

## Rule Summary and Fiscal Analysis

### Part A - General Questions

**Rule Number:** 4901:1-6-30  
**Rule Type:** Amendment  
**Rule Title/Tagline:** Company records and complaint procedures.  
**Agency Name:** Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
**Division:** Utilities  
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#### I. Rule Summary

1. **Is this a five year rule review?** No
  - A. **What is the rule's five year review date?** 3/2/2023
2. **Is this rule the result of recent legislation?** Yes
  - A. **If so, what is the bill number, General Assembly and Sponsor?** HB 402 - 132 - Hill
3. **What statute is this rule being promulgated under?** 111.15
4. **What statute(s) grant rule writing authority?** R.C. 4901.13, 4927.03
5. **What statute(s) does the rule implement or amplify?** R.C. 4927.19
6. **What are the reasons for proposing the rule?**

Pursuant to Sub. H.B. 402, the Commission may investigate or inspect the plant and facility of any telephone company subject to certain limitations.
7. **Summarize the rule's content, and if this is an amended rule, also summarize the rule's changes.**

Consistent with R.C. 4927.19(B) the Commission may investigate or inspect a company's plant and facilities implicated by a complaint filed by a consumer

concerning basic local exchange service of a telephone company to the extent that the complaint is within the Commission's jurisdiction over the company pursuant to R.C. 4927.01 to 4927.21.

8. **Does the rule incorporate material by reference? No**
9. **If the rule incorporates material by reference and the agency claims the material is exempt pursuant to R.C. 121.75 please explain the basis for the exemption and how an individual can find the referenced material.**

*Not Applicable*

10. **If revising or re-filing the rule, please indicate the changes made in the revised or re-filed version of the rule.**

*Not Applicable*

## **II. Fiscal Analysis**

11. **Please estimate the increase / decrease in the agency's revenues or expenditures in the current biennium due to this rule.**

This will have no impact on revenues or expenditures.

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*Not Applicable*

12. **What are the estimated costs of compliance for all persons and/or organizations directly affected by the rule?**

*Not Applicable*

13. **Does the rule increase local government costs? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part B). No**

14. **Does the rule regulate environmental protection? (If yes, you must complete an RSFA Part C). No**

15. **If the rule imposes a regulation fee, explain how the fee directly relates to your agency's cost in regulating the individual or business.**

*Not Applicable*

### **III. Common Sense Initiative (CSI) Questions**

**16. Was this rule filed with the Common Sense Initiative Office? Yes**

**17. Does this rule have an adverse impact on business? Yes**

**A. Does this rule require a license, permit, or any other prior authorization to engage in or operate a line of business? No**

**B. Does this rule impose a criminal penalty, a civil penalty, or another sanction, or create a cause of action, for failure to comply with its terms? No**

**C. Does this rule require specific expenditures or the report of information as a condition of compliance? Yes**

The rule requires a telephone company to provide such records of sufficient detail to permit review of the telephone company's compliance with the rules of Chapter 4901:1-6 O.A.C.

**D. Is it likely that the rule will directly reduce the revenue or increase the expenses of the lines of business of which it will apply or applies? No**