

## ACCESS SERVICE

## CHECK SHEET

Title Page, Supplement No. 1 inclusive and Pages 1 through 47 of this Tariff are effective as of the date shown. Original and revised pages as named below contain all changes from the original Tariff that are in effect on the date hereof.

<u>Page</u>	<u>Revision</u>	<u>Page</u>	<u>Revision</u>	<u>Page</u>	<u>Revision</u>
Title Page	Original	29.4	Original		
Supplement	Original	29.5	Original		
1	11 <sup>th</sup> Revised*	29.6	Original		
2	Original	29.7	Original		
3	Original	30	1 <sup>st</sup> Revised		
4	1 <sup>st</sup> Revised*	30.1	Original		
5	Original	31	Original		
6	1 <sup>st</sup> Revised	32	Original		
7	4 <sup>th</sup> Revised	33	1 <sup>st</sup> Revised		
8	4 <sup>th</sup> Revised	34	2 <sup>nd</sup> Revised		
9	3 <sup>rd</sup> Revised*	34.1	Original		
10	3 <sup>rd</sup> Revised	35	Original		
11	1 <sup>st</sup> Revised	36	Original		
12	1 <sup>st</sup> Revised	37	1 <sup>st</sup> Revised		
13	Original	37.1	Original		
14	Original	38	Original		
15	Original	39	Original		
16	Original	40	Original		
17	Original	41	Original		
18	Original	42	Original		
19	Original	43	Original		
20	Original	44	Original		
21	Original	45	4 <sup>th</sup> Revised*		
22	Original	46	5 <sup>th</sup> Revised*		
23	Original	46.1	2 <sup>nd</sup> Revised*		
24	Original	47	1 <sup>st</sup> Revised		
25	Original				
26	Original				
27	Original				
28	Original				
29	1 <sup>st</sup> Revised				
29.1	Original				
29.2	Original				
29.3	Original				

\* Pages included in current filing.

Transmittal No. 14  
Issued: July 10, 2020

[In lieu of Transmittal No. 12, rejected by the Federal Communications Commission.]  
Effective: July 25, 2020

James Groft  
2211 Eighth Avenue NE, Suite 1101  
Aberdeen, SD 57401

ACCESS SERVICE

TABLE OF CONTENTS (Cont'd)

	<u>Page</u>	
7. <b><u>RATES AND CHARGES</u></b>	45	
7.1 General	45	
7.2 Switched Access Service	45	
7.2.1 Recurring Rate Elements	45	
7.2.2 Rates Reflect Tariffed Rates of CenturyLink Operating Companies	46 – 46.1	(T)
7.2.3 800 Database Access Service	47	(T)
7.3 Other Services	47	
7.3.1 Technician Hourly Rates	47	
7.3.2 Unauthorized PIC Change Charge	47	
7.3.3 Access Order Charge	47	

## ACCESS SERVICE

### DEFINITIONS (Cont'd)

Network: Refers to the Company's facilities, equipment, and services provided under this Tariff. The Company may provide and own its own facilities, equipment or services, or may obtain and use those of other providers.

Nonrecurring Charge: A one-time charge or special fee, generally applied to activities associated with the installation or establishment of services, facilities, or equipment, construction, rearrangements, and/or optional features and functions.

Point of Presence: A physical place where a carrier accesses the Company's network.

Presubscription: An arrangement whereby an End User selects and designates to the Company or other local exchange carrier an IXC that the End User wishes to use, without dialing an access code, for making long-distance Calls. The selected IXC is referred to as the Presubscribed Interexchange Carrier (PIC).

Recurring Charges (MRCs): Monthly or other periodic (as specified) charges to the Buyer for services, facilities and equipment which continue for the agreed-upon duration of the service.

Service(s): Interstate Access Service(s). Service provided to a Customer by the Company pursuant to this tariff.

Simple Interest: The interest rate that is set for the Federal Reserve's two-year Treasury bill on the most recent January 31st.

Switched Access Service: Access to the Network of the Company for the purpose of receiving or delivering Calls. Telecommunications: The transmission, between or among points specified by the user, of information of the user's choosing, without change in the form or content of the information as sent and received.

Traffic: Another term for Calls. These terms expressly include communications that are delivered to, or received from, persons or entities that include, but are not limited to: conference call providers, chat line providers, calling card providers, call centers, help desk providers, and residential and/or business users.

