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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.2 Switched Access Service (Continued)

| 17.2.2 | <u>Local Transport</u> | <u>Rate</u> |
|--------|--|----------------|
| (A) | <u>Premium Access</u> | |
| | - Entrance Facility, Per Termination | |
| | - Voice Grade Two-Wire | \$ 35.09 |
| | - Voice Grade Four-Wire | \$ 58.31 (R) |
| | - High Capacity DS1 | \$ 183.67 |
| | - High Capacity DS3 | \$2,130.65 (R) |
| (B) | <u>Direct Trunked Transport</u> | |
| | - Direct Trunked Facility Per Mile | |
| | - Voice Grade | \$ 2.60 (R) |
| | - High Capacity DS1 | \$ 19.88 |
| | - High Capacity DS3 | \$ 136.87 (R) |
| | - Direct Trunked Termination Per Termination | |
| | - Voice Grade | \$ 26.08 (R) |
| | - High Capacity DS1 | \$ 98.04 |
| | - High Capacity DS3 | \$ 546.00 (R) |
| (C) | <u>Tandem Switched Transport</u> | |
| | - Tandem Switched Facility Per Access Minute, per Mile | \$.000256 (R) |
| | - Tandem Switched Termination Per Access Minute, per Termination | \$.007087 (R) |
| (D) | <u>Tandem Switching</u> | |
| | - Per Access Minute, per Tandem | \$.002366 |
| (E) | Residual Interconnection Charge, per Access Minute | \$.000000 |

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.2 Switched Access Service (Continued)

| 17.2.2 | <u>Local Transport</u> (Continued) | <u>Rate</u> |
|--------|--|--|
| (F) | Multiplexing, Per arrangement DS3 to DS1 DS1 to Voice | \$ 492.69 (R) \$ 190.21 (R) |
| (G) | <u>Network Blocking per Blocked Call</u> Applies to FGD only | \$.0155 |
| (H) | <u>Common Channel Signaling Network Connection</u> - Signaling Network Access Link - Signaling Mileage Facility, per mile - Signaling Mileage Termination, per Termination - Signaling Entrance Facility, per Facility - STP Port - Per port | \$ 3.96 \$ 39.79 \$ 64.75 \$ 455.00 |
| (I) | <u>800 Data Base Access Service Queries</u> - Per Query - Basic - Vertical Feature | \$.0048 \$.0054 |

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.2 Switched Access Service (Continued)

| 17.2.3 | <u>End Office</u> | <u>Rate</u> |
|--------|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| (A) | <u>Local Switching</u> | |
| | <u>Premium</u> | |
| - | Local Switching, Per Access Minute | \$.033501 (R) |
| (B) | <u>Information Surcharge</u> | |
| | <u>Premium</u> | |
| - | Per 100 access minutes | \$.000000 |

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.2 Metallic Service

Regulations concerning Metallic Service are set forth in 7.4. of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

| | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>Nonrecurring Charge</u> |
|--|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| (A) Channel Termination, Per Termination | \$ 20.88 | \$ 161.00 |
| (B) Channel Mileage | | |
| (1) Channel Mileage Facility, Per Mile | \$ 2.10 | |
| (2) Channel Mileage Termination, Per Termination | \$ 30.06 | |
| (C) Optional Features and Functions | | |
| (1) Bridging | | |
| (a) Three Premises Bridging, Per Port | \$ 6.75 (R) | |
| (b) Series Bridging, Per Port | \$ 6.75 (R) | |

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.3 Telegraph Grade Service

Regulations concerning Telegraph Grade Service are set forth in 7.5. of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

| | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>Nonrecurring Charge</u> |
|--|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| (A) Channel Termination, Per Termination | | |
| - Two-Wire | \$ 21.69 (R) | \$ 161.00 |
| - Four-Wire | \$ 43.40 (R) | \$ 161.00 |
| (B) Channel Mileage | | |
| (1) Channel Mileage Facility, Per Mile | \$ 2.60 (R) | |
| (2) Channel Mileage Termination, Per Termination | \$ 26.08 (R) | |
| (C) Optional Features and Functions | | |
| (1) Telegraph Bridging, Per Port | | |
| - Two-Wire | \$ 6.75 (R) | |
| - Four-Wire | \$ 6.75 (R) | |

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.4 Voice Grade Service

Regulations concerning Voice Grade Service are set forth in 7.6. of NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

| | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>Nonrecurring Charge</u> |
|---|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| (A) Channel Termination, Per Termination | | |
| - Two-Wire | \$ 36.45 (R) | \$ 161.00 |
| - Four-Wire | \$ 58.31 (R) | \$ 161.00 |
| (B) Channel Mileage | | |
| (1) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile | \$ 2.60 (R) | |
| (2) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination | \$ 26.08 (R) | |
| (C) Optional Features and Functions | | |
| (1) Bridging | | |
| (a) <u>Voice Bridging,</u> Per Port - Two- Wire/Four-Wire | | |
| - Two-Wire | \$ 6.75 (R) | |
| - Four-Wire | \$ 6.75 (R) | |

