

## INTERSTATE INTRALATA MESSAGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE

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**INTERSTATE INTRALATA MESSAGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE  
REGULATIONS AND SCHEDULES OF CHARGES**

**Applying to service between points**

**WITHIN THE CINCINNATI LOCAL ACCESS AND TRANSPORT AREA**

**as hereinafter defined,**

**to which Interstate IntraLATA Message Telecommunications Service is available.**

**Interstate IntraLATA Message Telecommunications Service is furnished by means of wire, radio, fiber optics, or any suitable technology or combination of technologies.**

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CONCURRING CARRIERS

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CONNECTING CARRIERS

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OTHER PARTICIPATING CARRIERS

Other Participating Carriers as defined in Part 61 of the Federal Communications Commission's Rules and Regulations are as listed below:

Fayetteville Telephone Company; Fayetteville, Ohio

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GTE North Incorporated, Marion, Ohio

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Harlan Telephone Company; Pleasant Plain, Ohio

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Southwestern Indiana Rural Telephone Cooperative

Incorporated; Dillsboro, Indiana

United Telephone Company of Indiana Inc.; Warsaw, Indiana

United Telephone Company of Ohio; Mansfield, Ohio

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## EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

- (C) - to signify changed regulation
- (D) - to signify discontinued rate or regulation
- (I) - to signify increase
- (M) - to signify matter relocated without change
- (N) - to signify new rate or regulation
- (R) - to signify reduction
- (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

|                           |  |
|---------------------------|--|
| Adm. Rates<br>and Tariffs | - Administrator Rates and Tariffs                            |
| COC                       | - Central Office Code  |
| F.C.C.                    | - Federal Communications Commission                          |
| Inc.                      | - Incorporated   |
| IIMTS                     | - Interstate IntraLATA Message<br>Telecommunications Service |
| LATA                      | - Local Access and Transport Area                            |
| PBX                       | - Private Branch Exchange                                    |

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## REFERENCES TO OTHER TARIFFS

Whatever reference is made in this tariff to other tariffs of this Company or to tariffs of Other Participating Carriers, or Other Common Carriers, 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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The following marks, to the extent if any used throughout this tariff, are trademarks and service marks of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Trademarks  
None

Service Marks  
None



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SECTION 1

APPLICATION OF TARIFF

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## SECTION 1 - APPLICATION OF SERVICE

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## 1.1. APPLICATION

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1.1.1. General - This tariff applies to interstate intraLata Message Telecommunications Service (IIMTS) furnished or made available by the Cincinnati Bell Telephone Company, hereinafter referred to as the Company, and for IIMTS furnished or to be furnished by concurring, connecting, or other participating carriers, as set forth in 1.1.1.A through 1.7.1.D following. Service under this tariff is furnished only between stations in the Cincinnati LATA.

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- A. Interstate service between points in the Cincinnati LATA as specified in Section 3.
- B. Public land mobile radio telephone service as specified in Section 4.
- C. Maritime mobile radiotelephone service as specified in Section 5.
- D. Conference service as specified in Section 6.

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1.1.2. Customer Provided Facilities - Where IIMTS is available under this tariff for use in connection with customer provided facilities, the regulations and rates for each call made are those applicable for IIMTS i.e., Dial Station, Customer Dialed Calling Card Station, Operator Station, Person-to-Person, or Conference, according to the connection established.

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

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## SECTION 2 - GENERAL REGULATIONS

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## 2.1. Undertaking of the Company

- 2.1.1. General - IIMTS is the furnishing of those service components required for telecommunications between stations in different states, but within the same LATA in accordance with the regulations and system of charges specified in this tariff. The message charges specified in this tariff are in payment for IIMTS furnished between the calling and called stations. (T)

The Company does not transmit messages. However, IIMTS may be used for that purpose. (T)

- 2.1.2. Provision of Customer Equipment - Customer equipment may be used with IIMTS. The Company does not provide customer equipment. (T)

- 2.1.3. Through Transmission of Signals - The Company is responsible for the provision of IIMTS from station to station. It is not responsible for the quality of transmission or signaling on the Customer's side of the interface at a Customer's premises. (T)

- 2.1.4. Availability of Service (T)

- A. The use and restoration of IIMTS will be in accordance with Part 64, Subpart D, of the Federal Communications Commission's Rules and Regulations.
- B. Subject to compliance with 2.1.4.A. preceding, where a shortage of service components exists at any time either for temporary or protracted periods, the establishment of two-point IIMTS, provided Under Section 3 of this tariff, shall take precedence over all other services provided by the Company. (T)

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## 2.1.4 Availability of Service (continued)

C. Service is furnished subject to the availability of the service components required. The Company will determine which of those components shall be used and make modifications to those components at its option.

D. When connections are made to Customer- or Other Common Carrier-provided communications systems at a premises where the Customer does not originate or terminate communications, the Company may require that the exchange telephone service be furnished from a Company central office(s) different from the central office(s) designated by the Company to serve that premises. (Z)

2.1.5. Limitations on Duration of Connections - The Company reserves the right to limit the duration of connections when necessary because of a shortage of service components caused by emergency conditions.

## 2.2. USE

2.2.1. General - IIMTS may be used for any lawful purpose consistent with the transmission and switching parameters of the telecommunications network. IIMTS is furnished for use by the Customer but may be used by others when so authorized by the Customer.

2.2.2. Non-Voice Transmission - IIMTS may be used for non-voice transmission on a two-point basis between points within the LATA.

2.2.3. Resale and sharing - Company-provided local business exchange service may be used for the purpose of providing access to resold or shared IIMTS notwithstanding any tariff regulations respecting resale and sharing contained in the Company's General Exchange Tariff.

## INTERSTATE INTRALATA MESSAGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE

- 2.2.4. Abuse - The abuse of IIMTS is prohibited. The following activities constitute abuse: (T)
- A. Using IIMTS to make calls, anonymous or otherwise, in a manner which might reasonably be expected to frighten, abuse, torment, or harass another;
  - B. Using profane or obscene language;
  - C. Using IIMTS in such a way that it interferes unreasonably with the use of the service by others.
- 2.2.5. Fraudulent Use - The fraudulent use of, or the intended or attempted fraudulent use of, IIMTS is prohibited. The following activities constitute fraudulent use:
- A. Using IIMTS to transmit a message, locate a person, or otherwise give or obtain information, without payment for the service;
  - B. Using or attempting to use IIMTS with the intent to avoid the payment, either in whole or in part, of the tariffed charges by:
    - 1. Rearranging, tampering with, or making connections not authorized by this tariff to any service components used to furnish IIMTS;
    - 2. Using fraudulent means or devices, tricks, schemes, false or invalid numbers, false credit devices, or electronic devices. (T)

