

ACCESS SERVICE

REGULATIONS, RATES AND CHARGES

Applying to the provision of Access Services
for connection to Interstate Communications Facilities
for Interstate Customers within the
operating territory of

CONTOOCOOK VALLEY TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC.

In the State of

New Hampshire

as provided herein.

Access Services are provided by means of wire, fiber optics,
or a combination thereof.

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CONCURRING CARRIERS

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CONNECTING CARRIERS

NONE

OTHER PARTICIPATING CARRIERS

NONE

REGISTERED SERVICE MARKS AND TRADEMARKS

NONE

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TARIFF INFORMATION AND USE

INTRODUCTION

The Tariff Information and Use section is meant to assist both experienced and inexperienced users of this tariff in understanding the following:

- tariff content, structure, format and organization,
- effective dates and numbering schemes,
- tariff maintenance procedures,
- symbols and abbreviations, and
- references to other documents/tariffs.

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TARIFF INFORMATION AND USE (CONT'D)GENERAL

This tariff contains rates and regulations applicable to Access Services.

Tariff Page Format

Page Numbering. Page numbers are located in the upper right corner of each tariff page. Pages are numbered sequentially. When a new page must be added between existing pages, a decimal and number is added to the previous page number, to sequentially number the new page. For example a new page between existing pages 20 and 21 would be numbered 20.1. A new page added between pages 18.1 and 18.2 would be numbered 18.1.1.

Page Revision Numbering. Page Revision Numbers are located in the upper right-hand corner of each tariff page. This number is the most recent page revision on file with the FCC. Due to Notice Periods, and change Effective Dates, the most recent page on file with the FCC may not be in effect. Consult the Effective Date on a specific page and Tariff Supplements to determine if that page is in effect (see Tariff Supplements following).

Issue Date. The Issue Date in the lower left corner of each tariff page is the date that page was filed with the FCC.

Effective Date. The Effective Date in the lower right-hand corner is the date the page is scheduled to go into effect (at 12:01 a.m. on that date). This date may be changed by either reissuing the page, or by issuing a tariff supplement to change the effective date without reissuing the page. A Tariff Supplement is usually used when many tariff pages are involved to avoid the necessity to reprint and reissue many pages solely to change the effective date.

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TARIFF INFORMATION AND USE (CONT'D)GENERAL (CONT'D)Tariff Section Numbering

An alpha-numeric numbering plan is used to number tariff regulations and rates. Each level is subordinate to and dependent on its next higher level. An example of the numbering sequence follows:

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6.2
6.2.1
6.2.1(B)
6.2.1(B)(2)
6.2.1(B)(2)(a)

Tariff Revision Coding

Revisions to this tariff are coded through the use of symbols. These symbols appear in the right margin of the page. The symbols and their meanings are:

N - to signify new rate or regulation.
R - to signify reduction to a rate or charge.
I - to signify increase to a rate or charge.
D - to signify discontinued rate or regulation.
C - to signify changed regulation.
T - to signify a change in text but no change in rate or regulation.
S - to signify matter reissued without change.
M - to signify matter relocated without change.
Z - to signify a correction.

Other marginal codes are used to direct the reader to a footnote for specific information. Codes used for this purpose are lower case letters of the alphabet, e.g., x, y and z. These codes may appear beside the page revision number or in the right margin opposite specific text.

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TARIFF STRUCTURE AND ORGANIZATION

Tariff Supplements

A Supplement may be filed with the FCC to change the effective date of tariff pages or tariff material without reissuing or refiling the affected tariff pages.

A Supplement will briefly describe the action taken (e.g., suspension, deferral, effective date change, etc.) as well as indicate what tariff material, sections or pages are affected.

The Supplements in effect are listed by number on the first Check Sheet, in the text at the top of that Check Sheet. When a Supplement is no longer needed, it will be deleted from the Check Sheet.

It is recommended that Supplements be placed in the front of the tariff, preceding the Title Page.

Title Page

Title Page 1 provides information regarding the FCC number of the tariff, the class of service provided, the geographical application of the tariff, and the type of facilities used to provide service. This page also provides information related to the origination of the tariff.

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Check Sheets (Page 2)

When new or revised tariff pages are filed with the FCC, revised and updated Check Sheets are also filed with the FCC.

