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2. General Regulations (Cont'd)2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances (Cont'd)2.4.3 Cancellation of an Order for Service

Provisions for the cancellation of an order for service are set forth in other applicable sections of this tariff.

2.4.4 Credit Allowance for Service Interruptions(A) General

A service is interrupted when it becomes unusable to the customer because of a failure of a facility component used to furnish service under this tariff or in the event that the protective controls applied by the Telephone Company result in the complete loss of service by the customer as set forth in 6.2.1 following. An interruption period starts when an inoperative service is reported to the Telephone Company, and ends when the service is operative.

(B) When a Credit Allowance Applies

In case of an interruption to any service, allowance for the period of interruption, if not due to the negligence of the customer, shall be provided.

For the following services, any period during which the error performance is below that specified for the service will be considered as an interruption.

- Digital Data (DA1 through DA6)
- High Capacity (HC1)
- Synchronous Optical Channel Service (OB, OD, OF, OG) (C)

Service interruptions for Specialized Service or Arrangements provided under Section 12 following shall be administered in the same manner as those set forth in this section (2.4.4) unless other regulations are specified with the individual case filing.

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5. Access Ordering (Cont'd)5.2 Ordering Requirements (Cont'd)5.2.2 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

The Synchronous Optical Channel Service Optional Rate Plan is a Term Discount plan. When ordering a Synchronous Optical Channel Service Term Discount Optional Rate Plan or an upgrade to the plan, discontinuance charges, as specified in 7.2.8(B) following, will not apply if the conditions set forth in 7.2.8(B) following are met and the customer provides the following ordering information:

Term Discounts - Upgrades in Capacity (OC3 to OC12 to OC48 to OC192) (C)

- The customer's order for the disconnect of the existing OC3/OC12/OC48 Service and the installation of the new OC12/OC48/OC192 Service are received at the same time and specifically reference the application of upgrade in capacity. (C)

- The customer's disconnect order for the existing OC3/OC12/OC48 Service must reference the OC12/OC48/OC192 Service installation order. (C)

Customer orders to install and disconnect OC3, OC12, OC48 or OC192 services provided under a Term Discount plan where the number of OC3, OC12, OC48 or OC192 remains constant and the customer wishes to maintain the existing Term Discount period and minimum service period must: (C)

- Be received at the same time.
- Reference continuation of the existing Term Discount period and the minimum service period on both the installation and disconnect orders.

The Synchronous Optical Channel Service Term Discount Optional Rate Plan is only available as set forth in 17.3.11(D), 18.3.11(D), 19.3.11(D) and 20.3.11(D) following.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)7.1 General (Cont'd)7.1.1 Channel Types (Cont'd)

Following is a brief description of each type of channel:

Metallic - a channel for the transmission of low speed varying signals at rates up to 30 baud.

Telegraph Grade - a channel for the transmission of binary signals at rates of 0 to 75 baud or 0 to 150 baud.

Voice Grade - a channel for the transmission of analog signals within an approximate bandwidth of 300 to 3000 Hz.

Program Audio - a channel for the transmission of audio signals. The nominal frequency bandwidths are from 200 to 3500 Hz, from 100 to 5000 Hz, from 50 to 8000 Hz, or from 50 to 15000 Hz.

Video - a channel for the transmission of standard 525 line 60 field monochrome or National Television Systems Committee color video signal and one or two associated 5 or 15 kHz audio signals. The bandwidth is either 30 Hz to 4.5 MHz or 30 Hz to 6.6 MHz.

Digital Data - a channel for the digital transmission of synchronous serial data at rates of 2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2, 56.0 or 64.0 Kbps.

High Capacity - a channel for the transmission of isochronous serial digital data at rates of 1.544, 3.152, 6.312, 44.736 or 274.176 Mbps.

Synchronous Optical - a high speed channel for the transmission of synchronous full duplex data over optical fiber at rates of 155.52 Mbps (OC3), 622.08 Mbps (OC12), 2.5 Gbps (OC48) or 1 Gbps (OC192).

(C)
(C)

Ethernet Transport – A high speed data transport service that provides point-to-point transmission of customer's data communications in a fast packet based Ethernet protocol at transport speeds of 10 Mbps, 20 Mbps, 50 Mbps, 100 Mbps, 150 Mbps, 300 Mbps, 450 Mbps, 600 Mbps, 1 Gbps, 2.5 Gbps and 10 Gbps.

Ethernet Virtual Private Line – A high speed data transport service that provides the ability to order Ethernet service where a single customer can support multiple applications with varying Quality of Service at transport speeds of 10 Mbps, 100 Mbps, 1000 Mbps (1 Gbps) and 10000 Mbps (10 Gbps).

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)7.1 General (Cont'd)7.1.2 Service Descriptions (Cont'd)

(E) The Telephone Company will maintain services installed prior to April 1, 1985, at their existing transmission specifications, provided such performance specifications do not exceed the standards listed in this provision. Those services exceeding the standards listed will be maintained at the performance levels specified in this tariff.