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## 2.3 RESPONSIBILITY OF THE COMPANY

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## 2.3.1. Liability

- A. In view of the fact that the Customer has exclusive control of his communications over IIMTS, and of the other uses for IIMTS, and because of the unavailability of errors incident to the use of IIMTS, the services furnished by the Company are subject to the terms, conditions and limitations specified in B. through F. following.
- B. The Company's liability, if any, for its willful misconduct is not limited by this tariff. With respect to any other claim or suit, by a Customer or by any others, for damages associated with any aspect of the provision of service (including the failure to reach a called station), and subject to the provisions of C. through F. following, the Company's liability, if any, shall not exceed an amount equal to the initial period charge applicable for such a message to the called station. This liability shall be in addition to any billing adjustments that may otherwise be appropriate.
- C. The Company shall be indemnified, defended, and held harmless by the Customer and User against all claims, losses, or damages arising from the use of IIMTS furnished pursuant to this tariff, involving:
  - 1. Claims for libel, slander, invasion of privacy, or infringement of copyright arising from any communication;
  - 2. Claims for patent infringement arising from combining or using IIMTS furnished by the Company in connection with facilities or equipment furnished by others; or
  - 3. All other claims arising out of any act or omission of others relating to IIMTS provided pursuant to this tariff.

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- 2.3.1. Liability (continued) (T)
- D. No carrier participating in this service shall be liable for any act or omission of any other carrier participating in the service. (T)
- E. The Company is not liable for damages associated with service, channels, or equipment which it does not furnish. (T)
- F. The Company is not liable for damages to a premises resulting from the furnishing of IIMTS, including the installation and removal of equipment and associated wiring, unless the damage is caused by the Company's negligence. (T)
- 2.4. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CUSTOMER (T)
- 2.4.1. Payment of Bills and Compliance with Regulations - The Customer is responsible for complying with tariff regulations for IIMTS and for assuring that its Users comply with tariff regulations. The Customer is also responsible for the payment of bills for IIMTS. This includes payment for IIMTS calls or services: (N)
- Originated at the Customer's number(s),
  - Accepted at the Customer's number(s) (e.g., Collect Calls)
  - Billed to the Customer's number via Third Number Billing if the Customer is found to be responsible for such call or service the use of a Calling Card, or the use of a Company-assigned Special Billing Number, and
  - Incurred at the specific request of the customer. (N)
- 2.4.2. Establishing Identity (T)
- A. The calling party is responsible for establishing its identity as often as necessary during the course of a call.
- B. The calling party assumes full responsibility for identifying the station, party, or person with whom connection is made at the called number or numbers. (T)

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- 2.5. PAYMENTS AND CHARGES (T)
- 2.5.1. General - The charges for an IIMTS call are applied on a per call basis. (N)  
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- 2.5.2. Application of Charges - The rates and charges that are in effect in this tariff when IITMS is furnished are the rates and charges used to determine the Customer's bill. (N)  
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- 2.5.3. Payment of Charges - The Customer is responsible for services furnished to the Customer, as specified in Section 2.4.1. preceding. (T)  
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- 2.5.4. Billing and Collection of Charges - Payment for IIMTS issue upon presentation of the bill. Charges are billed and collected by the Company or the connecting Company from whose station the calls were sent paid or to whose station the calls were received collect. (T)  
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- 2.5.5. Late Payment Charge - The late payment charge applicable to intrastate services as specified in the Company's General Exchange Tariff also applies to IIMTS provided under this tariff. (T)  
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- 2.5.6. Advance Payments - Applicants for IIMTS, whose financial responsibility is not a matter of general knowledge or who are not connected in a substantial way with a firm, corporation or other concern of established credit, may be required to make an advance payment of at least one month's estimated charges. A deposit may apply in addition to an advance payment (see Deposits, Section 2.5.7. following). (T)  
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- 2.5.7. Deposits - The Company may require a Customer who has a proven history of late payments to the Company or whose financial responsibility is not a matter of record to make a deposit to be held as a guarantee for the payment of charges. A deposit does not relieve the Customer of the responsibility of the prompt payment of bills on presentation. The deposit will not exceed an amount equal to twice the estimated average monthly usage charges for IIMTS. An advance payment may be required in addition to a deposit- (See Advance Payments, Section 2.5.6. preceding). (T)  
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## 2.5.7. Deposits (continued)

- A. Interest on a Cash Deposit - Interest will be paid to a Customer for the period that a cash deposit is held by the Company. The interest rate used will be simple interest at the rate of six percent annually unless a different rate has been established by the appropriate legal authority within the state.
- B. Return of a Deposit - Any deposit collected will be credited to a Customer's account, when the Customer has established credit, or when the Customer has established a prompt payment record with the Company for one year. At the option of the Company, such a deposit may be refunded or credited to the Customer at any time prior to termination of the service.

2.5.8. Termination of Service for Cause - Upon nonpayment of any sum due the Company, or upon violation of any of the conditions governing the furnishing of service, the Company may, by notice in writing to the Customer, without incurring any liability, forthwith discontinue the furnishing of said service.

2.5.9. Optional Billing Arrangements - When an IIMTS call is not billed to the calling station, the Company offers certain billing options depending on the type of call. These options are:

- A. Collect Calls - This option allows a call to be billed to the called station, if the charges are accepted by the called party, station, or number. Collect calls are not acceptable at a public or semi-public coin station. In lieu of a collect call to a public or semi-public coin station, the charges may be billed to a Calling Card as specified in B. following, or to a Third Number as specified in C. following, or the call may be re-originated from the called station.

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- 2.5.9. Optional Billing Arrangements (continued) (N)
- B. Calling Card - This option enables a Customer to charge a call to an authorized Calling Card. Calls charged to a Calling Card will then be included on the IIMTS bill for the telephone number with which the card is associated. Calls charged to a commercial credit/charge card must be made from a suitably equipped telephone. Charges for the IIMTS call will be reflected on the statement issued by the respective commercial credit/charge card institution.
- C. Third Number Billing - This option allows a call to be billed to a telephone number identified with a station other than the calling or called one. Charges to be billed to a third number are subject to verification by the Company that they will be accepted at the third number, prior to completion of the call. Other efforts may be undertaken subsequently by the Company, if necessary, to determine responsibility for payment of such calls. (N)
- 2.5.10. (Reserved) (D)(T)
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## 2.6. CREDIT ALLOWANCES FOR INTERRUPTIONS

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2.6.1. General - A credit allowance is applicable to that portion of the call which is interrupted due to poor transmission (e.g., noisy circuit condition), one-way transmission (one party is unable to hear the other), or involuntary disconnection (cut-off) of the call caused by components of IIMTS. A Customer may also be granted credit for reaching a wrong number. To receive the proper credit, the Customer must notify the company operator or Company office and furnish the called number, the trouble experienced (e.g., cut-off, noisy circuit, reached wrong number, etc.), the class of call, and the approximate time the call was placed. At the Customer's option, when the Company operator is notified, the operator will attempt to re-establish the call. IIMTS charges will apply to the re-established call. Credit allowances for interruptions to a call to interstate intraLATA Directory Assistance are stated in Section 3.1.4.D. following.

