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SECTION 2 GENERAL REGULATIONS (Cont'd)

2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances (Cont'd)

2.4.3 Credit Allowance for Service Interruptions (Cont'd)

(C) When Credit Allowance Does Not Apply (Cont'd)

(4) Interruptions of a service when the customer has released that service to the Telephone Company for maintenance purposes, to make rearrangements, or for the implementation of an order for a change in the service during the time that was negotiated with the customer prior to the release of that service. Thereafter, a credit allowance as set forth in (B) preceding applies.

(5) Interruptions of a service which continue because of the failure of the customer to authorize replacement of any element of special construction, as set forth in the Telephone Company's Tariff F.C.C. NO. 5 for Special Construction. The period for which no credit allowance is made begins on the seventh day after the customer receives the Telephone Company's written notification of the need for such replacement and ends on the day after receipt by the Telephone Company of the customer's written authorization for such replacement.

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(6) Periods when the customer elects not to release the service for testing and/or repair and continues to use it on an impaired basis.

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SECTION 3. FEDERAL UNIVERSAL SERVICE CHARGE, ISDN LINE PORTS AND DS1 LINE PORTS

3.1 General Description

The Federal Universal Service Charge (FUSC) recovers the Telephone Company’s contribution to various federal universal service funds.

FUSC will be billed by only those Telephone Companies contributing to the universal service funds. The Telephone Company will apply a surcharge factor each month to the billed charges for interstate access services provided to end users from this Tariff. FUSC will not apply to any billed charges for an end user when the interstate access service provided to the end user qualifies under the federal universal service guidelines for Lifeline Assistance. FUSC will not apply to interstate access services purchased by customers that resell these services to end users as part of an interstate telecommunications service and are required to contribute to the various federal universal service funds. In case of a dispute regarding whether the customer is reselling services and contributing to the various federal universal service funds, the Telephone Company may request a signed certification to that effect from the customer.

3.2 Regulations, Rates and Charges

The Telephone Company will bill FUSC each month as described below. The FUSC Surcharge Factor is set forth below.

(A) FUSC Surcharge Factor

The Telephone Company will multiply the FUSC Surcharge Factor listed below against the end user’s billed interstate access services charges.

	<u>Percentage</u>	
FUSC Surcharge Factor	20.1%	(I)

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SECTION 5. ORDERING OPTIONS FOR SWITCHED AND SPECIAL ACCESS NON-COMPETITIVE END USER CHANNEL TERMINATION (EUCT) SERVICE (Cont'd)5.1 General (Cont'd)5.1.3 Special Constructions

The regulations, rates and charges for special construction are set forth in the Telephone Company's Tariff F.C.C. NO. 5, Special Construction, and are in addition to the regulations, rates and charges specified in this section. (T)

5.2 Access Order

An Access Order is used by the Telephone Company to provide to a customer Access Service as follows:

- Switched Access Services as set forth in Section 6 following, and
- Special Access Non-Competitive End User Channel Termination (EUCT) Service as described in Section 7 following.

When ordering Switched Access service, the customer must specify whether the service is to be directly routed to an end office switch or through an access tandem. The customer may also order direct trunks to the tandem with common facilities from the tandem to the end office. When service is ordered direct, the customer must specify the type and quantity of Direct Trunked Transport facility (e.g., Voice Grade or High Capacity).

The customer must also specify the type of Entrance Facility to be used for Switched Access (e.g., Voice Grade or High Capacity). For High Capacity Entrance Facilities, the customer must specify the facility assignment and the channel assignment for each trunk.

Direct Trunked Transport is available at all end offices except those identified in NATIONAL EXCHANGE CARRIER ASSOCIATION, INC. TARIFF F.C.C. NO. 3, as not having the capability to provide Direct Trunked Transport. Direct Trunked Transport is not available.

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SECTION 6. SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE (Cont'd)6.1 General (Cont'd)6.1.3 Special Facilities Routing (Cont'd)

The regulations, rates and charges will be according to the provisions of the Telephone Company's Tariff FCC NO. 5, Special Construction. (T)

6.1.4 Design Layout Report

At the request of the customer, the Telephone Company will provide to the customer the makeup of the facilities and services provided from the customer designated premises to the first point of switching. This information will be provided in the form of a Design Layout Report. Design Layout Reports will also be provided for Special Access Services which are used in the provisioning of WATS Service when specifically requested by the customer. The Design Layout Report will be provided to the customer at no charge, and will be reissued or updated whenever these facilities are materially changed.

6.1.5 Acceptance Testing

At no additional charge, the Telephone Company will, at the customer's request, cooperatively test at the time of installation the following parameters: loss, C-notched noise, C-message noise, 3-tone slope, d.c. continuity and operational signaling. When the Local Transport is provided with Interface Groups 2 through 10 as set forth in Section 15 of National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, and the Transport Termination is two-wire (i.e., there is a four wire to two-wire conversion in Local Transport), balance parameters (equal level echo path loss) may also be tested. (T)  
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SECTION 7. SPECIAL ACCESS SERVICE (Cont'd)

7.4 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

7.4.7 High Capacity Service

	<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>
(A) Non-Competitive End User Channel Termination (EUCT) Per Termination		
- DS1	\$ 80.52 (R)	\$ 249.52
- DS3	\$761.59	\$ 249.52
(B) Reserved For Future Use		
(C) Reserved For Future Use		
(D) Term Discounts		<u>Percentage</u>
DS1 and DS3 Services		
36 Months		10%
60 Months		20%

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