(F) All services installed after April 1, 1985 will conform to the transmission specifications standards contained in this tariff or in the following Technical References for each category of service:

Metallic	TR-NPL-000336	
Telegraph Grade	TR-NPL-000336	
Voice Grade	TR-NWT-000335	
Program Audio	PUB 41004 (MDP-326-584) Table 4	
	GR-337-CORE and associated Addendum	
Video	GR-338-CORE	
Digital Data	TR-NWT-000341	
For 2.4,4.8,9.6&56.0 Kbps	Telcordia Technologies, Inc. Pub 62310 (MDP-326-726)	
For 19.2 Kbps	INC Bulletin CB-INC-100	
For 64.0 Kbps	PUB 62310 (MDP-326-726)	
High Capacity	GR-342-CORE	
	GR-342-CORE	
Synchronous Optical	GR-253-CORE	
For OC3, OC12,	GR-1374-CORE	(C)
OC48, OC192	ANSI T1.105	(C)
	ANSI T1.102	
Ethernet Transport	ANSI / IEEE X3.802.3	
	ANSI / IEEE X3.802.3u	
	ANSI / IEEE X3.802.3z	

7.1.3 Service Configurations

There are three types of service configurations over which Special Access Services are provided: two-point service, multipoint service and Synchronous Optical Channel Service.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)7.2 Rate Regulations

This section contains the specific regulations governing the rates and charges that apply for Special Access.

7.2.1 Rate Categories

There are three basic rate categories which apply to Special Access Service:

- Channel Terminations (described in 7.2.1(A) following)
- Channel Mileage (described in 7.2.1(B) following)
- Optional Features and Functions (described in 7.2.1(C) following).

(A) Channel Terminations

The Channel Termination rate category recovers the costs associated with the communications path between a customer designated premises and the serving wire center of that premises. Included as part of the Channel Termination is a standard channel interface arrangement which defines the technical characteristics associated with the type of facilities to which the access service is to be connected at the Point of Termination (POT) and the type of signaling capability, if any. The signaling capability is provided as an optional feature as set forth in (C) following.

For Synchronous Optical Channel Service the high speed optical communications path is between the Optical Line Termination (OLT) at the customer designated premises and the serving wire center of that premises.

One Channel Termination charge applies per customer designated premises at which the channel is terminated. This charge will apply even if the customer designated premises and the serving wire center are collocated in a Telephone Company building. For a Special Access Digital Data Service 56.0 or 64.0 Kbps Bit Rate or for a 1.544 Mbps or 44.736 Mbps High Capacity Service connecting a customer designated premises to a Frame Relay Access Service as described in Section 16, following, there will be a charge for only one Channel Termination. For a 1.544 Mbps or 44.736 Mbps High Capacity Service or for an OC3/OC3c Synchronous Optical Channel Service connecting a customer designated premises to an Asynchronous Transfer Mode Cell Relay Access Service there will be a charge for only one Channel Termination.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)7.2 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)7.2.8 Optional Rate Plans (Cont'd)(B) Synchronous Optical Channel Service Optional Rate Plan

The Synchronous Optical Channel Service Optional Rate Plan offers a Term Discount. The Term Discount applies to Channel Terminations, Channel Mileage, Customer Nodes, Customer Premises Ports, Central Office Ports and SONET Regeneration monthly rates, as set forth following. The Term Discount percentages for the Synchronous Optical Channel Service Term Discount are as set forth in 17.3.11(D), 18.3.11(D), 19.3.11(D) and 20.3.11(D) following. (C)

Discounts for the Synchronous Optical Channel Service Optional Rate Plan are only applied to Synchronous Optical Channel Service provided to a customer within the same state and LATA by the same Telephone Company.

OC3/OC3c, OC12/OC12c, OC48/OC48c and OC192 Synchronous Optical Channel Service may be ordered at the customer's option on a monthly rate basis or for Term Discount periods of 36 months (3 years) or 60 months (5 years). (N)

The minimum service period for all term discount plans is twelve months. The customer must specify the length of the service commitment period at the time the service is ordered.

For customers that subscribe to the Term Discount plan for 36 or 60 months, the Term Discount percentage as set forth in 17.3.11(D), 18.3.11(D), 19.3.11(D) and 20.3.11(D) following will be frozen from Company initiated decreases, for the entire discount period at the percent in effect at the beginning of the Term Discount period.

If a Term Discount percentage increase occurs during the term of an existing Term Discount plan, the increased percentage will be applied automatically to the remainder of the current Term Discount period.

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At the end of the Term Discount period, the customer may convert to month-to-month service or subscribe to a new Term Discount plan. If the customer does not make a choice by the end of the discount period, the rates will automatically convert to month-to-month service rates. The minimum service period on a monthly rate basis is twelve months for Synchronous Optical Channel Service.

To be included in a Term Discount plan, all eligible Synchronous Optical Channel Service rate elements must be ordered for the same commitment term (i.e., all 36 months or all 60 months) and with the same service date. When additional capacity is subsequently added, it will be available only on a month-to-month basis unless the discount period of the entire service is upgraded.