A. Interruptions to Established Calls - When a call to be billed under this tariff is interrupted due to cut-off, one-way transmission, or poor transmission conditions, the Customer will receive credit equivalent to one minute (i.e., the last minute of the call).

B. Wrong Numbers - When a wrong number is reached, a credit equivalent to one minute (i.e., the last minute) for the call will be granted if the Customer reports the situation promptly to the Company operator or a Company office.

C. When Credit Allowances Do Not Apply - Credit allowances for an IIMTS call do not apply for:

- Interruptions not reported to the Company,
- Interruptions that are due to the failure of power, equipment or systems not provided by the Company, or
- Interruptions caused by the failure of other services provided by this Company which are connected to IIMTS.

2.6.2. Use Another Means of Communication - If the Customer elects to use another means of communication during the period of interruption, the Customer must pay the charges for the alternative service used.

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2.8. DEFINITIONS

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Call Forwarding - a feature whereby a call placed to a Customer's telephone number in one exchange (the call forwarding location) is automatically forwarded by Company central office equipment to a station designated by the customer in another exchange.

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Calling Card - a credit/charge card for use in billing IIMTS calls.

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## 2.8. DEFINITIONS (continued)

Customer - the person or legal entity which orders IIMTS (either directly or through an agent).

Customer Dialed Calling Card Station - that service where the charges for the call are billed to a Company authorized calling card.

Customer Provided Test Equipment - non-Company test equipment which is located at a Customer's premises and is used for the detection and/or isolation of a communications service fault.

Dial Station - that service where the person originating the call dials the telephone number desired, completes the call without the assistance of an operator, and the call is billed to the originating number.

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## 2.8. DEFINITIONS (continued)

**Direct Electrical Connection** - a physical connection (i.e., not through a switch) of the electrical conductors in a communications path.

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**Grandfathered** - a term that describes Customer Equipment that was directly connected as specified below and that is grandfathered under Part 68 of the Federal Communications Commission's Rules and Regulations because:

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A. The terminal equipment was directly connected to the telecommunications network or local exchange service prior to July 1, 1979.

B. The multiline terminating system was directly connected to the telecommunications network or local exchange service prior to January 1, 1980.

C. The protective circuitry was directly connected to the telecommunications network or local exchange service prior to the dates set forth in A. and B. preceding.

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## 2.8. DEFINITIONS (continued)

**Initial and Additional Period** - the "Initial Period" is the interval of time allowed at the rate quoted for a connection between given points. The "Additional Period" is the unit of time used for measuring and charging for time in excess of the initial period.

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**Interface** - the electrical and physical means by which a connection is made at the station.

**Interstate IntraLATA Telecommunications Service** - telecommunications service crossing the state lines, but within the same LATA.

**Local Access and Transport Area (LATA)** - a geographic area established for the provision and administration of communications service, encompassing one or more designated exchanges. For purposes of this Tariff, the term LATA denotes the Cincinnati Market Area consisting of the Rate Centers set forth in the Company's Tariff F.C.C NO. 35.

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**Main Billed Account** - the account associated with a customer's service to which IIMTS charges are billed. Such an account may include one or more local exchange telephone number(s).

**Multiline Terminating System** - Customer's or User's premises switching equipment and key telephone type systems which are capable of terminating more than one local central office line, WATS access line, circuit or customer-provided communications system.

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## 2.8. DEFINITIONS (continued)

Operator Station - service, other than Customer Dialed Calling Card  
Station service and Person-to-Person service, which requires the  
assistance of an operator to complete the call.

Person-to-Person - service for which the person originating the call  
specifies to the operator a particular person, mobile station,  
department, extension, or office to be reached.

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2.8. DEFINITIONS (continued)

Registered - a term which means compliance with and approval within  
the Registration Program.

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## 2.8. DEFINITIONS (continued)

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| Station - any location from which IIMTS calls can be placed and/or received.  | (T)    |
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| Switching Equipment - equipment which performs the function of establishing and releasing connections on a per call basis between stations, telecommunications services, or communications systems. | (T)    |
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| Third Number Billing - an optional billing procedure that permits the charges for an IITMS call to be billed to a number that is different from the calling number or the called number.            | (T)(M) |
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| Transient Land Mobile Unit - a land mobile unit communicating through a base station other than the base station with which it is normally associated.  | (T)    |
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**2.9 RATE DETERMINATION-** The rate for an IIMTS call which is charged on a per call basis is determined by factors such as:

- The distance between the rate centers of the originating (calling) station and the terminating (called) station,
- The time of day and the day of week,
- The duration of the call, and
- The class of service applicable to the call.

The specific factors which apply to a given IIMTS call and their application are listed in the rate section applicable to that type of call. The regulations pertaining to those factors are as follows:

**2.9.1 Distance Measurements** - the distance between two stations within the LATA is measured on the basis of airline mileage between rate centers as described in Section 7 following.

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**2.9.2 Time of Day and Day of Week** - The rate charged is determined by the day and time (standard or daylight savings) at the rate center of the calling station.

**2.9.3 Class of Service** - For the purpose of rate application, one of the the following classes of service may apply to an IIMTS call:

- A. Dial Station** - Dial Station rates apply when the person originating the call dials the telephone number desired without the assistance of a Company operator, and the call is billed to the calling station. Dial Station does not include calls from public or semi-public coin telephones. Dial Station rates also apply when:

1. A Company operator is used only to record the calling station number where no automatic recording equipment is available.



