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ACCESS SERVICE

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1. Application of Tariff

- 1.1 This tariff contains regulations, rates and charges applicable to the provision of End User Access, Lifeline Assistance, Universal Service Fund (USF), Switched Access, Special Access Services, Carrier Common Line (CCL), and other miscellaneous services, hereinafter referred to as service(s), provided by Frontier Communications of Minnesota and Iowa, hereinafter referred to as the Telephone Company, to Customers.

Pursuant to the Commission's Rules at Sections 69.4(c), 69.5(d), 69.104(1), 69.116, 69.117, 69.603(c) and 69.603(d), regulations concerning administration and billing of Lifeline Assistance and Universal Service Fund, rates and charges for these carrier elements are contained in Section 8 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc., Tariff F.C.C. No. 5. The National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc., will bill and collect all Lifeline Assistance and Universal Service Fund charges on behalf of the Telephone Company.

- 1.2 The provision of services by the Telephone Company as set forth in this tariff does not constitute a joint undertaking with a Customer for the furnishing of any service.
- 1.3 In accordance with the Commission's Report and Order and Order on Remand and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, CC Docket No. 01-338, paragraph 581, released August 21, 2003, Unbundled Network Elements (UNEs) and combinations of UNEs can be commingled with wholesale services, including interstate access services.