The Check Sheets list all pages in the tariff as well as the most recent revision number of each page. When pages are changed, or added, the Check Sheets are changed to reflect the change or addition. An asterisk (*) is placed next to revised or added pages to highlight the pages changed.

The Check Sheets list the most recent page revision filed with the FCC. It does not indicate that the latest revision is effective. The effective date on the page itself and Tariff Supplements must be examined to determine page effectiveness.

Table of Contents (Pages 3 through 4)

The Table of Contents lists the Sections and paragraphs of the Tariff and provides a page number at which that Section or paragraph begins.

Symbols and Abbreviations (Page 14 through 15)

A listing and explanation of tariff coding symbols and abbreviations used in the tariff is provided.

Technical Publications (Pages 16 through 17)

The status and availability of technical publications required for the provision of Access Service is provided.

Section 1 - Application of Tariff

States the application and scope of the Access Service tariff.

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TARIFF INFORMATION AND USE (CONT'D)

TARIFF STRUCTURE AND ORGANIZATION (CONT'D)

Section 2 - General Regulations

States the general regulations that apply to the access services offered by this tariff.

Section 3 - Carrier Common Line Access Service and Section 4 - End User Access Service

States the regulations concerning Carrier Common Line and End User Access Service, respectively.

Section 5 - Access Ordering

States the requirements of and regulations governing Access Orders and also the regulations concerning Access Orders when service is provided by multiple exchange carriers. Options available for the ordering of switched and special access services.

Section 6 - Switched Access Service

States the regulations governing the provision of Switched Access Service. This section is subdivided into General, Undertaking of the Telephone Company, Obligations of the Customer and Rate Regulations which relate to all Switched Access Services. In addition, this section contains subdivisions for the Description and Provision of each Switched Access Feature Group Service (e.g., FGA, FGB, FGC, and FGD).

Section 7 - Special Access Service

States the regulations for Special Access Service. This section is subdivided into General, Rate Regulations and Surcharge for Special Access Service which relate to Special Access Services. In addition, there are subdivisions describing each of the five Special Access classes of service (e.g., Metallic, Voice Grade, Program Audio, Digital Data, and High Capacity). There is also a subdivision for Individual Case Basis Filings (ICBs).

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TARIFF STRUCTURE AND ORGANIZATION (CONT'D)

Section 8 - Digital Subscriber Line Access Services

States the regulations governing Digital Subscriber Line Access Services. This section contains subdivisions for the Description and Provision of each type of Digital Subscriber Line Access Service. Each subdivision, e.g., ADSL Access Service, is further subdivided into sections for General, Limitations, Undertaking of the Telephone Company, Obligations of the Customer and Rate Regulations.

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Section 9 - Reserved for Future Use

Section 10 - Special Federal Government Access Service

This section covers Special Access Services that are provided to a customer for use only by agencies or branches of the Federal Government and other users authorized by the Federal Government. Services provided to state emergency operations are included.

Section 11 - Special Facilities Routing of Access Services

This section covers Special Facilities Routing which involves access services which may be routed (1) via diverse routes in order to effect an added margin of protection and reliability in the event of facility outages, (2) via routes avoiding specified geographical locations, or (3) via cable only facilities.

Section 12 - Specialized Service or Arrangements

This section covers service or arrangements not offered under other sections of this tariff. When service or arrangements are furnished via this section they are provided on an individual case basis (ICB).

Section 13 - Additional Engineering, Additional Labor and Miscellaneous Services

This section covers the regulation governing Additional Engineering, Additional Labor, Miscellaneous Services, and Presubscription.

Section 14 - Exceptions to Access Service Offerings

This section is provided to identify those Issuing Carriers who do not provide certain categories of Access Service offered by this tariff.

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TARIFF STRUCTURE AND ORGANIZATION (CONT'D)

Section 15 - Access Service Interfaces and Transmission Specifications

This section covers the technical specifications and service parameters of Access Services. Explains and lists Network Channel (NC) codes, Network Channel Interface (NCI) codes and Service Designator (SD) codes. Displays the technical specifications packages available with Special Access Service.

Section 16 - Reserved for Future Use

Section 17 - Rates and Charges

This section provides all the rates and charges for the Access Services contained in this tariff. It is organized by Common Line Access Service, Switched Access Service, Special Access Service and Other Services.

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EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

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- (R) - To signify reduction to a rate or charge.
- (S) - To signify reissued matter.
- (T) - To signify a change in text but no change in rate or regulation.
- (Z) - To signify a correction.