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## 2.9.3.A. Dial Station (continued)

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| 2. A call is placed from a dormitory station and a Company operator records a special identification number issued by the Company for billing purposes to students of colleges or universities. The calling station must be equipped with Direct Inward Dial and Identification Outward Dial service. | (T) |
| 3. A call is forwarded by Call-Forwarding equipment.  | (T) |
| 4. A Company operator reaches the called station because the calling party could not complete the call due to trouble on telecommunications network.  | (T) |
| 5. A Company operator places a call for a calling party who identifies himself/herself as being handicapped and unable to dial the call because of his/her handicap.  | (T) |
| 6. A Company operator reestablishes a Dial Station call that has been interrupted after the called station has been reached.  | (T) |
| 7. Calls are originated from vessels which have an assigned Company Marine Identification Number (MIN).   | (T) |
| 8. A Company operator places a call because service components are not available for dial completion.   | (T) |
| B. Operator Station - Operator Station rates apply when calls are completed with the assistance of a Company operator, except as specified for the Dial Station, Customer Dialed Calling Card Station, or Person-to-Person classes of service. Operator Station rates also apply to:                  | (T) |
| 1. Calls originated at a public or semi-public coin telephone (except for Person-to-Person and Customer Dialed Calling Card Station) and  | (T) |
| 2. Calls for which the Company furnishes time and/or charge information to Customers such as hospitals, hotels or motels to permit the collection of charges for calls dialed by extension users.   | (C) |

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## 2.9.3. Class of Service (continued)

- C. Customer Dialed Calling Card Station - Customer Dialed Calling Cards rates apply when the person originating the call: (T)
- 1. Dials the telephone number desired and completes the call without the assistance of a Company operator and the call is billed to a Calling Card, or (T)
  - 2. Dials the telephone number desired and Company operator assistance is limited to recording the Calling Card number for billing purposes, or (T)
  - 3. Dials the Company operator and places a Calling Card station-to-station call when equipment capability precludes any of the foregoing. (T)
- D. Person-to-Person - Person-to-Person rates apply when the person originating the call specifies the particular party to be reached by the Company operator. That party may be: (T)
- 1. A person.
  - 2. A mobile station through a Miscellaneous Common Carrier Attendant.
  - 3. A station, department, or office through a PBX attendant.
- After the called station has been reached, if the calling party requests or agrees to speak to a party other than the party initially specified, the call is still classified as Person-to-Person. The calling party is responsible for identifying the party at the called station. (T)
- Person-to-Person rates also apply when the call originator requests a Company operator to make arrangements with a called party to establish a call at a specified time. (T)

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2.9.3.D. Person-to-Person (continued) (T)

The Company does not undertake to bring a called party to a station who cannot be readily reached at the called station. (T)

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2.9.4 Timing of Messages - Chargeable time includes the initial period plus the additional period, if any, and is determined as follows: (T)

A. When a message is established in one rate period and ends in another, the rate in effect in each rate period applies to the portion of the message occurring within that rate period. In the event that a minute of use is split between two rate periods, the rate at the start of the minute applies.

B. On Dial Station, Operator Station, and Customer Dialed Calling Card Station messages, chargeable time begins when connection is established between the calling station and the called station. (T)

C. On Person-to-Person messages, chargeable time begins when connection is established between the calling station and a specified person, station, department, office, or an agreed-upon alternate.

D. Chargeable time ends when the calling station "hangs-up". If the called station "hangs-up" but the calling station does not, chargeable time ends when the connection is released either by automatic timing equipment in the telecommunications network or by a Company operator. (T)

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- 2.9.4.      **Timing of Messages (continued)** (T)
- E.      **Chargeable time does not include time lost because of service faults or defects that are reported to the Company.** (T)
- F.      **When exchange telephone service used for IIMTS is directly connected (i.e., not connected through a Multiline Terminating System) at a customer's premises to a communications system, chargeable time for all classes of service begins when a call from the telecommunications network terminates in or passes through the first multiline terminating system or terminal equipment on that communications system. It is the customer's responsibility to furnish appropriate answer supervision to the point of connection with the exchange telephone service so that chargeable time may begin.** (T)

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**SECTION 3**

**SERVICE CLASSIFICATION, RATE APPLICATION AND RATES**

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**SECTION 3 - SERVICE CLASSIFICATION, RATE APPLICATION AND RATES**

**3.1. INTERSTATE INTRALATA SERVICE - SCHEDULE I**

**3.1.1. Application - Schedule I applies to service between two points in the LATA as set forth in 3.1.2 and 3.1.3 following. Service between three or more points [Conference Service] is furnished as set forth in Section 6 following.**

**3.1.2. Mileage Measurement**

- A. Rates for service between points in the LATA are based on the airline mileage between rate centers. A list of rate centers in the LATA are as provided in Section 7 following. Airline mileages between rate centers are determined as provided in Section 7 following. In general, each point in the LATA is designated as a rate center except that certain small towns or communities are assigned adjacent rate centers with which they are closely associated for communication purposes or by community of interest.** (T)
- B. Rate Determination - Schedule I - Rates applicable for the mileage obtained are as provided in 3.1.3.H. following.** (T)

**3.1.3. Rate and Charge Application**

- A. Classes of Service**
- 1. Service is offered on a Dial Station, Customer Dialed Calling Card Station, Operator Station or Person-to-Person basis.**
  - 2. In order to control fraud, the Company may refuse to accept Calling Cards which it determines to be invalid and/or may limit the use of Calling Cards to or from areas in the LATA.**

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| 3.1.3 | <b>Rate and Charge Application (continued)</b>  | (T)<br>:<br>:<br>:<br>:<br>:                     |
| B.    | <b>Initial Minute and Additional Minutes - Rates are stated in terms of initial minute and additional minutes in the Rate Table in 3.1.3.H. following.</b>  | :<br>:<br>:<br>:<br>:                            |
| 1.    | <b>Initial Minute - Initial minute rates are for connections of one minute or any fraction thereof.</b>   | (T)  |
| 2.    | <b>Additional Minute - Additional minute rates are for each additional minute or any fraction thereof that the connection continues beyond the initial minute.</b>  | (T)  |
| 3.    | <b>Dial Station - Only initial minute and additional minute rates apply.</b>  | (T)  |
| C.    | <b>Service Charge - A Service Charge, as indicated in the Rate Table 3.1.3.H. following, is applicable to Customer Dialed Calling Card Station, Operator Station or Person-to-Person calls. This charge is in addition to the initial minute and additional minute charges. Discounts do not apply to Service Charges. When a call is subject to more than one service charge, only the highest Service Charge applies.</b>   | (T)<br>:<br>:<br>(T)<br>(N)<br>:<br>(N)          |
| D.    | <b>Discounts - Discounts for the Evening and Night/Weekend reduced rate periods are stated in the Rate Table in 3.1.3.H. following. For the initial period, the discount applicable at the start of chargeable time at the calling station applies. For additional minute(s), the discount applicable is that discount which is in effect at the calling station when the additional minute(s) occurs. If the computed charges include a fraction of a cent, the fraction is rounded down to the next whole cent (e.g., \$1.426 would be rounded down to \$1.42).</b> | (T)<br>:<br>:<br>:<br>:<br>:<br>:<br>:<br>(T)(N) |

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3.1.3. Rate and Charge Application (continued)

E. Rates Applicable for Hearing or Speech Impaired Persons

1. Application - Persons who have been certified in writing by a licensed physician, audiologist, speech pathologist or appropriate State or Federal Agency as having a hearing or speech impairment, which precludes oral communications and who have and use a telecommunications device for visual communications, will receive an adjustment on customer dialed station calls which do not require the intervention of a Company operator. The adjustment is applied to the appropriate rate schedules according to the following:
  - (a) Calls placed during the Day rate period will be charged at the Evening rate.
  - (b) Calls placed during the Evening rate period will be charged at the Night and Weekend rate.
2. Certification - The written certification of the speech or hearing impairment must be presented to the Company Business Office which serves the residence of the certified person.

