

ADVENTURE COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY, L.L.C.

ACCESS SERVICES TARIFF

Regulations and Schedule of Interstate Access Rates

This tariff includes the rates, charges, terms and conditions of service for the provision of interstate access telecommunications services by Aventure Communication Technology, L.L.C. within Iowa.

Access services are provided by means of wire, fiber optics, radio or any other suitable technology or combination thereof.

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EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

(C)	To signify changed regulation.	(T)
(D)	To signify discontinued rate or regulation.	(T)
(I)	To signify an increase.	
(M)	To signify matter relocated without change.	(T)
(N)	To signify new rate or regulation.	(T)
(R)	To signify a reduction.	
(T)	To signify a change in text, but no change in rate or regulation.	(T)
(S)	To signify a reissued matter.	(N)
(Z)	To signify a correction.	(N)

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SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS, (CONT'D)

Remote Switching Modules or Remote Switching Systems (RSM/RSS) - Small remotely controlled electronic End Office Switching equipment which obtains its call processing capability from a Host Office. An RSM/RSS cannot accommodate direct trunks to a Customer.

Service Commencement Date - The first day following the date on which the Company notifies the Customer that the requested service or facility is available for use, unless extended by the Customer's refusal to accept service which does not conform to standards in the service order or this tariff, in which case the service commencement date is the date of the Customer's acceptance. The Company and Customer may mutually agree on a substitute service commencement date.

Service Order - A written request for network services executed by the Customer and the Company. The signing of a Service Order by the Customer and acceptance by the Company begins the respective obligations of the parties in that order services offered under this tariff.

Station - Refers to telephone equipment or an exchange access line from or to which calls are placed.

Tandem Switch - See Access Tandem.

TDM – Time Division Multiplexing – a method of transmitting and receiving voice signals over the Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN).

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Terminal Equipment - Telecommunications devices, apparatus and associated wiring on the Customer-designated premises.

Terminating Direction - The completion of calls to an End User Premises.

Traffic – Used interchangeably with the term "Call." The term "Traffic" expressly includes voice and data communications, irrespective of transmission or switching technology or protocol (e.g., time-division multiplexing, Internet Protocol, etc.) delivered to, or received from, persons or entities that include, but are not limited to: conference call providers, chat line providers, calling card providers, call centers, help desk providers and residential and/or business users.

Trunk - A communications path connecting two switching systems in a network, used in the establishment of an end-to-end connection.

Trunk Group - A set of trunks which are traffic engineered as a unit for the establishment of connections between switching systems in which all of the communications paths are interchangeable.

V & H Coordinates - Geographic points which define the originating and terminating points of a call in mathematical terms so that the airline mileage of the call may be determined. Call mileage may be used for the purpose of rating calls.

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SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS, (CONT'D)

VOIP-PSTN Access Traffic - VoIP-PSTN Access Traffic is the access traffic exchanged between the Company and the Customer in time division multiplexing ("TDM") format that originates and/or terminates in Internet protocol ("IP") format. Traffic originates and/or terminates in IP format if it originates from and/or terminates to an end user customer of a service that requires Internet protocol compatible customer premises equipment.

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VoIP service – Transmission of communication by aid of wire, cable, radio, or other like connection using Voice Over Internet Protocol that is originated or terminated in Internet Protocol (IP) format. VoIP services are those services that require the use of IP compatible customer premises equipment.

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SECTION 3 - SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE

3.1 General

- 3.1.1 Switched Access Service provides a two-point communications path between a Customer's Premises and an End User's Premises. It provides for the use of common terminating, switching and trunking facilities and common subscriber plant, and is functionally equivalent to the incumbent local exchange company (ILEC) interstate exchange access services typically associated with the following rate elements: carrier common line (originating); carrier common line (terminating); local end office switching (including common trunk port); interconnection charge; information surcharge; tandem switched transport termination (fixed) (including common multiplexing); tandem switched transport facility (per mile); and tandem switching. (T)
- 3.1.2 When a rate as set forth in this tariff is shown to more than two decimal places, the charges will be determined using the rate shown. The resulting amount will then be rounded to the nearest penny (i.e., rounded to two decimal places).
- 3.1.3 In the absence of an ASR as described in Section 3.4, delivery of calls to, or acceptance of calls from, the Customer's End User location(s) via Company-provided switched access services shall constitute a Constructive Order and an agreement by the Customer to purchase the Company's switched access services as described and priced herein.
- 3.1.4 In those situations where a CMRS provider terminates interMTA traffic over the Company's network then the rates, terms and conditions of this tariff will apply.
- 3.1.5 In the absence of an agreement between the Company and the Customer specifying the treatment of VoIP-PSTN Traffic, all VoIP-PSTN Access traffic will be assessed switched access charges at the rates set forth in Section 3.7 of this tariff. (N)
- 3.1.6 The Company will assess and collect switched access rate elements under this tariff for access services, regardless of whether the Company itself delivers such traffic to the called party's premises or delivers the call to the called party's premises via contractual or other arrangements with an affiliated or unaffiliated provider of VoIP service that does not itself seek to collect switched access charges for the same traffic. The Company will not charge for functions not performed by the Company, its affiliated or unaffiliated provider of VoIP service. For purposes of this provision, functions provided by the Company as part of transmitting telecommunications between designated points using, in whole or in part, technology other than TDM transmission in a manner that is comparable to a service offered by a local exchange carrier constitutes the functional equivalent of carrier access service. (N)

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3.7 Rates and Charges

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3.7 Rates and Charges, (Cont'd.)

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