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4901:1-6-37 **Assessments and annual reports.**

- (A) Every telephone company or competitive eligible telecommunications carrier (CETC) and wireless service provider shall file an-the annual report for fiscal assessment and every wireless service provider shall submit an annual assessment report, as required by the commission and in the format prescribed by commission entry. The annual report for fiscal assessment shall be limited to information necessary for the commission to calculate the assessment provided for in section 4905.10 of the Revised Code. The commission shall protect any confidential information in every company and provider report.
- (B) In addition to the information necessary for the commission to calculate the assessment provided for in section 4905.10 of the Revised Code, telephone companies subject to section 4905.71 of the Revised Code shall provide in their annual report for fiscal assessment information required by the commission to calculate pole attachment and conduit occupancy rates in a manner consistent with requirements of Chapter 4901:1-3 of the Administrative Code, and any other information the commission determines necessary to fulfill its responsibility under section 4905.71 of the Revised Code. This information shall be provided in the format prescribed in the commission's annual reporting form for telephone companies.
- (C) The commission shall, by commission entry, impose on and collect from each telephone company that is a local exchange carrier an assessment to pay for costs incurred by vendors under any contract for the provision of the community voicemail pilot program in this state All wireless resellers of lifeline service not presently assessed a fee for the commission's support shall be assessed an annual fee to be determined by the commission.

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