The Company Business Office, upon request, will provide a certification form for use by the applicant.



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- 3.1.3. E. Rates Applicable for Hearing or Speech Impaired Persons (continued) (T)
3. Limitations - The adjustment is provided for use by the speech or hearing impaired customer. It is only applicable to IIMTS charges for calls originated from and billed to the telephone Exchange Service of the residence of the certified speech or hearing impaired person. Only one Exchange Service number at a residence is authorized this rate adjustment. (T)
- F. Reversal of Charges (Collect Calls) - Collect calls are permissible for all Interstate IntraLATA telephone calls except messages to which Dial Station rates apply, or messages to a public or semi-public coin station. The regularly established Operator Station or Person-to-Person rates apply. (N)
- G. Rates Applicable on Certain Holidays - On Christmas Day (December 25), New Year's Day (January 1), Independence Day (July 4), Thanksgiving Day and Labor Day, the rate applicable is the Evening rate, unless a lower rate would normally apply. (T)

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## 3.1.3 Rate and Charge Application (continued)

- H. Rate Table - Interstate IntraLATA Service - Schedule I - The following rates apply to all classes of service for all hours of the day and days of the week unless a discount applies. In addition, service charges apply as indicated. Only initial minute and additional minute charges apply to Dial Station calls.

| Rate Mileage | Day Rates      |                        |
|--------------|----------------|------------------------|
|              | Initial Minute | Each Additional Minute |
| 1-10(z)      | \$ .13         | \$ .08(I)              |
| 11-22        | .13            | .08(I)                 |
| 23-55        | .15(I)         | .10                    |
| 56-124       | .15(I)         | .10                    |

## I. Rate Discount Chart

|                             | MON TUES WED THUR FRI                             | SAT SUN                         | Discounts  |
|-----------------------------|---|---------------------------------|--|
| 8:00 AM<br>to<br>* 5:00 PM  | Day Rate Period<br>Full Rate                      | ____<br><br>Eve.<br>35%<br>____ | Discounts apply to the charge for the initial minute occurring within the discount period and to all additional minutes occurring within each discount rate period. Discounts do not apply to the service charge.<br><br>(C) |
| 5:00 PM<br>to<br>* 11:00PM  | Evening Rate Period<br>35% Discount (C)           |                                 |  |
| 11:00 PM<br>to<br>* 8:00 AM | Night and Weekend Rate Period<br>50% Discount (C) |                                 |  |

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## 3.1.3. H. Rate Table - Interstate IntraLATA Service - Schedule I (continued)

## 2. Service Charges

|                         |                         |     |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|-----|
| Customer Dialed Calling | \$1.00 1-10 miles       | (I) |
|                         | 1.00 11-22 miles        | :   |
|                         | 1.00 23 miles and above | (I) |

|          |                         |     |
|----------|-------------------------|-----|
| Operator | \$1.00 1-10 miles       | (I) |
|          | 1.00 11-22 miles        | (R) |
|          | 1.00 23 miles and above | (R) |

Person-to-Person    \$3.00 All mileages

I. Charges paid for by Coin Deposits in a Public or Semi-Public Coin Telephone - The charge for a call paid for by coin deposit in a public or semi-public coin telephone is the sum, rounded to the nearer multiple of \$.05, of the appropriate initial period rate and additional period charges.

J. Call Forwarding - The charges for forwarded calls may be comprised of three charges: (i) a charge for that portion of the call from the originating station to the call forwarding location, if applicable, (ii) the Dial Station charge for that portion of the call from the call forwarding location to the terminating station designated by the Customer, and (iii) a monthly and a non-recurring charge for Call Forwarding provided by the Company as set forth in the Company's General Exchange Tariff.

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## 3.1.3. J. Call Forwarding (continued) (T)

The respective charge for each such portion (i), (ii), shall be either the rate specified in this tariff or the rate specified in the General Exchange Tariff or the intrastate intraLATA message telecommunications service tariff of the Company, which is applicable for the type of call involved in each portion of the forwarded call. (T)  
(T)

On a Person-to-Person, Operator Station or Customer Dialed Calling Card Station call other than collect, the originating subscriber is charged the respective Person-to-Person, Operator Station or Customer Dialed Calling Card Station rate for the portion covered in (i) preceding. The charge for the portion of the call described in (ii) preceding is the Dial Station rate and is charged to the call forwarding Customer.

On a collect call placed to a call forwarding directory number, the collect charges apply to the portion of the call between the rate center of the originating number and the rate center of the call forwarding location and the terminating rate center of the Customer will be billed at the Dial Station rate.

On a Person-to-Person or collect call that is not accepted, the terminating subscriber will be charged the Dial Station rate in effect for the portion of the call described in (ii) preceding.

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- 3.1.4. Directory Assistance Charge - Applies to all calls made from points within the LATA to interstate Directory Assistance. Up to two requests may be made on each call to Directory Assistance. The Directory Assistance charge applies whether or not the Directory Assistance bureau furnishes the requested telephone number(s) (e.g., where the requested telephone number is unlisted, non-published or no record can be found.)

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Operator Services Charges (i.e., Operator Station, Customer Dialing Calling Card Station) do not apply to calls to Directory Assistance. Person-to-Person or Collect Calls to Directory Assistance are not permitted.

A. Rate-per call \$0.44

(R)

B. Exceptions - There will be a charge for all customer calls to Directory Assistance except in the following instances:

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- calls placed from Public, Semi-public telephones and Customer-Provided Public Telephone Service telephones. (Temporary suspension pending resolution of Case No. 92-1953-TP-CSS before the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.)
  - direct-dialed calls from hotels and motels which maintain rooms for occupancy by guests for periods of less than one month which have a substantial proportion of guest rooms regularly so occupied, and which provide telephones in the majority of the guest rooms.
  - direct-dialed calls from hospitals and skilled nursing homes.
- For purposes of this paragraph, the term skilled nursing home applies to nursing homes which provide around-the-clock professional nursing care.
- calls that meet the criteria of 3.1.4.C or 3.1.4.D following.