Eligible OC3/OC3c, OC12/OC12c, OC48/OC48c or OC192 (N)
Synchronous Optical Channel Service rate elements are those Channel Terminations, Channel Mileage Facility, Channel Mileage Terminations, Customer Nodes, Customer Premises Ports and Central Office Ports provided to a customer within the same state and LATA by the same Telephone Company. As long as the number of OC3/OC3c, OC12/OC12c, OC48s/OC48c or OC192s included in a (C)
Term Discount plan remains constant, customer requests to install and disconnect OC3/OC3c, OC12/OC12c, OC48/OC48c or OC192 (C)
services, including changes affecting different wire centers and/or customer designated premises, will not change the current Term Discount period or the minimum service period, and Discontinuance of Service charges as set forth in (3) following will not apply.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)7.2 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)7.2.8 Optional Rate Plans (Cont'd)(B) Synchronous Optical Channel Service Optional Rate Plan (Cont'd)(1) Upgrades in Term Discounts

Services provided under monthly rates or Term Discount rates may be upgraded to a Term Discount plan at any time without incurring nonrecurring charges or discontinuance charges for existing services. The new Term Discount plan must meet or exceed the service term of the plan being upgraded. For example, a service with a 36 month commitment period may be upgraded to a new 36 month, or 60 month service period. The monthly rates will be those that are in effect at the time the service is upgraded. A new minimum service period applies to all Synchronous Optical Channel Service that is upgraded.

(2) Upgrades in Capacity (OC3/OC3c to OC12 /OC12c, OC48/OC48c and/or OC192) (C)
(C)

If the customer chooses to upgrade a service under the Term Discount rate plan to a higher capacity (i.e., OC3/OC3c to OC12/OC12c, OC48/OC48c and/or OC192), discontinuance charges will not apply, provided all the following conditions are met: (N)

- the customer's order for the disconnect of the existing OC3/OC3c, OC12/OC12c or OC48/OC48c Service and the installation of the new OC12/OC12c, OC48/OC48c or OC192 Service are received at the same time and specifically reference the application of upgrade in capacity, (C)
(C)
- the customer's disconnect order for the existing OC3/OC3c, OC12/OC12c OC48/OC48c Service must reference the OC12/OC12c, OC48/OC48c or OC192 Service installation order, (C)
(C)
- the new service has a total channel capacity greater than the total channel capacity of the service being discontinued and,
- the new Term Discount period meets or exceeds the Term Discount period being discontinued.

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- (2) Upgrades in Capacity (OC3/OC3c to OC12 /OC12c, OC48/OC48c and/or OC192) (Cont'd) (C)
(C)

A new minimum service period applies to all upgrades. Nonrecurring charges will not be assessed when an existing OC3, OC12 and/or OC48 service is upgraded to an equivalent channel capacity at a higher speed. (C)

Should the customer choose to upgrade either a portion of, or the entire OC3/OC3c, OC12/OC12c and/or OC48/OC48c Service under the Term Discount plan to an OC12/OC12c, OC48/OC48c and/or OC192 service and move the service to a new customer location(s) within the same state and LATA, and when service is provided by the same telephone company, discontinuance charges will not apply. (C)
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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)7.2 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)7.2.8 Optional Rate Plans (Cont'd)(B) Synchronous Optical Channel Service Optional Rate Plan (Cont'd)(3) Discontinuance of Service

If the customer chooses to disconnect all or a portion of the service prior to the expiration of the Term Discount period, discontinuance charges will apply to the portion of the service being discontinued.

Should the customer choose to discontinue a Term Discount plan prior to the completion of the minimum service period, discontinuance charges will apply. Discontinuance charges equal to one-hundred percent of the total undiscounted monthly rates, less any amounts previously paid, will apply for the minimum service period. Additionally, discontinuance charges of fifteen percent for OC3/OC3c service, and fifty percent for OC12/OC12c, OC48/OC48c and OC192 service, of the total undiscounted monthly charges will apply to the remaining portion of the discount service term. (N)

Should the customer choose to discontinue service ordered under a Term Discount plan after the minimum service period but before the completion of the discount period, discontinuance charges will apply. Discontinuance charges of fifteen percent for OC3/OC3c Service and fifty percent for OC12/OC12c, OC48/OC48c and OC192 service, of the total undiscounted monthly charges will apply to the remaining portion of the discount period. For example, a customer has an OC3 Service which it chooses to discontinue after 33 months into a 60-month service term. The discontinuance charge would be 0.15 times 27 months times the undiscounted monthly rates for that service. (N)

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)7.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service7.11.1 Basic Channel Description

A Synchronous Optical Channel Service (SOCS) channel provides dedicated transport utilizing Synchronous Optical Network (SONET) transmission standards. Synchronous Optical Channel Service provides optical network capability to customers requiring connections at transmission rates of 155.52 Mbps (OC3), 622.08 Mbps (OC12), 2.5 Gbps (OC48) and 10 Gbps (OC192). Synchronous Optical Channel Service is provided between two customer designated premises (CDP) through one or more Telephone Company wire centers or between a CDP and a wire center equipped with Asynchronous Transfer Mode Cell Relay Access, or between a CDP and a wire center equipped for Add/Drop Multiplexing (ADM). In addition, customers at an ADM equipped wire center may add or drop bandwidth capacity from the synchronous optical channel for delivery to a customer designated premises, WATS office, Public Packet Data Network Service, or another wire center.