EXPLANATION OF ABBREVIATIONS

- ac - alternating current
- AML - Actual Measured Loss
- ANI - Automatic Number Identification
- AP - Program Audio
- AT&T - American Telephone and Telegraph Company
- CNCC - Customer Network Control Center
- COCTX - Central Office Centrex
- Cont. - Continued
- CSACC - Customer Service Administration Control Center
- Ctx - Centrex
- DA - Digital Data Access
- db - decibel
- dBrnC0 - Decibel Reference Noise C- Message Weighted 0
- dc - direct current
- EML - Expected Measured Loss
- ESS - Electronic Switching System
- ESSX - Electronic Switching System Exchange
- f - frequency
- FCC - Federal Communications Commission
- FX - Foreign Exchange
- HC - High Capacity
- Hz - Hertz
- IC - Interexchange Carrier
- ICB - Individual Case Basis
- kbps - kilobits per second
- kHz - kilohertz

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EXPLANATION OF ABBREVIATIONS (CONT'D)

LATA	-	Local Access and Transport Area
LDMTS	-	Long Distance Message Telecommunications Service(s)
Ma	-	milliamperes
Mbps	-	Megabits per second
MHz	-	Megahertz
MOU	-	Minutes of Use
MRC	-	Monthly Recurring Charge
NB	-	Narrowband
NPA	-	Numbering Plan Area
NRC	-	Nonrecurring Charge
NTS	-	Non-Traffic Sensitive
NXX	-	Three Digit Central Office Code
PBX	-	Private Branch Exchange
PCM	-	Pulse Code Modulation
PLR	-	Private Line Ringdown
POT	-	Point of Termination
rms	-	root-mean-square
SSN	-	Switched Service Network
SWC	-	Serving Wire Center
TES	-	Telephone Exchange Service(s)
TLP	-	Transmissional Level Point
TSPS	-	Traffic Service Position System
TV	-	Television
USOC	-	Uniform Service Order Code
VG	-	Voice Grade
V & H	-	Vertical & Horizontal
WATS	-	Wide Area Telecommunications Service(s)

REFERENCE TO OTHER TARIFFS

Whenever reference is made in this Tariff to other tariffs of the Telephone Company, the reference is to the tariffs in force as of the effective date of this Tariff, and to amendments thereto and successive issues thereof.

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REFERENCE TO TECHNICAL PUBLICATIONS

Technical Publications referenced in this tariff are the same as those set forth in the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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1. Application of Tariff

- 1.1 This tariff contains regulations, rates and charges applicable to the provision of Carrier Common Line, End User Access, Switched Access, Special Access and other miscellaneous services, hereinafter referred to collectively as services(s). These services are provided to customers by Contoocook Valley Telephone Company, Inc., hereinafter referred to as the Telephone Company. This tariff also contains Access Ordering regulations and charges that are applicable when these services are ordered or modified by the customer.
- 1.2 The provision of such services by the Telephone Company as set forth in this tariff does not constitute a joint undertaking with the customer for the furnishing of any service.

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* Certain regulations on this page formerly appeared on Page 1-1 of the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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2. General Regulations

The General Regulations applicable to services offered under this
tariff are the same as those set forth in Section 2 of the
National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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* Contoocook Valley Telephone Company, Inc. is concurring with Section 2 of
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3. Carrier Common Line Access Service

Regulations, Terms and Conditions for Carrier Common Line Access Service are the same as those set forth in Section 3 of the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5. *

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4. End User Access Service

Regulations, Terms and Conditions for End User Access Service are
the same as those set forth in Section 4 of the National Exchange
Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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5. Access Ordering

Regulations, Terms and Conditions for Access Ordering are the same as those set forth in Section 5 of the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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6. Switched Access Service

Regulations, Terms and Conditions for Switched Access Service are
the same as those set forth in Section 6 of the National Exchange
Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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7. Special Access Service

The Regulations, Terms and Conditions applicable to Special
Access Service are the same as those set forth in Section 7 of
the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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8. Digital Subscriber Line Access Services

Regulations, Terms and Conditions applicable to Digital Subscriber Line Access Services are the same as those set forth in Section 8 of the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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9. Reserved for Future Use

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10. Special Federal Government Access Service

