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Regulations and Schedule Of Interstate  
Charges Governing the Provision Of  
Switched Access and Dedicated Telecommunications  
Services For Connection To Communications  
Facilities Within Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky,  
Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Pennsylvania,  
South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Virginia

BUSINESS TELECOM, INC.  
D/B/A EARTHLINK BUSINESS

Between Points In The United States As Specified Herein

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

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8.4 Rates and Charges - Recurring

8.4.1 Direct/Indirect Connection

A. AT&T (f/k/a BellSouth) Territory - AL, FL, GA, KY, LA, MS, NC, SC, TN

	ORIGINATING*	TERMINATING*
Common Transport, Facility Termination, per MOU	\$0.0001680	\$0.0001680
Common Transport, per MOU, per mile	\$0.0000200	\$0.0000200
DS3 to DS1 Multiplexer, per MOU	\$0.0003800	\$0.0003800
DS1 to VG Multiplexer, per MOU, associated with analog tandem	\$0.0006950	\$0.0006950
Access Tandem Switching, per MOU	\$0.0011450	\$0.0011450
Local Switching, LS2, per MOU	\$0.0020890	\$0.00177500 ( <b>R</b> )
Common Trunk Port, per MOU	\$0.0008000	\$0.0000000
Information Surcharge, per 100 access minutes	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000

\*Rate for Intermediate Provider Access Service when applicable.

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8.4 Rates and Charges – Recurring, (cont'd)

8.4.1 Direct/Indirect Connection (Cont'd.)

B. CenturyTel Territory

	ORIGINATING*	TERMINATING*
Local Switching-EOS2/EOSB, per MOU		
Southern Alabama	\$0.0016401	\$0.00080800 <b>(R)</b>
Northern Alabama	\$0.0032696	\$0.00144260 <b>(R)</b>
Information Surcharge, per MOU		
Southern Alabama	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Northern Alabama	\$0.0000398	\$0.0000398
Shared Trunk Port, per MOU		
Southern Alabama	\$0.0003893	\$0.00019180 <b>(R)</b>
Northern Alabama	\$0.0007001	\$0.00030890 <b>(R)</b>
Shared Multiplexing, per MOU		
Southern Alabama	\$0.0000209	\$0.0000209
Northern Alabama	\$0.0001510	\$0.0001510
Tandem Switched Transport, Facility, per MOU, per mile		
Southern Alabama	\$0.0000121	\$0.0000121
Northern Alabama	\$0.0000910	\$0.0000910
Tandem Switched Transport Termination, per MOU		
Southern Alabama	\$0.0000349	\$0.0000349
Northern Alabama	\$0.0002845	\$0.0002845
Tandem Switching, per MOU		
Southern Alabama	\$0.0003558	\$0.0003558
Northern Alabama	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000

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8.4.1 Direct/Indirect Connection (Cont'd.)

C. CenturyLink (f/k/a Embarq f/k/a Sprint) Territory (Cont'd.)

	ORIGINATING*	TERMINATING*
Trunk Port, per MOU		
Florida	\$0.0005570	\$0.00024000 <b>(R)</b>
North Carolina	\$0.0003860	\$0.00016300 <b>(R)</b>
South Carolina	\$0.0005370	\$0.00022300 <b>(R)</b>
Tennessee	\$0.0005370	\$0.00022300 <b>(R)</b>
Virginia	\$0.0005370	\$0.00022300 <b>(R)</b>
Local Switching, per MOU		
Florida	\$0.0035680	\$0.00154000 <b>(R)</b>
North Carolina	\$0.0037350	\$0.00157600 <b>(R)</b>
South Carolina	\$0.0037090	\$0.00154400 <b>(R)</b>
Tennessee	\$0.0037090	\$0.00154400 <b>(R)</b>
Virginia	\$0.0037090	\$0.00154400 <b>(R)</b>
Information Surcharge		
Florida	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
North Carolina	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000

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8.4.1 Direct/Indirect Connection (Cont'd.)

D. SBC (f/k/a SWBT) - Texas

	ORIGINATING*	TERMINATING*
Tandem Switched Transport, Common Transport, per access minute	\$0.0000530	\$0.0000530
Tandem Switched Transport, Common Transport, per access minute, per mile	\$0.0000030	\$0.0000030
Tandem Switching, Per MOU	\$0.0002880	\$0.0002880
Tandem End Office Multiplexing, per MOU	\$0.0000470	\$0.0000470
Local Switching, Premium, LS2, per MOU	\$0.0025630	\$0.00229900 <b>(R)</b>
Shared End Office Trunk Port, per MOU	\$0.0009000	\$0.0000000
Information Surcharge	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000

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8.4.1 Direct/Indirect Connection (Cont'd.)

E. Verizon (f/k/a Bell Atlantic) Territory

	ORIGINATING*	TERMINATING*
Tandem Transport, fixed, per MOU	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Tandem Transport, per mile, per MOU	\$0.0000020	\$0.0000020
Tandem Switching, per MOU	\$0.0015740	N/A
Transport Multiplexing (DS3 to DS1), per MOU	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Local Switching, LS2, per MOU	\$0.0024060	\$0.00193100 ( <b>R</b> )
Shared End Office Trunk, per MOU	\$0.0016880	\$0.0000000

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F Verizon (f/k/a GTE) Territory (Cont'd.)