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Synchronous Optical Channel Service may also be provided between a customer designated premises and a Telephone Company designated DSL Access Service Connection Point. When a customer orders SOCS, the customer and the Telephone Company will work cooperatively to plan, engineer, provision and manage the SOCS.

(C)

Each channel will be configured with one working and one protect fiber pair within the same sheath between the CDP and the serving wire center of the CDP which provides redundancy to protect the customer's service. Should a failure occur, the SONET technology will automatically switch the customer's transmission to the dedicated protect fiber pair.

The customer may provide node and port equipment at the CDP which allows the high speed optical carrier channel to be converted to an electrical signal at a lower speed. The provision of such equipment by the customer is subject to compatibility with the Telephone Company's equipment in the serving wire center and must comply with the standards specified in GR-253-CORE.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

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7.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service (Cont'd)7.11.1 Basic Channel Description (Cont'd)

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An OC3 channel is available in a non-concatenated format (OC3) which provides three individual signals; an OC12 channel is available in a non-concatenated format (OC12) which provides twelve individual signals; an OC48 channel is available in a non-concatenated format (OC48) which provides forty-eight individual signals; and an OC192 channel is available in a non-concatenated format (OC192) which provides 192 individual signals.. The OC3, OC12 and OC48 channel is also available in a concatenated format (OC3c, OC12c and OC48c) which provides a single signal appropriate for data transmissions.

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Synchronous Optical Channel Service is available at the wire centers as identified in National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff F.C.C. No. 4.

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Rates and charges for Synchronous Optical Channel Service are as set forth in 17.3.11, 18.3.11, 19.3.11 and 20.3.11, following.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)7.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service (Cont'd)7.11.2 Network Channel Interfaces

Compatible channel interfaces for Synchronous Optical Channel Service are as set forth in 15.2.2(C)(8) following.

The following network channel interfaces (NCIs) define the bit rates that are available for a synchronous optical channel:

<u>NCI</u>	<u>Bit Rate</u>		
SO--, SM--	155.52 Mbps	(OC3, OC3c)	(C)
SO--, SM--	622.08 Mbps	(OC12, OC12c)	
SO--, SM--, SN--	2.5 Gbps	(OC48, OC48c)	(C)
QB--, SO--, SM--	10 Gbps	(OC192)	(N)
SN--, SP--, SQ--			(N)

7.11.3 Optional Features and Functions(A) Customer Node

A Customer Node charge applies when the Telephone Company provides terminal equipment at the customer designated premises for termination of a Synchronous Optical Channel Service Channel Termination. Such equipment may be used to convert the signal from an optical to electrical format. The Customer Node charge is determined by the level of optical service (i.e., OC3, OC12, OC48 or OC192) delivered to the premises. Each Customer Node must be configured with one or more Customer Premises Ports. (C)
(N)

Rates and charges for the Customer Node are as set forth in 17.3.11(E)(1), 18.3.11(E)(1), 19.3.11(E)(1) or 20.3.11(E)(1) following.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)7.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service (Cont'd)7.11.3 Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)(B) Customer Premises Port

Customer Premises Port charges apply in conjunction with the Customer Node charge. Each Customer Premises Port provides the interface to derive a lower capacity service at the customer premises. The type and quantity of ports is determined by the customer and is based on the type of Customer Node selected and the number of DS1, DS3, STS-1, OC3/OC3c and/or OC12 channels ordered. Customer Premises Ports are available at the following speeds:

<u>Customer Premises Port</u>	<u>Speed</u>	
Ethernet Level	10, 20, 50, 100, 150, 300, 450, and 600 Mbps and 1 Gbps	(N)
OC48, OC48c	2.5 Gbps-	(N)
OC12/OC12c	622.08 Mbps	(C)
OC3, OC3c	155.52 Mbps	
STS-1	51.84 Mbps	
DS3	44.736 Mbps	
DS1	1.544 Mbps	

Rates and charges for the Customer Premises Port are as set forth in 17.3.11(E)(2), 18.3.11(E)(2), 19.3.11(E)(2) and 20.3.11(E)(2) following.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)7.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service (Cont'd)7.11.3 Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)(C) Add/Drop Multiplexing

An Add/Drop Multiplexing Central Office Port charge applies to the interface provided at a Telephone Company wire center for the purpose of adding or dropping lower capacity services from Synchronous Optical Channel Service Channel Termination or Channel Mileage transport facilities. Central Office Ports are available at the following speeds:

<u>Central Office Port</u>	<u>Speed</u>	
Ethernet Level	10, 20, 50, 100, 150, 300, 450 and 600 Mbps and 1 Gbps	(N)
OC48, OC48c	2.5 Gbps	(N)
OC12, OC12c	622.08 Mbps	(C)
OC3, OC3c	155.52 Mbps	
STS1	51.84 Mbps	(N)
DS3	44.736 Mbps	
DS1	1.544 Mbps	
OC192 service may only be multiplexed to OC48/OC48c. OC48 service may only be multiplexed to OC12/OC12c. OC12 service may only be multiplexed to OC3/OC3c channels.		(C)
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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)7.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service (Cont'd)7.11.3 Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)(C) Add/Drop Multiplexing (Cont'd)

When an OC48/OC12/OC3 channel is derived from an OC192/OC48/OC12 service and is further multiplexed to obtain DS3 service, a DS3 port charge will apply in addition to the OC48/OC12/OC3 port charge.