Regulations, Terms and Conditions for Special Federal Government
Access Service are the same as those set forth in Section 10 of
the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5. *
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11. Special Facilities Routing of Access Services

Regulations, Terms and Conditions for Special Facilities Routing
of Access Services are the same as those set forth in Section 11
of the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5. *
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12. Specialized Service or Arrangements

Regulations, Terms and Conditions for Specialized Service or Arrangements, subject to availability, are the same as those set forth in Section 12 of the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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13. Additional Engineering, Additional Labor and Miscellaneous Services

Regulations, Terms and Conditions for Additional Engineering,
Additional Labor, and Miscellaneous Services, subject to
availability, are the same as set forth in Section 13 of the
National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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14. Exceptions to Access Service Offerings

The language for Exceptions to Access Service offerings is the same as the language set forth on Section 14 of the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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15. Access Service Interfaces and Transmission Specifications

Regulations for Interface Groups, Transmission Specifications and Channel Interfaces, subject to service offerings and technical capability and feasibility, are the same as those set forth in Section 15 of the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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17. Rates and Charges

All Tariff Section References contained herein are to the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

17.1 Common Line Access Service

Rates and charges for Carrier Common Line Access Service
and End User Access Service are the same as those set forth
in Section 17.1 of the National Exchange Carrier
Association (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5. Contoocook Valley
Telephone Company, Inc. is a participant in NECA's carrier
common line pool.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)17.2.1 Nonrecurring Charges

	Rate	NECA Tariff Section Reference	
(A) <u>Local Transport - Installation</u> <u>Per Entrance Facility</u>		6.4.1(B)(1)	
- Voice Grade Two-Wire	\$171.00		*
- Voice Grade Four-Wire	\$171.00		
- High Capacity DS1	\$232.00		
- High Capacity DS3	\$499.00		(N)
(B) <u>Interim NXX Translation Per</u> <u>Order</u>			
Per LATA or Market Area	\$ 82.00	6.4.1(B)(2)	*
(C) <u>Trunk Activation Per Order</u>			
- Per 24 Trunks Activated or Fraction thereof, on a Per Order Basis	\$273.00	6.4.1(B)(1)	*
(D)			
(E) <u>Flexible Automatic Number</u> <u>Identification (FLEX ANI)</u>			
- Per End Office, Per CIC	None	6.4.1(B)(4)	*
(F) <u>Multiplexing</u>		6.1.3(A)(5)	(N)*
Per Arrangement			(N)
- DS3 to DS1	\$474.31		(N)
- DS1 to Voice	\$183.12		(N)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)17.2.2 Local Transport

	<u>Rate</u>	NECA Tariff Section <u>Reference</u>	
<u>Premium Access</u>			
- <u>Entrance Facility</u>			
Per Termination		6.1.3(A)(1)	
- Voice Grade Two-Wire	\$ 17.58		(I)
- Voice Grade Four-Wire	\$ 33.84		(I)
- High Capacity DS1	\$ 270.73		(I)
- High Capacity DS3	ICB rates & charges apply		(C)
- <u>Direct Trunked Transport</u>		6.1.3(A)(2)	
- <u>Direct Trunked Facility</u>			
Per Mile			
- Voice Grade	\$ 1.70		(I)
- High Capacity DS1	\$ 13.62		(I)
- High Capacity DS3	\$130.75		(R)
- <u>Direct Trunked Termination</u>			
Per Termination			
- Voice Grade	\$ 11.45		(I)
- High Capacity DS1	\$ 91.56		(I)
- High Capacity DS3	\$1,780.43		(I)
- <u>Tandem Switched Transport</u>		6.1.3(A)(3)	
- <u>Tandem Switched Facility</u>	\$.000131		(I)
Per Access Minute Per Mile			
- <u>Tandem Switched Termination</u>	\$.000883		(I)
Per Access Minute Per Termination			
- <u>Tandem Switching</u>	\$.006355		(I)
Per Access Minute Per Tandem			
- <u>Transport Interconnection Charge</u>	\$.002603	6.1.3(A)(4)	(R)
Per Access Minute			
- <u>Network Blocking Per Blocked Call</u>	\$.0332	6.8.6	*
Applies to FGD only			

