

CONSUMER TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE

3.5 PAYMENTS AND CHARGES

3.5.1 General - The charges for a CTS call are applied on a per call basis. Applicable charges are contained in Section 8. of this tariff.

3.5.2 Application of Charges - The rates and charges that are in effect in this tariff when CTS is furnished are the rates and charges used to determine the Customer's bill.

3.5.3 Payment of Charges - Payment for CTS is due upon presentation of the bill. Alascom may bill Customers on other than a monthly basis (e.g., every other month, every third month) unless a Customer requests monthly billing. In no case, will Alascom issue bills less frequently than once every three months. CTS may be denied for nonpayment of a bill (see Violation of Regulations, Section 3.9.3).

3.5.4 Late Payment Charge - When the Company provides the billing function for CTS, a late payment charge of .875% will be assessed by service on the portion of the total amount for long distance service charges that are not received by the payment due date. The first occurrence will be waived. If a rate has been established by the appropriate legal authority in the state where CTS is provided to the Customer, then such rate will apply. When a local exchange company provides the billing function on behalf of the Company, the local exchange company's local exchange service late payment charge applies.

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3.5.5 Deposits - The following deposit provisions are applicable to CTS:

A. When the Company provides the billing function for CTS, the Company may require a deposit to guarantee payment of bills for services rendered if the Company establishes that the Customer or applicant (1) has an unsatisfactory credit rating, or (2) has an insufficient credit history upon which a credit rating may be based, or (3) has illegally or without appropriate authorization used or interfered with the service of the Company within the last five (5) years, or (4) is determined by the Company to be high risk due to past, or current, delinquencies.

The fact that a deposit has been made in no way relieves the Customer or applicant from complying with the Companies regulations as to the payment of bills. Service may be denied or discontinued for failure to furnish a deposit.

1. Deposit Amount - The deposit for CTS will not exceed an amount equal to the estimated nonrecurring charges and three times the estimated average monthly usage charges and/or the monthly recurring charges.

2. Interest on a Cash Deposit - Interest will be paid to a Customer for the period that a cash deposit is held by the Company. The interest rate used will be simple interest at the rate of four percent annually unless a different rate has been established by the appropriate legal authority in the state where the CTS offering is located.

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CHECK SHEET

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