 2 submission through December 21, 2000.

The Bidder hereby represents that, if designated a standard offer provider by the Commission, Bidder will accept, abide by and fulfill all obligations and terms and conditions of Maine law and regulations, and all obligations, requirements, terms and conditions stated in the Commission's RFB, and that Bidder will submit to the jurisdiction of the courts of the State of Maine and the Maine Public Utilities Commission in matters relating to the provision of standard offer service, and that Bidder agrees that all legal proceedings relating to Bidder's provision of standard offer service will be conducted before Maine courts or the Maine Public Utilities Commission. Bidder further represents that, if designated a standard offer provider by the Commission, Bidder will provide standard offer service in the amounts and at the prices specified in its proposal throughout the term of service.

The Bidder hereby certifies that all of the statements and representatives made in its proposal are true to the best of the Bidder's knowledge and belief.

Company submitting proposal:

(exact legal name of company)

Bidder Name:

(if different than above)

Signature of an Officer of Bidder:

Print or type name of Officer above:

Officer Title:

Date Signed:
