

SECTION 1 - GENERAL REGULATIONS

1.2 DEFINITIONS

ACCESS CODE - Denotes a uniform code assigned by the Company to an individual Customer. The code has the form 101XXXX, 950-0XXX, or 950-1XXX.

ACCESS MINUTES - Denotes that usage of exchange facilities in intrastate service for the purpose of calculating chargeable usage.

ACCESS TANDEM - A switching system that provides a traffic concentration and distribution function for originating or terminating traffic between end offices and a Customer's premises.

ANSWER SUPERVISION - The transmission of the switch trunk equipment supervisory signal (off-hook or on-hook) to the Customer's point of termination as an indication that the called party has answered or disconnected.

AUTOMATIC NUMBER IDENTIFICATION (ANI) – The Multi-Frequency signaling parameter (N)
that identifies the billing number of the calling party.

CALL - A Customer attempt for which the complete address code is provided to the service end office.

CALLING PARTY NUMBER (CPN) – The SS7 signaling parameter that identifies the (N)
subscriber line number or directory number of the calling party.

CARRIER OR COMMON CARRIER - Any individual, partnership, association, corporation or other entity engaged in intrastate communication for hire by wire or radio between two or more exchanges.

CENTRAL OFFICE - A local Company switching system where exchange service customer station loops are terminated for purposes of interconnection to each other and to trunks.

CHANNEL - A communications path between two or more points of termination.

CHARGE NUMBER (CN) – The SS7 signaling parameter that identifies the billing telephone (N)
number of the calling party.

COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM - Denotes channels and other facilities which are capable of communications between terminal equipment provided by other than the Company.

COMPANY – FiberNet Monticello

CUSTOMER - Any individual, partnership, association, corporation or other entity which
subscribes to the services offered under this Tariff, including but not limited to End Users, (C)
Interexchange Carriers and other telecommunications carriers or providers originating (C)
or terminating Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic. (C)