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SECTION 3 - SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE

3.1 GENERAL

Switched Access Service, which is available to Customers for their use in furnishing their services to End Users, provides for the use of Company network and network functionality to provide all or any part of the connection between a Customer's premises or point of presence and an End User's premises or equipment. An End User's premises or equipment may include, but is not limited to, a mobile handset device for services provided to an End User by a Commercial Mobile Radio Service ("CMRS") provider or a conference bridge or Enhanced Service Provider Platform, network or system, or functionally similar equipment collocated at the Company's switch site.

The application of rates for Switched Access Service is described in Sections 3.5 and 3.6 following. Rates and charges for services other than Switched Access Service, e.g., a Customer interLATA toll message service, may also be applicable when Switched Access Service is used in conjunction with these other services.

3.2 RATE CATEGORIES

There are three rate categories that apply to Switched Access Service: (T)

- Switched Access Service
- Local Termination Service (N)
- 8XX Toll-Free Access Service

All of the rate categories are billed as part of a combined or blended, per minute rate, and may be made up of other elements equivalent to those of the ILEC. Where separately invoiced, End-User Common Line services are described in Section 4 of this tariff and the rate schedule.

SECTION 3 - SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE (Cont'd)

RATE CATEGORIES (Cont'd)

3.2.1 Switched Access Service (SWAS)

SWAS provides for the use of Company switching equipment and network services to provide Switched Access Service where the Customer point of presence is connected directly to the Company's network or indirectly to the Company's network through a tandem switch or functionally similar equipment controlled by a third party such as an incumbent local exchange carrier. SWAS is a blended per-minute rate element and includes the functional equivalent of the services the competing ILEC would charge for the connection between the End User and the Customer point of presence. Federal Subscriber Line Charges and other flat-rated charges designed to recover costs of the common line are not included in SWAS. Per call database and other services are charged separately. 800 Data Base Access Service is charged separately. SWAS may include the following components: Tandem Switched Transport – Termination; Tandem Switched Transport - Facility, per access minute, per mile; Tandem Switching, Common Transport Multiplexing; Common Trunk Port, Local Switching and Carrier Common Line.

3.2.2 Local Transport Service (LTS)

(N)

Local Transport Service (LTS) provides for the transmission and switching of calls between the Customer designated premises and the switch (es) where the Customer traffic is switched to originate or terminate the Customer's communication when the End User is served by another carrier such as a wireless (CMRS Carrier). LTS is for the services where the IXC is indirectly connected to the company via the ILEC tandem. LTS may include: Tandem Switched Transport – Termination; Tandem Switched Transport - Facility, per access minute, per mile; Tandem Switching, Common Transport Multiplexing; Common Trunk Port, Local Switching and Carrier Common Line.

(N)

RATE ATTACHMENT – SWITCHED ACCESSSERVICES RATES AND CHARGES Rates**1. Switched Access Charge (SWAS) and Local Termination Service (LTS) (T)**

Switched Access Service charges and Local Termination Service charges are based on the |
 competing Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers' functionally equivalent services and associated |
 rates in the indicated areas. (T)

A. SWAS, per access minute, originating and terminating, all times of day, regardless of
 distance between Tandem and Company's Switch, blended rate:

- Verizon (NY) \$0.005724
- Verizon (NJ) \$0.005724
- Verizon (MD) \$0.005724

B. LTS, per access minute, originating and terminating, all times of day, regardless of (N)
 distance between Tandem and Company's Switch, blended rate: |

- Verizon (NY) \$0.004096 |
- Verizon (NJ) \$0.004096 |
- Verizon (MD) \$0.004096 (N)