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)17.2.3 End Office

	<u>Rate</u>	<u>NECA Tariff Section Reference</u>	
(A) <u>Local Switching</u>			
<u>Premium</u>			
- Local Switching 2 Per Access Minute Feature Groups C & D (including: (1) Feature Group B when utilized for the provision of MTS/WATS service and (2) Feature Groups A and B when utilized for the provision of terminating inward WATS and WATS-type services at an equal access WATS Serving Office.)	\$0.008950	6.1.3	(R)
(B) <u>Information Surcharge</u>			
- Premium Per 100 Access Minutes	\$0.0872	6.1.3	(R)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)17.2.4 Assumed Minutes of Use

	Assumed Minutes Per Month Per Line <u>or Trunk</u>	NECA Tariff Section <u>Reference</u>
(A)Feature Group A, Originating Only	1510	6.5.4*

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

	<u>Rate</u>	<u>NECA Tariff Section Reference</u>
17.3.1 <u>Surcharge for Special Access Service</u>		
Per Voice Grade Equivalent	\$25.00	7.3 *

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.2 Voice Grade Service

Regulations concerning Voice Grade Service are set forth in 7.6 preceding.

	Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge	
(A) Channel Termination Per Termination			
- Two-Wire	\$ 17.58 (I)	\$171.00	*
- Four-Wire	\$ 33.84 (I)	\$171.00	*
(B) Channel Mileage			
(1) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$ 1.70		(I)
(2) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$ 11.45		(I)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.4 Digital Data Service

Regulations concerning Digital Data Service are set forth
in 7.9 preceding.

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	
(A) Channel Termination Per termination			
- 9.6 kbps	\$ 31.49	(I) \$ 221.00	*
- 56.0 kbps	\$ 31.49	(I) \$ 221.00	
(B) Channel Mileage			*
(1) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile			
- 9.6 kbps	\$ 1.70		(I)
- 56.0 kbps	\$ 1.70		(I)
(2) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination			
- 9.6 kbps	\$ 11.45		(I)
- 56.0 kbps	\$ 11.45		(I)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.5 High Capacity Service

Regulations concerning High Capacity Service are set forth in 7.10 preceding.

	Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge	
(A) Channel Termination Per termination			
- DS1 1.544 Mbps	\$270.73 (I)	\$232.00	*
- Capacity of 1 DS3 44.736 Mbps Interface	ICB rates & charges apply (C)		
- per DS3 Channel Installed			
		\$499.00	
(B) Channel Mileage			
(1) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile			
- 1.544 Mbps	\$ 13.62		(I)
- 44.736 Mbps	\$130.75		(R)
(2) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination			
- 1.544 Mbps	\$ 91.56		(I)
- 44.736 Mbps	\$1,780.43		(I)
(C) Term Discounts	<u>Percentage</u>		
DS1 and DS3 services			
36 months	10%		
60 months	20%		
(D) Optional Features and Functions	<u>Monthly Rate</u>		
(1) Multiplexing, per arrangement			
- DS3 to DS1	\$474.31		
- DS1 to Voice	\$183.12		
- DS1 to DS0	\$183.12		
(E) DSL Access Service Connection			
- per 1.544 Mbps	\$ 180.00	\$170.00	
- per 44.736 Mbps	\$1,250.00	\$555.00	

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services17.4.1 Access Ordering

	<u>Charge</u>	NECA Tariff Section <u>Reference</u>	
(A) <u>Access Order Charge</u> Per order	\$136.00	5.4.1	(I)*
(B) <u>Service Date Change Charge</u> A Service Date Change Charge will apply, on a per order per occurrence basis, for each service date changed. The Access Order Charge as specified in 17.4.1(A) preceding does not apply. The applicable charge is: Service Date Change Charge, per order	\$53.00	5.4.3	(I)*
(C) <u>Design Change Charge</u> The Design Change Charge will apply on a per order per occurrence basis, for each order requiring design change. The applicable charge is: Design Change Charge, per order	\$53.00	5.4.3	(I)*
(D) <u>Miscellaneous Service Order Charge</u> Per Occurrence	\$53.00	5.4.2	(I)*

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.2 Additional Engineering

<u>Additional Engineering Periods</u>		<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>	<u>NECA Tariff Section Reference</u>	
(A)	Basic Time per engineer normally scheduled working hours	\$16.75	13.1	(R)*
(B)	Overtime per engineer outside of normally scheduled working hours	\$25.13	13.1	(R)*
(C)	Premium Time outside of scheduled work day, per engineer	\$33.50	13.1	(R)*