Terminating – Tandem End Office: Refers to the Transport services provided when the Buyer orders and Company provides Transport to terminate Traffic to Company's end office, host switch, or remote switch from a designated access tandem. (N)  
(N)  
(N)

Transport: Transmission of a Customer's or Buyer's communication between two points on a network. This includes Tandem-Switched Transport. (T)  
(T)

(D)  
—  
(D)

*\*Material located on this page was previously located on Page No. 8.*

*\*Material previously located on this page has been relocated to Page No. 10.*

Transmittal No. 14  
Issued: July 10, 2020

[In lieu of Transmittal No. 12, rejected by the Federal Communications Commission.]  
Effective: July 25, 2020

James Groft  
2211 Eighth Avenue NE, Suite 1101  
Aberdeen, SD 57401

ACCESS SERVICE

7. **RATES AND CHARGES**

7.1 **General**

Rates for Access Service and the other services listed in this Tariff will include usage charges for the rate elements, applicable Recurring Charges, Nonrecurring Charges and miscellaneous charges or combinations of same and are identified herein.

7.2 **Switched Access Service**

7.2.1 Recurring Rate Elements:

- (a) Local Switching, per MOU
- (b) Tandem-Switched Transport Facility – Per Mile, per MOU
- (c) Tandem-Switched Transport Termination – per MOU
- (d) Common Transport Multiplexing, per MOU
- (e) Carrier Common Line, per MOU
- (f) End Office Shared Port, per MOU
- (g) [Intentionally omitted]
- (h) Information Surcharge (if applicable)

(D)

## ACCESS SERVICE

7. RATES AND CHARGES (Cont'd)7.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

## 7.2.2 Rates Reflect Tariffed Rates of CenturyLink Operating Companies (T)

The Company offers service for Access Service, which includes the following elements: Local Switching, Tandem Switching, Tandem Switched Transport Facility – Per Mile, per MOU, Tandem Switched Transport, Common Transport Multiplexing, and End Office Shared Port. Unless expressly noted otherwise, these rates mirror those filed by CenturyLink Operating Companies on file with the Commission. (T)

Mileage for the Tandem Switched Facility rate will be calculated in accordance with Section 3.2.2.

The following rates are applicable to service provided to Buyers to access all End Users, including Volume End Users:

End Office Elements

Local Switching, per MOU		
Originating	\$ 0.001974 [Note 1]	(T)
Terminating	\$ 0.000000	
End Office Shared Port, per MOU		
Originating	\$ 0.000747 [Note 1]	
Terminating	\$ 0.000000	
Carrier Common Line, per MOU		
Originating	\$ 0.000000	
Terminating	\$ 0.000000	(T)

Tandem-Switched Transport Elements

Tandem-Switched Transport Facility – Per mile, per MOU		
Originating	\$0.000030 [Note 3]	(T) (D)
Terminating – Tandem End Office	\$ 0.00000	(D) (T) <sup>x</sup>
Tandem Switched Transport Termination, per MOU		
Originating	\$0.000240 [Note 3]	(T) (D)
Terminating – Tandem End Office	\$ 0.00000	(D) <sup>x</sup>

[Note 1] Rate mirrors CenturyLink Operating Companies Tariff F.C.C. No. 11, Section 6.8.2.A.1. [LS2]  
Revised to include the specific rates that had previously been referenced in the tariff. (T)

*\*Material previously located on this page has been relocated to Page No. 46.1 and 47.*

<sup>(x)</sup> *Material removed in response to Commission Order FCC 20-78.*

Transmittal No. 14  
Issued: July 10, 2020

[In lieu of Transmittal No. 12, rejected by the Federal Communications Commission.]  
Effective: July 25, 2020

James Groft  
2211 Eighth Avenue NE, Suite 1101  
Aberdeen, SD 57401

ACCESS SERVICE

7. RATES AND CHARGES (Cont'd)

7.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

7.2.2	Rates Reflect Tariffed Rates of CenturyLink Operating Companies (Cont'd)	(T)
	Common Transport Multiplexing, per MOU	
	Originating	\$ 0.000036 [Note 3] (T)
		(D)
	Terminating – Tandem End Office	\$ 0.000000 (D) (T) <sup>x</sup>

[Note 2] Intentionally omitted.

(D)

[Note 3] Rate mirrors CenturyLink Operating Companies Tariff F.C.C. No. 11, Section 6.8.1.C.1. Revised to include the specific rates that had previously been referenced in the tariff.

(T)

(D)<sup>x</sup>

(D)<sup>x</sup>

*\*Material located on this page was previously relocated to Page No. 46.*

*(x) Material removed in response to Commission Order FCC 20-78.*

Transmittal No. 14  
Issued: July 10, 2020

[In lieu of Transmittal No. 12, rejected by the Federal Communications Commission.]  
Effective: July 25, 2020

James Groft  
2211 Eighth Avenue NE, Suite 1101  
Aberdeen, SD 57401