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When a DS3 channel is derived from an OC3 service and is further multiplexed to obtain DS1 service, a DS3 to DS1 Multiplexing charge as set forth in 17.3.8(C)(1), 18.3.8(C)(1) and 19.3.8(C)(1) will apply in addition to the DS3 port charge.

When a DS1 channel is directly derived from an OC3 service, a DS1 port charge will apply.

When a DS1 channel is further multiplexed to a lower level signal, a DS1 to Voice Grade Multiplexing charge as set forth in 17.3.8(D)(1), 18.3.8(D)(1), 19.3.8(C)(1) and 20.3.8(D)(1) will also apply.

Rates and charges for the Central Office Port are as set forth in 17.3.11(E)(3), 18.3.11(E)(3), 19.3.11(E)(3) and 20.3.11(E)(3) following.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

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7.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service (Cont'd)7.11.3 Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)(E) SONET Regeneration

Due to technical limitations of SONET facilities, additional regeneration equipment may be required for essential detection and retransmission of SONET signals between nodes. Additional regeneration equipment will only be provided by the Telephone Company when the actual fiber facilities distance between nodes exceeds SONET design limits. A monthly recurring SONET Regeneration charge, as set forth in 17.3.11(E)(4), 18.3.11(E)(4), 19.3.11(E)(4) and 20.3.11(E)(4) following, will apply for each regenerator required for the provision of SONET service.

(F) Service Reconfiguration

If a new service configuration is requested subsequent to the initial activation, a nonrecurring service reconfiguration charge will apply on a per service basis, as set forth in 17.3.11(E)(5), 18.3.11(E)(5), 19.3.11(E)(5) and 20.3.11(E)(5) following. The service reconfiguration charge is in addition to all applicable customer node and customer premises ports associated with the new configuration.

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Regulations concerning Synchronous Optical Channel Service are set forth in 7.11 preceding.

		Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge	
(A)	<u>Channel Termination</u>			
	Per Termination			
	OC3/OC3c 155.52 Mbps			(C)
	- Within the Central Office	\$445.40	\$499.00	
	- 0- 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$723.90	\$499.00	
	- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$862.95	\$499.00	
	OC12/OC12c 622.08 Mbps			(C)
	- Within the Central Office	\$1,750.15	\$1,501.11	
	- 0- 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$1,878.00	\$1,501.11	
	- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$2,067.10	\$1,501.11	
	OC48/OC48c 2.5 Gbps			(N)
	- Within the Central Office	\$6,900.00	\$2,500.00	
	- 0- 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$7,500.00	\$2,500.00	
	- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$8,250.00	\$2,500.00	
	OC192 10 Gbps			
	- Within the Central Office	\$17,250.00	\$3,500.00	
	- 0- 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$18,750.00	\$3,500.00	
	- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$20,625.00	\$3,500.00	(N)

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			Monthly Rate	(N)
(B)	<u>Channel Mileage Facility</u>			(M)
	Per Mile			(M)
	OC3/OC3c	155.52 Mbps	\$43.90	(C)
	OC12/OC12c	622.08 Mbps	\$197.70	(C)
	OC48/OC48c	2.5 Gbps	\$500.00	(N)
	OC192	10 Gbps	\$1,250.00	(N)
(C)	<u>Channel Mileage Termination</u>			(M)
	Per Termination			(M)
	OC3/OC3c	155.52 Mbps	\$175.50	(C)
	OC12/OC12c	622.08 Mbps	\$1,087.65	(C)
	OC48/OC48c	2.5 Gbps	\$2,400.00	(N)
	OC192	10 Gbps	\$5,300.00	(N)
(D)	<u>Term Discounts</u>		<u>Monthly Rate</u> <u>Non Recurring</u>	(M)
	OC3 Service			
	36 months	10%	50%	
	60 months	20%	100%	
	OC12 Service			
	36 months	10%	50%	
	60 months	20%	100%	(M)
	OC48 Service			
	36 months	10%	50%	(N)
	60 months	20%	100%	
	OC192 Service			
	36 months	10%	50%	
	60 months	20%	100%	(N)