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## 3.1.4. Directory Assistance (continued) (T)

C. Handicapped Exemption - Those handicapped Customers who qualify for exemptions from local Directory Assistance charges under Local Exchange Company tariff(s), or in the absence of a local Directory Assistance charge plan, receive special rates on other Local Exchange Company services, are exempted from the interstate Intra-LATA Directory Assistance Charge. This exemption applies only to calls to Directory Assistance which are billed to the handicapped Customer's residence telephone number. (T)

D. Credit - A credit will be given for calls to Directory Assistance when: (T)

- the Customer experiences poor transmission or is cut-off during the call,
- the Customer is given an incorrect telephone number, or
- the Customer inadvertently misdials (e.g., the caller dialed 202-55-1212 when they intended to dial 201-555-1212.)

To receive the credit, the Customer must notify a Company operator or Business Office of the problem experienced.

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**SECTION 4**

**PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIOTELEPHONE SERVICE**

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SECTION 4: PUBLIC LAND MOBILE RADIOTELEPHONE SERVICE

4.1 THROUGH BASE STATIONS OF THE TELEPHONE COMPANY

4.1.1 Application

- A. Conditions - Two-way communication service is furnished through radiotelephone Base Stations listed in 3.2.1.C. following, between a vehicle and a point located outside the land mobile service area associated with such Base Station.
- B. Availability - Public Land Mobile Service is available to vehicles equipped for this service when within range of a Base Station through which such service is furnished subject to transmission, atmospheric and like limitations.

This service is also available through a Base Station, between a point or a vehicle and another station, hereinafter called an "Other Station," which is authorized by the Federal Communications Commission to communicate with the Base Station, or between two Other Stations so authorized.

In the application of regulations and rates, stations other than vehicles which are authorized by the Federal Communications Commission to communicate with a Base Station are considered as vehicles.

4.1.2. Mileage Measurements - Rate Determination

- A. Mileage Bands - Rates for service as set forth in 4.1.2.B. following are based on airline mileage between rate centers or mileage rate bands. V and H coordinates for Base Station rate centers are listed in Section 7 following.

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- 4.1.2. Mileage Measurements - Rate Determination (Continued) (T)
- B. Rate Determination - For intraLATA service, mileage is measured between the rate center of the point in the LATA and the rate center of the Base Station serving the vehicle in accordance with the provisions of 3.1.2. preceding. Rates for the mileage obtained are applied as specified in 4.1.3.A. following.
- 4.1.3. Rate and Charge Application
- A. Rates - The rates, according to the type of connection established, for the mileage or mileage rate band between the applicable rate center or point in the LATA and the rate center of the serving Base Station, apply as specified in the rate tables for Interstate IntraLATA Service under 3.1.3.H. of this tariff for service as set forth in 4.2.1.B. preceding.
- B. Charges - When the service connection involves a call to or from a Transient Land Mobile Unit and requires the assistance of an operator, the Operator Station or Person-to-Person rate shall apply as applicable. When the call is placed without the assistance of an operator, the Dial Station rate shall apply. (T)
- C. Rate Centers - The rate centers for the Interstate IntraLATA Base Stations for mobile service are Florence, Kentucky and Cincinnati, Ohio. (T)

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## 4.2. THROUGH MISCELLANEOUS COMMON CARRIER

4.2.1. Application - Service is available to and from customers of the miscellaneous common carriers (as defined in Part 22 of the F.C.C. Rules), listed in 4.2.2.A. following, through connecting facilities provided by the Company in accordance with the provisions set forth in 4.2.1.A. through 4.2.1.E. following.

A. Mileage Measurement and Rate Determination - Rates between the rate center applicable to the miscellaneous common carrier (MCC) and the applicable rate center of the point or applicable mileage rate band are those set forth in 3.1. Additional charges, which the MCC bills to and collects from its customers, are applicable to the remainder of the haul, as set forth 4.2.2.A. following or in the tariff indicated in 4.2.2.B. following. V and H coordinates for the rate centers applicable to the MCC are listed in Section 7 following.

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B. Connections and Interchange of Traffic - Subject to the availability of facilities and the reasonable requirements of the Company for its telecommunications services, the Company will, at the MCC's request, extend and physically connect its facilities with those of the MCC for the purpose of interchanging interstate interLATA traffic in connection with the MCC's Domestic Public Land Mobile Radio Services (as defined in Part 22 of the F.C.C. Rules). Such connection and interchange of traffic shall be as follows:

1. Two-Way Mobile Traffic - The Company will extend and connect its facilities between any telephone exchange whose rate center is located in the MCC's Reliable Service Area (as defined in Part 22 of the F.C.C. Rules) and the MCC's control point(s) or communications system serving that Reliable Service Area.

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- 4.2.1.B. Connections and Interchange of Traffic (Continued) (T)
2. One-Way Signaling Traffic - The Company will extend and connect its facilities between any telephone exchange within which a signaling receiver is served by the MCC's system and the MCC's control point(s) or communications system serving that system. (T)
- C. Connection Restrictions - The facilities provided for connection and interchange of traffic shall not be used, switched or otherwise connected together by the MCC for the provision of through calling from a landline telephone to another landline telephone, nor shall they be switched or otherwise connected together by the MCC for the provision of through calling from a landline telephone mobile unit located in one Reliable Service Area to a landline telephone or mobile unit in another Reliable Service Area. (T)
- D. Other Regulations - Specific administrative procedures, connection and operating arrangements and charges for the facilities provided by the Company to the MCC for the purpose of connection and interchanging traffic are as set forth in various intercarrier agreements between the Company and the MCCs or in the general exchange tariffs of the Company as appropriate where the state franchise area or state authorization of the MCC is different from the Reliable Service Area, the terms and conditions of connection and interchange of traffic may be modified to recognize the extent of such state franchise or authorization. (T)
- E. The connection and interchange of traffic as set forth in 4.2.1.D preceding does not constitute a joint undertaking with the MCC for the furnishing of any service. (T)

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**SECTION 5**

**MARITIME MOBILE RADIOTELEPHONE SERVICE**

## INTERSTATE INTRALATA MESSAGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE

## SECTION 5 - MARITIME MOBILE RADIOTELEPHONE SERVICE

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## 5.1. APPLICATION

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## 5.1.1. General

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- A. VHF Service is a two-way communication service furnished by Cincinnati Bell Inc. through the Cincinnati, Ohio rate center. Cincinnati Bell Inc. is licensed to provide a primarily local maritime mobile service.
- B. VHF Service is available to ships equipped for this service when within range of a VHF Service Station, subject to transmission, atmospheric and like limitations.
- C. The services offered are those referred to in 5.3.1. and 5.3.2. following.
- D. Conference Service is available to ships served through VHF Service Stations at the regulations and rates set forth in Section 6 following.

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## 5.2. REGULATIONS

## 5.2.1 General - Service is offered on a Dial Station, Customer Dialed Calling Card Station, Operator Station or Person-to-Person basis.

## 5.2.2 Timing of Calls - Calls filed in advance of the time communication is desired will be accepted on the basis that the Company will endeavor to complete them as near as possible to the time specified by the calling party.