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.4 Voice Grade Service (Continued)Monthly
Rate(C) Optional Features and Functions
(Continued)(1) Bridging (Continued)(b) Data Bridging, per port

| | | |
|---|-----------|-------------|
| - | Two-Wire | \$ 6.75 (R) |
| - | Four-Wire | \$ 6.75 (R) |

(c) Telephoto Bridging,
per port

| | | |
|---|-----------|-------------|
| - | Two-Wire | \$ 6.75 (R) |
| - | Four-Wire | \$ 6.75 (R) |

(d) DATAPHONE Select-A-
Station BridgingSequential Arrangement
Ports, Per channel
connected

| | | |
|---|-----------|----------|
| - | Two-Wire | \$ 22.19 |
| - | Four-Wire | \$117.70 |

Addressable Arrangement
Ports, Per channel
connected

| | | |
|---|-----------|----------|
| - | Two-Wire | \$ 23.75 |
| - | Four-Wire | \$102.80 |

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.4 Voice Grade Service (Continued)Monthly
Rate(C) Optional Features and Functions
(Continued)(1) Bridging (Continued)(e) Telemetry and Alarm
BridgingActive Bridging Channel
Connections,
Per Channel Connected

- Split Band \$ 9.23 (R)

- Summation \$ 3.47

Passive Bridging
Channel Connections,
Per Channel Connected \$ 0.24

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.4 Voice Grade Service (Continued)

| | | Monthly Rate |
|-----|--|-----------------|
| (C) | Optional Features and Functions (Continued) | |
| (2) | Conditioning, Per Termination | |
| - | C Type | \$ 7.48 (R) |
| - | Improved Attenuation Distortion * | \$ NONE |
| - | Improved Enveloped Delay Distortion* | \$ NONE |
| - | Sealing Current | \$ NONE |
| (3) | Improved Return Loss for Effective Two-Wire or Four- Wire Transmission, Per Termination | |
| - | Two-Wire | \$ 13.30 (R) |
| - | Four-Wire | \$ 13.30 (R) |

* Improved Attenuation Distortion and Improved Envelope Delay Distortion will continue to be provided to all customers who were provided with either or both of these optional features in conjunction with C-Type Conditioning prior to May 4, 1988.

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.4 Voice Grade Service (Continued)

| | | <u>Monthly Rates</u> |
|-----|--|--------------------------|
| (C) | Optional Features and Functions (Continued) | |
| (4) | Customer Specified Receive Level, Per Two-Wire Termination | \$ 8.80 |
| (5) | Multiplexing, Per arrangement Voice to Telegraph Grade | \$226.19 |
| (6) | Data Capability, Per Termination | \$ 4.95 |
| (7) | Telephoto Capability, Per Termination | \$ 9.02 |
| (8) | Signaling Capability, Per Termination | \$ 13.45 (R) |
| (9) | Selective Signaling Arrangement, Per Arrangement | \$ 6.50 |

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.5 Program Audio Service

Regulations concerning Program Audio Service are set forth in 7.7. of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

| | Monthly Rate | Daily* Rate | Nonrecurring Charge | |
|---|-----------------|----------------|------------------------|----------|
| | | | Monthly | Daily |
| (A) Channel Termination, per Termination | | | | |
| - 200 to 3500 Hz | \$ 67.26 (R) | \$ 6.73 (R) | \$ 149.00 | \$149.00 |
| - 100 to 5000 Hz | 67.26 | 6.73 | 149.00 | 149.00 |
| - 50 to 8000 Hz | 67.26 | 6.73 | 149.00 | 149.00 |
| - 50 to 15000 Hz | 67.26 (R) | 6.73 (R) | 149.00 | 149.00 |

(B) Channel Mileage

| (1) Channel Mileage Facility, per mile | Monthly Rate | Daily* Rate |
|---|--------------|-------------|
| - 200 to 3500 Hz | \$ 2.50 | \$ 0.25 |
| - 100 to 5000 Hz | 5.00 | 0.50 |
| - 50 to 8000 Hz | 7.50 | 0.75 |
| - 50 to 15000 Hz | 10.00 | 1.00 |
| (2) Channel Mileage Termination, per Termination | | |
| - 200 to 3500 Hz | \$ 25.11 | \$ 2.51 |
| - 100 to 5000 Hz | 50.23 | 5.02 |
| - 50 to 8000 Hz | 75.34 | 7.53 |
| - 50 to 15000 Hz | 100.46 | 10.05 |

*Daily Rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in 7.2.2(B) of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.7 Digital Data Service

