

Protect Yourself--Don't Get "SLAMMED"!

"Slamming" is the process where a long distance company switches someone's long distance provider, without that person's consent or knowledge. If West River Cooperative Telephone Company (WRCTC) receives a request from another long distance company to change your long distance provider, we are required by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to do so. The FCC will not allow us to check with you for authorizations prior to changing your provider.

To PROTECT Yourself from getting "slammed", sign up for a PIC FREEZE. The PIC FREEZE requires that you (not the long distance company) must notify WRCTC before your long distance service can be switched to another provider. To request a PIC FREEZE at no charge, simply fill out the form below and return to WRCTC with this month's telephone payment.

WEST RIVER COOPERATIVE TELEPHONE COMPANY PIC FREEZE REQUEST

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number(s): _____

This form constitutes my refusal to have my interstate (out-of-state) calls and intrastate (in-state) calls changed on the above telephone number(s). I understand that if I wish to change my long distance carrier, I must notify West River Cooperative Telephone Company in writing to authorize the change.

Signed: _____

Printed Name: _____