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- 5.3. RATE AND CHARGE APPLICATION (T)
- 5.3.1 IntraLATA Charges - For service involving a ship served through Cincinnati Bell Inc. and a point in the LATA, or for service between two ships that are both served through Cincinnati Bell Inc., the total charge is the sum of the charges of A. and B. following: (T)
- A. The appropriate charge, as determined by the rates set forth in Section 3.1.3.H., between the rate center for the point in the LATA and the Cincinnati, Ohio rate center which serves the ship. (T)
- When the point on land and the Cincinnati, Ohio rate center are the same, 0 mileage is treated as 1 mile. When the connection involves only ships being served through the same VHF Service Station, a charge as for one mile applies. (T)
- B. The VHF station charge to each ship served through Cincinnati Bell Inc., as follows: (T)
- |  |        |     |
|--|--------|-----|
| 1. Initial period of three minutes or fraction thereof | \$2.55 | (T) |
| 2. Additional minute or fraction thereof               | .85    | (T) |
- When the connection involves two ships served through the same VHF Service Station on a single channel, the VHF station charge applies only once.

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- 5.3.2. InterLATA Charges - For service involving a ship served through Cincinnati Bell Inc. and a point outside the LATA, the VHF station charge as specified in 5.3.1.B. preceding will apply. In addition, appropriate rates and charges in tariffs of either carriers who provide such service will apply. These charges are not specified in this tariff. (T)
- 5.3.3. Initial and Additional Periods - Rates are quoted in terms of initial and additional periods; the initial period is three minutes or a fraction thereof, and the additional period is one minute or a fraction thereof. (T)
- 5.3.4. Timing of Messages
- A. Chargeable time begins when connection is established between
1. the calling station and the called station, mobile radio system, or PBX, or
  2. the calling person and the specified person or station or an agreed alternate.
- B. Chargeable time ends when the connection is terminated at any point.
- C. Chargeable time does not include time lost because of faults or defects in service.
- 5.3.5. Reversal of Charges (Collect Calls) - Collect calls are accepted to and from ships served through VHF Service Stations of Concurring carriers. (T)

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**SECTION 6**

**CONFERENCE SERVICE**

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## SECTION 6: CONFERENCE SERVICE

- 6.1. APPLICATION (T)
- 6.1.1 Definition - Conference Service is the furnishing of IIMTS for telecommunications between a calling station and two or more called stations when at least one of the called stations is in a different local service area than the calling station. In addition to the regulations in Sections 2, 3, 4 and 5 preceding, the following regulations also apply to Conference Service.
- 6.1.2. Conditions - Conference Service is furnished by an operator, subject to the availability of the service components required. Service is offered to a specified person or station. All stations on a conference connection may communicate with each other, or one station may, at the customer's discretion, be the transmitting station with all other stations receiving.
- 6.1.3. Availability - An operator, upon request, will establish a Conference Service call at a customer-specified time.
- 6.2. RATE AND CHARGE APPLICATION
- 6.2.1. General - IIMTS rates apply between the calling station (conference call originator) and each called station on a conference call, as set forth in 4.2.4 following.
- 6.2.2. Timing of Calls - Chargeable time begins when connection is established between all of the stations on the conference call. Chargeable time ends on any two-point connection of a conference call when either the calling station or the called station hangs up. (T)

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**6.2.3. Billing Arrangements - Charges for conference calls are billed in total only, and may be billed to the originating station, a calling card, or another designated station, provided:**

- A. The total charge will be billed to only one station or one calling card.**
- B. The total charge may be billed to a station other than the originating station if the charge is accepted at the designated station.**
- C. The originating station and the designated billed station must be located in the LATA.**

**6.2.4. Rates and Charges - The rates for a conference call are the sum of:**

- A. The two-point initial period and initial minute charges determined in accordance with Section 3 preceding for an IIMTS call between the originating station and each called station on the conference call (for calls between the originator and a called station in the same local service area, the charge for a one mile call determined in accordance with Section 3 preceding applies), and**
- B. A service charge of \$3.00(R) for each called station on the conference.**

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## SECTION 7: LIST OF RATE CENTERS AND CENTRAL OFFICES

## 7.1. LIST OF RATE CENTERS

## 7.1.1. Ohio Rate Centers

| <u>RATE CENTERS</u> | <u>V</u> | <u>H</u> |
|---------------------|----------|----------|
| Bethany             | 6198     | 2689     |
| Bethel              | 6252     | 2601     |
| Butlerville 6190    | 2639     |          |
| Cincinnati 6263     | 2679     |          |
| Clermont 6251       | 2644     |          |
| Fayetteville        | 6198     | 2603     |
| Felicity            | 6276     | 2590     |
| Hamilton 6210       | 2718     |          |
| Harrison 6258       | 2739     |          |
| Lebanon 6175        | 2670     |          |
| Little Miami        | 6210     | 2660     |
| Mason               | 6198     | 2678     |
| Morning Sun         | 6187     | 2765     |
| Morrow              | 6182     | 2548     |
| Newtownsville       | 6211     | 2625     |
| Oxford              | 6204     | 2759     |
| Reily 6221          | 2751     |          |
| Seven Mile 6194     | 2726     |          |
| Shandon 6238        | 2733     |          |
| South Lebanon       | 6186     | 2665     |
| Waynesville         | 6146     | 2654     |
| Williamsburg        | 6232     | 2607     |

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## 7.1.2. Kentucky Rate Centers

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| <u>RATE CENTERS</u> | <u>V</u> | <u>H</u> |
|---------------------|----------|----------|
| Alexandria 6277     | 2645     |          |
| Boone               | 6292     | 2686     |
| Butler              | 6310     | 2623     |
| Covington 6266      | 2676     |          |
| Falmouth 6328       | 2606     |          |
| Glencoe             | 6361     | 2682     |
| Independence        | 6296     | 2667     |
| Walton              | 6316     | 2669     |
| Warsaw              | 6354     | 2700     |
| Williamstown        | 6353     | 2636     |

## 7.1.3. Indiana Rate Centers

| <u>RATE CENTERS</u> | <u>V</u> | <u>H</u> |
|---------------------|----------|----------|
| Aurora              | 6303     | 2731     |
| Dillsboro 6324      | 2750     |          |
| East Enterprise     | 6345     | 2724     |
| Guilford            | 6284     | 2745     |
| Lawrenceburg        | 6292     | 2729     |
| Moore's Hill        | 6308     | 2766     |
| Patriot             | 6338     | 2698     |
| Peoria              | 6226     | 2759     |
| Rising Sun 6320     | 2713     |          |
| Vevay               | 6375     | 2723     |
| West Harrison       | 6259     | 2740     |