Regulations concerning Digital Data Service are set forth in 7.9 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

| | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>Nonrecurring Charge</u> |
|--|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| (A) Channel Termination, Per termination | | |
| - 2.4 kbps | \$ 67.26 (R) | \$ 177.00 |
| - 4.8 kbps | 67.26 | 177.00 |
| - 9.6 kbps | 67.26 | 177.00 |
| - 19.2 kbps | 67.26 | 177.00 |
| - 56.0 kbps | 67.26 | 177.00 |
| - 64.0 kbps | 67.26 (R) | 177.00 |
| (B) Channel Mileage | | |
| (1) Channel Mileage Facility, per Mile | | |
| - 2.4 kbps | \$ 4.11 (R) | |
| - 4.8 kbps | 4.11 | |
| - 9.6 kbps | 4.11 | |
| - 19.2 kbps | 4.11 | |
| - 56.0 kbps | 4.11 | |
| - 64.0 kbps | 4.11 (R) | |
| (2) Channel Mileage Termination, per Termination | | |
| - 2.4 kbps | \$ 41.33 (R) | |
| - 4.8 kbps | 41.33 | |
| - 9.6 kbps | 41.33 | |
| - 19.2 kbps | 41.33 | |
| - 56.0 kbps | 41.33 | |
| - 64.0 kbps | 41.33 (R) | |

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.7 Digital Data Service (Continued)

| | Monthly Rate |
|--|-----------------|
| (C) Optional Features and Functions | |
| (1) Bridging, Per port | \$ 8.15 (R) |
| (2) Loop Transfer Arrangement Per four port arrangement* Key activated** or Dial-up*** | \$ 6.21 |
| (3) Public Packet Switching Network Interface Arrangement | |
| - Per 9.6 kbps arrangement | ICB |
| - Per 56.0 kbps arrangement | ICB |
| (D) Channel Service Unit, per Termination**** | |
| - 2.4 kbps | \$ 31.05 |
| - 4.8 kbps | 31.05 |
| - 9.6 kbps | 31.05 |
| - 56.0 kbps | 31.05 |

- * An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional Channel Mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.
- ** The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.
- *** The Dial-Up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement described in 13.3.4. of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.
- **** Channel Service Units will only be provided under tariff if they existed in the Telephone Company's inventory as of November 18, 1983.

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.8 High Capacity Service

Regulations concerning High Capacity Service are set forth in 7.10 of the NECA Tariff No. 5.

| | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>Nonrecurring Charge</u> |
|---|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| (A) Channel Termination, Per termination | | |
| - 1.544 Mbps, DS1 | \$ 183.67 (R) | \$ 181.00 |
| - 3.152 Mbps, DS1C | ICB | ICB |
| - 6.312 Mbps, DS2 | ICB | ICB |
| - Capacity of 1 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface | 2,130.65 (R) | |
| - per DS3 Channel Installed | | 499.00 |
| - Capacity of 3 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface | 1,569.16 | |
| - per DS3 Channel Installed | 1,220.46 | 499.00 |
| - Capacity of 6 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface | 2,953.72 | |
| - per DS3 Channel Installed | 1,148.67 | 499.00 |
| - Capacity of 12 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface | 4,799.79 | |
| - per DS3 Channel Installed | 933.29 | 499.00 |
| - 274.176 Mbps, DS4 | ICB | ICB |

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.8 High Capacity Service (Continued)

(B) Channel Mileage

| | Monthly Rate |
|---|-----------------|
| (1) Channel Mileage Facility, per Mile | |
| - 64 kbps* | \$ 3.96 |
| - 1.544 Mbps | 19.88 (R) |
| - 3.152 Mbps | ICB |
| - 6.312 Mbps | ICB |
| - 44.736 Mbps | 136.87 (R) |
| - 274.176 Mbps | ICB |
| (2) Channel Mileage Termination, per Termination | |
| - 64 kbps* | \$ 39.79 |
| - 1.544 Mbps | 98.04 (R) |
| - 3.152 Mbps | ICB |
| - 6.312 Mbps | ICB |
| - 44.736 Mbps | 546.00 (R) |
| - 274.176 Mbps | ICB |

* Applies to through connections of 2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 56.0, and 64 kbps

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)17.3.8 High Capacity Service (Continued)Monthly Rate

(C) Optional Features and Functions

(1) Multiplexing,
per arrangement

| | |
|------------------------------|---------------|
| DS4 to DS1 | ICB |
| DS3 to DS1 | \$ 492.69 (R) |
| DS2 to DS1 | ICB |
| DS1C to DS1 | ICB |
| DS1 to Voice* | \$ 190.21 (R) |
| DS1 to DS0 | \$ 190.21 (R) |
| DS0 to Subrates | |
| - Up to 20-2.4 kbps services | \$ 390.00 |
| - Up to 10-4.8 kbps services | 265.00 |
| - Up to 5-9.6 kbps services | 235.00 |

* A channel of this DS1 to the Hub can be used for Digital Data Service.