	ORIGINATING*	TERMINATING*
End Office Switching (EOS2), per MOU		
Florida	\$0.0020995	\$0.00191800 ( <b>R</b> )
Pennsylvania	\$0.0024060	\$0.00191400 ( <b>R</b> )
Texas	\$0.0024060	\$0.00194400 ( <b>R</b> )
Virginia	\$0.0024060	\$0.00166200 ( <b>R</b> )
Shared Trunk Port, per MOU		
Florida	\$0.0016920	\$0.0000000
Pennsylvania	\$0.0016880	\$0.0000000
Texas	\$0.0016920	\$0.0000000
Virginia	\$0.0016880	\$0.0000000
Information Surcharge, per MOU		
Florida	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Texas	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000

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8.4.1 Direct/Indirect Connection (Cont'd.)

G. Verizon (f/k/a CONTEL) Territory

	ORIGINATING*	TERMINATING*
Local Switching, Premium Rate (ESOB) per MOU		
Pennsylvania	\$0.0024060	\$0.00190000 ( <b>R</b> )
Texas	\$0.0024060	\$0.00206000 ( <b>R</b> )
Virginia	\$0.0024060	\$0.00173600 ( <b>R</b> )
Information Surcharge, per MOU		
Pennsylvania	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Texas	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Virginia	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Shared Trunk Port, per MOU		
Pennsylvania	\$0.0016880	\$0.0000000
Texas	\$0.0016920	\$0.0000000
Virginia	\$0.0016880	\$0.0000000
Shared Multiplexing, per MOU		
Pennsylvania	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Texas	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Virginia	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Tandem-Switched Transport, Facility, per MOU, per mile		
Pennsylvania	\$0.0000020	\$0.0000020
Texas	\$0.0000020	\$0.0000020
Virginia	\$0.0000020	\$0.0000020

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8.4.1 Direct/Indirect Connection (Cont'd.)

H. Verizon (f/k/a NYNEX) Territory

	ORIGINATING*	TERMINATING*
Local Transport Termination, per MOU	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Local Transport Facility, per mile, per MOU	\$0.0000020	\$0.0000020
Tandem Switching, per MOU	\$0.0015740	\$0.0015740
Transport Multiplexing (DS3 to DS1), per MOU	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Local Switching, LS2, Per MOU	\$0.0024060	\$0.00190600 ( <b>R</b> )
Shared End Office Trunk Port, per MOU	\$0.0016880	\$0.0000000

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8.4.1 Direct/Indirect Connection (Cont'd.)

I. Windstream (f/k/a ALLTEL) Territory (Cont'd.)

	ORIGINATING*	TERMINATING*
Local Switching, LS2, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0032320	\$0.00143990 ( <b>R</b> )
Georgia	\$0.0031950	\$0.00144950 ( <b>R</b> )
Sugar Land, Texas	\$0.0010000	\$0.00064170 ( <b>R</b> )
Kentucky (Lexington)	\$0.0013823	\$0.00068050 ( <b>R</b> )
Kentucky (London)	\$0.0032776	\$0.00138600 ( <b>R</b> )
Information Surcharge per 100 minutes		
North Carolina	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Georgia	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Sugar Land, Texas	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
End Office Common Trunk Port, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0008090	\$0.00036040 ( <b>R</b> )
Georgia	\$0.0009260	\$0.00042010 ( <b>R</b> )
Sugar Land, Texas	\$0.0016000	\$0.00102670 ( <b>R</b> )
Kentucky (Lexington)	\$0.0007029	\$0.00034600 ( <b>R</b> )
Kentucky (London)	\$0.0008992	\$0.00038030 ( <b>R</b> )

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8.4.1 Direct/Indirect Connection (Cont'd.)

J. Frontier Communications Territory (former Verizon/GTE Exchanges)

	ORIGINATING*	TERMINATING*
Tandem-Switched Transport, Facility, per MOU per mile		
North Carolina	\$0.0000020	\$0.0000020
South Carolina	\$0.0000020	\$0.0000020
Tandem-Switched Transport, Terminations, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
South Carolina	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Tandem Switching, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0016490	\$0.0016490
South Carolina	\$0.0024000	\$0.0024000
Shared Multiplexing, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
South Carolina	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
End Office Switching (ESO2), per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0019548	\$0.00203999 <b>(R)</b>
South Carolina	\$0.0020150	\$0.00161091 <b>(R)</b>
Shared Trunk Port, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0006170	\$0.0000000
South Carolina	\$0.0005352	\$0.0000000
Information Surcharge, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
South Carolina	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000

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8.4.1 Direct/Indirect Connection (Cont'd.)

K. Frontier Communications Territory (former Verizon/CONTEL Exchanges)

	ORIGINATING*	TERMINATING*
Local Switching, Premium Rate (ESOB) per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0021745	\$0.00183100 <b>(R)</b>
Information Surcharge, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Shared Trunk Port, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0007488	\$0.0000000
Shared Multiplexing, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Tandem-Switched Transport, Facility, per MOU, per mile		
North Carolina	\$0.0000020	\$0.0000020
Tandem-Switched Transport Termination, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0000000	\$0.0000000
Tandem Switching, per MOU		
North Carolina	\$0.0016490	\$0.0016490

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