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.3 Additional Labor

<u>Additional Labor Periods</u>	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>	<u>NECA Tariff Section Reference</u>	
(A) Installation or Repair			
- Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day, per technician	\$27.20*	13.2.1 & 13.2.2	(I)**
- Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day, per technician	\$36.26*	13.2.1 & 13.2.2	(I)**
(B) Stand by			
- Basic time, normally scheduled working hours, per technician	\$18.50	13.2.3	(I)**
- Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day, per technician	\$27.75*	13.2.3	(I)**
- Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day, per technician	\$37.00*	13.2.3	(I)**

* A call out of a Telephone Company, Inc. employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)
 17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)
 17.4.3 Additional Labor (Cont'd)

<u>Additional Labor Periods</u>		<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>		
		Installation and Repair Technician	Central Office Maintenance Technician	NECA Tariff Section Reference

(C) Testing and
Maintenance with
other Telephone
Companies, or
Other Labor

- Basic Time per \$18.13 (I) \$18.52 (R) 13.2.4 & 13.2.5 **
 technician
 normally
 scheduled
 working hours
- Overtime per \$27.20 (I)* \$27.77 (R)* 13.2.4 & 13.2.5 **
 technician
 outside of
 normally
 scheduled
 working hours
 on a scheduled
 work day
- Premium Time \$36.26 (I)* \$37.03 (R)* 13.2.4 & 13.2.5 **
 per technician
 outside of
 scheduled work
 day

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.4 Miscellaneous Services(G) Telecommunications Service Priority

	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	NECA Tariff Section <u>Reference</u>	
Per service arranged	\$54.63	13.3.3	**

(H) Presubscription

	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>		
Per Telephone Exchange Service line or trunk*	\$ 5.00	13.4	**

(I) Unauthorized PIC Change

- Residence/Business Per Telephone Exchange Service line or trunk	\$35.65	13.5	**
-Public and/or Semi- public pay telephone Per Telephone Exchange Service line or trunk	\$57.57	13.5	**

* This charge is generally billed to the end user who is the subscriber to the Telephone Exchange Service. In those instances where the IC both requests the presubscription change, and requests the associated charge be billed to it, the Telephone Company will bill the IC. In the event an end user is incorrectly presubscribed due to misassignment on the part of the Telephone Company, no charge shall apply. In the event an end user is incorrectly presubscribed due to misassignment on the part of the IC, and the IC is unable to document such an assignment, the Telephone Company will apply the charge to the IC responsible for the misassignment of the end user and assign the end user to an IC of the end user's choice.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.4 Miscellaneous Services (Cont'd)(J) Blocking Service*

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Charge Reference

- Per exchange service line, or trunk and/or per Feature	\$11.20	13.8	**
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Group A Switched Access Line

(K) Billing Name and Address Service

- Per BNA Order	\$50.94	13.9.4(A)	**
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- Per BNA Record	\$ 0.33	13.9.4(A)	**
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- Optional Magnetic Tape Charge-Per

Magnetic Tape	\$91.44	13.9.4(B)	**
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- Optional Format Programming Charge

-Per each half hour	\$37.20	13.9.4(C)	**
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or fraction thereof

(L) Originating Line Screening (OLS) Service

- Per exchange service line	\$ 7.95	13.10	**
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(M) Coin Supervision Additive ServiceMonthly Rate

- Per exchange service line	\$ 2.21	13.12	**
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(N) Flexible Automatic Number Identification(FLEX ANI) ServiceMonthly Rate

- Per pay telephone line	\$ 2.93	13.13(T)(N)	***
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* Blocking access to 900 Service is offered to all subscribers at no charge (a) at the time telephone service is established at a new number and for 60 days thereafter.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.5 Special Federal Government Access Services

(A)	<u>Voice Grade Secure Communications</u>	<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Termination Charges</u>
	Type I, each T-3 Conditioning,	ICB rates and charges apply		
	Additional Conditioning, per service termination	ICB rates and charges apply		
	Type II, each G-1 Conditioning,	ICB rates and charges apply		
	Type III, each G-2 Conditioning,	ICB rates and charges apply		
	Additional Conditioning, per service termination	ICB rates and charges apply		
	Type IV, each G-3 Conditioning,	ICB rates and charges apply		
	Additional Conditioning, per service termination	ICB rates and charges apply		
(B)	<u>Wideband Digital Special Access Service</u>			
	<u>Wideband Secure Communications</u>	<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Termination Charges</u>
	Type I, each	ICB rates and charges apply		
	Type II, each	ICB rates and charges apply		
	Type III, each	ICB rates and charges apply		

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

17.4.6 Special Facilities Routing of Access Services

(A) Diversity

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.1 preceding, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

(Reserved for future use.)