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## 7.2. LIST OF CENTRAL OFFICE CODES (T)

## 7.2.1. Ohio 513 NPA Central Office Codes and Associated Rate Centers (T)

| <u>COC</u> | <u>RATE CENTER</u> | <u>COC</u> | <u>RATE CENTER</u> |
|------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------|
| 221        | Cincinnati         | 353        | Cincinnati         |
| 231        | Cincinnati         | 367        | Harrison           |
| 232        | Cincinnati         | 369        | Cincinnati         |
| 241        | Cincinnati         | 381        | Cincinnati         |
| 242        | Cincinnati         | 385        | Cincinnati         |
| 243        | Cincinnati         | 388        | Cincinnati         |
| 244        | Cincinnati         | 389        | Cincinnati         |
| 245        | Cincinnati         | 396        | Cincinnati         |
| 247        | Cincinnati         | 397        | Cincinnati         |
| 248        | Little Miami       | 398        | Mason              |
| 249        | Cincinnati (N)     |            |                    |
| 251        | Cincinnati         | 421        | Cincinnati         |
| 271        | Cincinnati         | 451        | Cincinnati         |
| 272        | Cincinnati         | 467        | Cincinnati         |
| 281        | Cincinnati         | 471        | Cincinnati         |
|            |                    | 474        | Cincinnati         |
| 321        | Cincinnati         | 475        | Cincinnati         |
| 333        | Little Miami       | 481        | Cincinnati         |
| 346        | Cincinnati         | 482        | Cincinnati         |
| 347        | Cincinnati         | 439        | Cincinnati         |
| 351        | Cincinnati         | 494        | South Lebanon      |
| 352        | Cincinnati         |            |                    |

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## 7.2. LIST OF CENTRAL OFFICE CODES (CONT'D) (T)

## 7.2.1. Ohio 513 NPA Central Office Codes and Associated Rate Centers (Cont'd) (T)

| <u>COC</u> | <u>RATE CENTER</u> | <u>COC</u> | <u>RATE CENTER</u> |     |
|------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------|-----|
| 521        | Cincinnati         | 574        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 522        | Cincinnati         | 575        | Little Miami       |     |
| 523        | Oxford             | 576        | Little Miami       |     |
| 527        | Cincinnati         | 579        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 528        | Clermont           | 582        | Cincinnati         | (T) |
| 529        | Oxford             | 583        | Little Miami       |     |
| 530        | Cincinnati         | 589        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 531        | Cincinnati         | 591        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 533        | Cincinnati         | 595        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 535        | Cincinnati         | 598        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 536        | Williamsburg       |            |                    |     |
| 541        | Cincinnati         | 621        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 542        | Cincinnati         | 624        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 552        | Cincinnati         | 625        | Newtownsville      |     |
| 553        | Cincinnati         | 627        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 554        | Clermont           | 629        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 554        | Cincinnati         | 631        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 556        | Cincinnati (N)     | 632        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 557        | Clermont           | 634        | Cincinnati         | (N) |
| 558        | Cincinnati (N)     | 641        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 559        | Cincinnati         | 647        | Little Miami       |     |
| 561        | Cincinnati         | 651        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 562        | Cincinnati         | 655        | Harrison           |     |
| 563        | Cincinnati         | 659        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 565        | Cincinnati         | 661        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 566        | Cincinnati         | 662        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 569        | Cincinnati         | 664        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 573        | Mason (N)          |            |                    |     |

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## 7.2. LIST OF CENTRAL OFFICE CODES (CONT'D) (T)

## 7.2.1. Ohio 513 NPA Central Office Codes and Associated Rate Centers (Cont'd) (T)

| <u>COC</u> | <u>RATE CENTER</u> | <u>COC</u> | <u>RATE CENTER</u> |     |
|------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------|-----|
| 665        | Little Miami       | 749        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 671        | Cincinnati         | 751        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 677        | Little Miami       | 752        | Clermont           |     |
| 681        | Cincinnati         | 753        | Clermont           |     |
| 683        | Little Miami       | 756        | Reily              |     |
| 684        | Cincinnati         | 757        | Reily              |     |
|            |                    | 758        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 721        | Cincinnati         | 761        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 722        | Newtownsville      | 762        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 724        | Williamsburg       | 763        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 725        | Williamsburg       | 765        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 726        | Seven Mile         | 768        | Cincinnati         | (N) |
| 728        | Cincinnati         | 769        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 729        | Cincinnati         | 771        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 731        | Cincinnati         | 772        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 732        | Clermont           | 774        | Bethany            |     |
| 733        | Cincinnati         | 777        | Bethany            |     |
| 734        | Bethel             | 779        | Bethany            |     |
| 735        | Bethel             | 782        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 736        | Shandon            | 784        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 737        | Clermont           | 786        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 738        | Shandon            | 791        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 739        | Cincinnati (N)     | 792        | Cincinnati         | (N) |
| 741        | Cincinnati         | 793        | Cincinnati         |     |
| 742        | Cincinnati         | 794        | Clermont           |     |
| 745        | Cincinnati         | 796        | Morning Sun        |     |
|            |                    | 797        | Clermont           |     |
|            |                    | 798        | Oxford             |     |



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## 7.2. LIST OF CENTRAL OFFICE CODES (CONT'D) (T)

## 7.2.1. Ohio 513 NPA Central Office Codes and Associated Rate Centers (Cont'd) (T)

| <u>COC</u> | <u>RATE CENTER</u> | <u>COC</u> | <u>RATE CENTER</u> |
|------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------|
| 820        | Hamilton           | 877        | Butler             |
| 821        | Cincinnati         | 891        | Cincinnati         |
| 822        | Hamilton           | 892        | Hamilton           |
| 825        | Cincinnati         | 893        | Hamilton           |
| 827        | Newtownsville      | 894        | Hamilton           |
| 829        | Hamilton           | 895        | Hamilton           |
| 831        | Little Miami       | 896        | Hamilton           |
| 841        | Cincinnati         | 897        | Waynesville        |
| 844        | Hamilton           | 899        | Morrow             |
| 851        | Cincinnati         |            |                    |
| 852        | Cincinnati         | 921        | Cincinnati         |
| 853        | Cincinnati         | 922        | Cincinnati         |
| 856        | Hamilton           | 923        | Cincinnati         |
| 858        | Hamilton           | 931        | Cincinnati         |
| 860        | Hamilton           | 932        | Lebanon            |
| 861        | Cincinnati         | 933        | Lebanon            |
| 863        | Hamilton           | 941        | Cincinnati         |
| 867        | Hamilton           | 943        | Clermont           |
| 868        | Hamilton           | 948        | Cincinnati         |
| 869        | Hamilton           |            |                    |
| 870        | Hamilton           | 961        | Cincinnati         |
| 871        | