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SECTION 2 - TERMS AND CONDITIONS, (Cont'd.)

2.7 Taxes and Fees, (Cont'd.)

2.7.3 (Cont'd.)

- B. For recovery of contributions paid by the Company to support Universal Service Fund Fee (USF)

Telecommunications services provided by the Company are subject to an undiscountable monthly Universal Service Fund Fee, payable by the Customer. The fee shall be calculated as follows:

The gross amounts (exclusive of taxes) attributable to interstate and international services billed to the Customer by the Company will be multiplied by the following percentages:

13.3 percent for bills rendered on July 3, 2012 through September 30, 2012;  
14.7 percent for bills rendered on or after October 1, 2012.

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These percentages will be subject to periodic adjustment by the Company.

The USF Fee will not be applied to services sold by the Company to a Customer for resale for which the Customer has filed a Universal Service Worksheet, unless the Customer has a de minimis exemption which exempts the Customer from paying directly into the Universal Service Fund.