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		<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	
(1)	<u>Customer Node</u>			
	Per Node			
	OC3 155.52 Mbps	\$286.50	\$11,300.00	
	OC12 622.08 Mbps	\$700.00	\$13,250.00	
	OC48 2.5 Gbps	\$1,700.00	\$15,250.00	(N)
	OC192 10 Gbps	\$4,125.00	\$17,250.00	(N)
(2)	<u>Customer Premises Port</u>			
	Per Port			
	DS1	\$50.00		(N)
	DS3	\$135.00		(N)
	STS1	\$135.00		(N)
	OC3/OC3c	\$77.15		(C)
	OC12/OC12c	\$81.60		(C)
	OC48/OC48c	\$400.00		(N)
	10 Mbps	\$56.75		
	20 Mbps	\$62.40		
	50 Mbps	\$113.50		
	100 Mbps	\$124.90		
	150 Mbps	\$136.75		
	300 Mbps	\$273.50		
	450 Mbps	\$425.65		
	600 Mbps	\$468.20		
	1 Gbps	\$851.30		(N)

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Rate

(N)

(3) Add/Drop Multiplexing
Central Office Port

(M)

Per Port

(M)

DS1	\$42.00	(N)
DS3	\$115.00	(N)
STS1	\$115.00	(N)
OC3/OC3c	\$81.60	(C)
OC12/OC12c	\$81.60	(C)
OC48/OC48c	\$350.00	(N)
10 Mbps	\$43.85	
20 Mbps	\$48.25	
50 Mbps	\$87.70	
100 Mbps	\$96.50	
150 Mbps	\$114.70	
300 Mbps	\$229.40	
450 Mbps	\$412.70	
600 Mbps	\$454.00	
1 Gbps	\$825.40	

(4) SONET Regeneration

Per Regenerator

OC3	\$1,900.00
OC12	\$3,250.00
OC48	\$4,800.00
OC192	\$7,250.00

(5) Service Reconfiguration

Per STS1/DS3 equivalent

Nonrecurring
Charge

\$625.00

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18. Rates and Charges – Gulf Telephone Company (Cont'd)18.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)18.3.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service

Regulations concerning Synchronous Optical Channel Service are set forth in 7.11 preceding.

		Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge	
(A) <u>Channel Termination</u>				
Per Termination				
OC3/OC3c	155.52 Mbps			(C)
- Within the Central Office		\$804.90	\$499.00	
- 0-3 Miles from the Central Office		\$1,000.05	\$499.00	
- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office		\$1,261.25	\$499.00	
OC12/OC12c	622.08 Mbps			(C)
- Within the Central Office		\$2,417.85	\$1501.11	
- 0-3 Miles from the Central Office		\$2,594.50	\$1501.11	
- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office		\$2,855.70	\$1501.11	
OC48/OC48c	2.5 Gbps			(C)
- Within the Central Office		\$7,950.00	\$315.00	
- 0-3 Miles from the Central Office		\$8,850.00	\$315.00	
- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office		\$10,175.00	\$315.00	
OC192	10 Gbps			(N)
- Within the Central Office		\$19,875.00	\$3,500.00	
- 0-3 Miles from the Central Office		\$22,125.00	\$3,500.00	
- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office		\$25,440.00	\$3,500.00	(N)

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18.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)18.3.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service (Cont'd)

		Monthly Rate	(N)
(B)	<u>Channel Mileage Facility</u>		(M)
	Per Mile		(M)
	OC3/OC3c 155.52 Mbps	\$73.80	(C)
	OC12/OC12c 622.08 Mbps	\$273.10	(C)
	OC48/OC48c 2.5 Gbps	\$2,050.00	(N)
	OC192 10 Gbps	\$6,780.00	(N)
(C)	<u>Channel Mileage Termination</u>		(M)
	Per Termination		(M)
	OC3/OC3c 155.52 Mbps	\$294.30	(C)
	OC12/OC12c 622.08 Mbps	\$1,502.55	(C)
	OC48/OC48c 2.5 Gbps	\$2,400.00	(N)
	OC192 10 Gbps	\$6,900.00	(N)

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(D) <u>Term Discounts</u>		<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Non Recurring</u>	
OC3 Service				
36 months		10%	50%	
60 months		20%	100%	
OC12 Service				
36 months		10%	50%	
60 months		20%	100%	
OC48 Service				
36 months		10%	50%	
60 months		20%	100%	
OC192 Service				(N)
36 months		10%	50%	
60 months		20%	100%	(N)
(E) <u>Optional Features and Functions</u>		<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	
(1) <u>Customer Node</u>				
Per Node				
OC3	155.52 Mbps	\$418.75	\$11,300.00	
OC12	622.08 Mbps	\$967.05	\$13,250.00	
OC48	2.5 Gbps	\$3,615.00	\$197.00	(C)
OC192	10 Gbps	\$7,250.00	\$17,250.00	(N)

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Rate

(N)

(2) Customer Premises Port

(M)

Per Port

(M)

DS1	\$50.00	(C)
DS3	\$135.00	
STS1	\$135.00	
OC3/OC3c	\$112.75	
OC12/OC12c	\$112.75	(C)
OC48/OC48c	\$450.00	(N)
10 Mbps	\$56.75	
20 Mbps	\$62.40	
50 Mbps	\$113.50	
100 Mbps	\$124.90	
150 Mbps	\$136.75	
300 Mbps	\$273.50	
450 Mbps	\$425.65	
600 Mbps	\$468.20	
1 Gbps	\$851.30	(N)

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Rate

(N)

(3) Add/Drop Multiplexing
Central Office Port

(M)

Per Port

(M)

DS1	\$42.00	(N)
DS3	\$115.00	(N)
STS1	\$115.00	(N)
OC3/OC3c	\$112.75	(C)
OC12/OC12c	\$112.75	(C)
OC48/OC48c	\$400.00	(N)
10 Mbps	\$43.85	
20 Mbps	\$48.25	
50 Mbps	\$87.70	
100 Mbps	\$96.50	
150 Mbps	\$114.70	
300 Mbps	\$229.40	
450 Mbps	\$412.70	
600 Mbps	\$454.00	
1 Gbps	\$825.40	

(4) SONET Regeneration

Per Regenerator

OC3	\$1,900.00
OC12	\$3,250.00
OC48	\$4,800.00
OC192	\$7,250.00

(5) Service Reconfiguration

Per STS1/DS3 equivalent

Nonrecurring
Charge

\$625.00

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19. Rates and Charges – Coastal Utilities, Inc. (Cont'd)19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)19.3.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service

Regulations concerning Synchronous Optical Channel Service are set forth in 7.11 preceding.

		Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge	
(A)	<u>Channel Termination</u>			
	Per Termination			
	OC3/OC3c 155.52 Mbps			(C)
	- Within the Central Office	\$1,750.00	\$315.00	
	- 0-3 Miles from the Central Office	\$2,450.00	\$315.00	
	- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$3,450.00	\$315.00	
	OC12/OC12c 622.08 Mbps			(C)
	- Within the Central Office	\$2,350.00	\$315.00	
	- 0-3 Miles from the Central Office	\$3,100.00	\$315.00	
	- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$4,200.00	\$315.00	
	OC48/OC48c 2.5 Gbps			(C)
	- Within the Central Office	\$7,950.00	\$315.00	
	- 0-3 Miles from the Central Office	\$8,850.00	\$315.00	
	- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$10,175.00	\$315.00	
	OC192 10 Gbps			(N)
	- Within the Central Office	\$19,875.00	\$315.00	
	- 0-3 Miles from the Central Office	\$22,125.00	\$315.00	
	- Over 3 Miles from the Central Office	\$24,650.00	\$315.00	(N)
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19. Rates and Charges – Coastal Utilities, Inc. (Cont'd)

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19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)19.3.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service

		Monthly Rate	(N)
(B)	<u>Channel Mileage Facility</u>		(M)
	Per Mile		(M)
	OC3/OC3c 155.52 Mbps	\$270.00	(C)
	OC12/OC12c 622.08 Mbps	\$620.00	(C)
	OC48/OC48c 2.5 Gbps	\$2,050.00	(N)
	OC192 10 Gbps	\$6,780.00	(N)
(C)	<u>Channel Mileage Termination</u>		(M)
	Per Termination		(M)
	OC3/OC3c 155.52 Mbps	\$440.00	(C)
	OC12/OC12c 622.08 Mbps	\$835.00	(C)
	OC48/OC48c 2.5 Gbps	\$2,400.00	(N)
	OC192 10 Gbps	\$6,900.00	(N)

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18. Rates and Charges – Coastal Utilities, Inc. (Cont'd)19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)19.3.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service (Cont'd)(D) Term Discounts Monthly Rate Non Recurring

OC3 Service

36 months

10%

50%

60 months

20%

100%

OC12 Service

36 months

10%

50%

60 months

20%

100%

OC48 Service

36 months

10%

50%

60 months

20%

100%

OC192 Service

36 months

10%

50%

60 months

20%

100%

(N)

(N)

(N)

(E) Optional Features and FunctionsMonthly
RateNonrecurring
Charge(1) Customer Node

Per Node

OC3 155.52 Mbps

\$1,565.00

\$197.00

OC12 622.08 Mbps

\$2,610.00

\$197.00

OC48 2.5 Gbps

\$3,615.00

\$197.00

OC192 10 Gbps

\$7,250.00

\$197.00

(C)

(N)

(D)

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Rate(2) Customer Premises Port

Per Port

DS1	\$50.00
DS3	\$135.00
STS1	\$135.00
OC3/OC3c	\$385.00
OC12/OC12c	\$520.00
OC48/OC48c	\$1,050.00
10 Mbps	\$56.75
20 Mbps	\$62.40
50 Mbps	\$113.50
100 Mbps	\$124.90
150 Mbps	\$36.75
300 Mbps	\$273.50
450 Mbps	\$425.65
600 Mbps	\$468.20
1 Gbps	\$851.30

(N)

(N)

(M)

(M)

(C)

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(N)

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18. Rates and Charges – Coastal Utilities, Inc. (Cont'd)19.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)19.3.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service (Cont'd)(E) Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)(3) Add/Drop Multiplexing
Central Office Port

Per Port

DS1	\$42.00
DS3	\$115.00
STS1	\$115.00
OC3/OC3c	\$335.00
OC12/OC12c	\$450.00
OC48/OC48c	\$900.00
10 Mbps	\$43.85
20 Mbps	\$48.25
50 Mbps	\$87.70
100 Mbps	\$96.50
150 Mbps	\$114.70
300 Mbps	\$229.40
450 Mbps	\$412.70
600 Mbps	\$454.00
1 Gbps	\$825.40

(4) SONET Regeneration

Per Regenerator

OC3	\$1,900.00
OC12	\$3,250.00
OC48	\$4,800.00
OC192	\$7,250.00

(5) Service Reconfiguration

Per STS1/DS3 equivalent

Monthly
RateNonrecurring
Charge

\$625.00

(N)

(N)

(M)

(M)

(N)

(N)

(C)

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(N)

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20. Rates and Charges – Mebtel, Inc. (Cont'd)20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)20.3.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service

Regulations concerning Synchronous Optical Channel Service are set forth in 7.11 preceding.

			Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge	
(A)	<u>Channel Termination</u> Per Termination				
	OC3/OC3c	155.52 Mbps	\$2,052.60	\$315.00	(C)
	OC12/OC12c	622.08 Mbps	\$2,408.40	\$315.00	(C)
	OC48/OC48c	2.5 Gbps	\$7,250.00	\$4315.00	(N)
	OC192	10 Gbps	\$21,800.00	\$315.00	(N)
(B)	<u>Channel Mileage Facility</u> Per Mile				
	OC3/OC3c	155.52 Mbps	\$159.30		(C)
	OC12/OC12c	622.08 Mbps	\$280.40		(C)
	OC48/OC48c	2.5 Gbps	\$700.00		(N)
	OC192	10 Gbps	\$1,750.00		(N)
(C)	<u>Channel Mileage Termination</u> Per Termination				
	OC3/OC3c	155.52 Mbps	\$ 568.60		(C)
	OC12/OC12c	622.08 Mbps	\$1,775.05		(C)
	OC48/OC48c	2.5 Gbps	\$3,550.00		(N)
	OC192	10 Gbps	\$7,100.00		(N)

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20.	<u>Rates and Charges – Mebtel, Inc. (Cont'd)</u>			(N)
20.3	<u>Special Access Service (Cont'd)</u>			
20.3.11	<u>Synchronous Optical Channel Service (Cont'd)</u>			(N)
(D)	<u>Term Discounts</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Non Recurring</u>	(M)
	OC3 Service			
	36 months	10%	50%	
	60 months	20%	100%	
	OC12 Service			
	36 months	10%	50%	
	60 months	20%	100%	(M)
	OC48 Service			(N)
	36 months	10%	50%	
	60 months	20%	100%	
	OC192 Service			
	36 months	10%	50%	
	60 months	20%	100%	(N)

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		Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge	
(1)	<u>Customer Node</u>			
	Per Node			
	OC3 155.52 Mbps	\$434.70	\$197.00	
	OC12 622.08 Mbps	\$1,255.70	\$197.00	
	OC48 2.5 Gbps	\$3,625.00	\$197.00	(N)
	OC192 10 Gbps	\$7,250.00	\$197.00	(N)
(2)	<u>Customer Premises Port</u>			
	Per Port			
	DS1	\$43.95	\$54.00	(C)
	DS3	\$171.25	\$213.00	(C)
	STS-1	\$171.25	\$213.00	
	OC3/OC3c	\$131.75		(C)
	OC12/OC12c	\$500.00		(N)
	OC48/OC48c	\$1,000.00		(N)
	10 Mbps	\$56.75		
	20 Mbps	\$62.40		
	50 Mbps	\$113.50		
	100 Mbps	\$124.90		
	150 Mbps	\$136.75		
	300 Mbps	\$273.50		
	450 Mbps	\$425.65		
	600 Mbps	\$468.20		(N)
	1 Gbps	\$851.30		

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20. Rates and Charges – Mebtel, Inc. (Cont'd)

(N)

20.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)20.3.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service (Cont'd)(E) Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)Monthly
Rate

(N)

(3) Add/Drop Multiplexing
Central Office Port

(M)

Per Port

(M)

DS1	\$40.00	(C)
DS3/STS1	\$100.00	(C)
OC3/OC3c	\$131.75	(C)
OC12/OC12c	\$425.00	(N)
OC48/OC48c	\$850.00	
10 Mbps	\$43.85	
20 Mbps	\$48.25	
50 Mbps	\$87.70	
100 Mbps	\$96.50	
150 Mbps	\$114.70	
300 Mbps	\$229.40	
450 Mbps	\$412.70	
600 Mbps	\$454.00	
1 Gbps	\$825.40	

(4) SONET Regeneration

Per Regenerator

OC3	\$1,900.00
OC12	\$3,250.00
OC48	\$4,800.00
OC192	\$7,250.00

(5) Service Reconfiguration

Per STS1/DS3 equivalent

Nonrecurring
Charge

\$625.00

(N)

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