(B) Avoidance

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.2 preceding, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

(Reserved for future use.)

(C) Diversity and Avoidance Combined

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.1 and 11.1.2 preceding, combined, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

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(D) Cable-Only Facilities

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.4 preceding, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.7 Specialized Service or Arrangements

Specialized Service or Arrangements are provided on an individual case basis as set forth following:

(Reserved for future use.)

17.4.8 Digital Subscriber Line Access Services

(N)

(A) Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line Access Service

Regulations concerning Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line Access Service are set forth in Section 8, preceding.

<u>ADSL Line Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
- Per local exchange telephone service line	\$35.95	\$95.00

(B) Symmetric Digital Subscriber Line Access Service

Regulations concerning Symmetric Digital Subscriber Line Access Service are set forth in Section 8, preceding.

<u>SDSL Line Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
- Per Voice-Data Option		
- 768 kbps	\$35.95	\$95.00
- Per Data-Only Option		
- 144 kbps	\$67.00	\$181.00
- 768 kbps	\$99.00	\$181.00

(N)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.8 Digital Subscriber Line Access Services (Cont'd)(C) DSL Access Services Discount Pricing Arrangement

Regulations concerning the DSL Access Services Discount Pricing Arrangement Monthly Plan or Term Plan are set forth in Section 8, preceding.

	Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge	
(1) <u>Monthly Plan Line Charges</u>			(C)
ADSL Line Charge	\$33.95	\$95.00	(C)
- Per local exchange telephone service line			
SDSL Line Charge			
- Per Voice-Data Option			
- 768 kbps	\$33.95	\$95.00	(C)
- Per Data-Only Option			
- 144 kbps	\$64.00	\$181.00	(C)
- 768 kbps	\$95.00	\$181.00	(C)
(2) <u>Term Plan</u>			(C)
(a) <u>Term Plan Charges</u>			(C)
Per Serving Wire Center included in a Term Plan			
-Pricing Option 1	\$150.00	None	(C)
-Pricing Option 2	\$350.00	None	(N)

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(Cont'd)(2) Term Plan (Cont'd)(b) Term Plan Line Charges

	1 Year Option 1	3 Year Option 1	1 Year Option 2	3 Year Option 2	Non- recurring All	(C)
ADSL	\$30.95	\$27.95	\$27.95	\$24.95	\$95.00	(C)
SDSL						
Voice-Data Option						
- 768 kbps	\$30.95	\$27.95	\$27.95	\$24.95	\$95.00	(C)
Data-Only Option						
- 144 kbps	\$60.00	\$56.00	\$56.00	\$54.00	\$181.00	(C)
- 768 kbps	\$90.00	\$85.00	\$85.00	\$83.00	\$181.00	(C)

(D) DSL Network Reconfiguration

Regulations concerning DSL Network Reconfigurations are set forth in Section 8, preceding.

<u>DSL Network Reconfiguration</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
- Per DSL Access Service Line, per request	None	\$27.00

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.8 Digital Subscriber Line Access Services (Cont'd)(E) DSL Extended Transport

(N)

Regulations concerning DSL Extended Transport are set forth in Section 8, preceding.

	Monthly Rate	
Per 1.544 Mbps Path, Per Mile		
First 25 miles	\$ 0.00	(N)
Each mile over 25 miles	\$15.31	(N)

(C) DSL Access Services Promotional Offerings

(N)

(1) Nonrecurring Charge Waiver

The Company will waive the Nonrecurring Charge for each new ADSL Access Line and/or SDSL Voice-Data Option Access Line when the customer commits to retain the ADSL Access Line and/or SDSL Voice-Data Option Access Line in service for a minimum period of 12 months following installation of service. If the ADSL Access Line and/or SDSL Voice-Data Option Access Line is disconnected for any reason prior to the end of the 12-month minimum commitment period, the Company will bill the customer an amount equal to the waived Nonrecurring Charge.

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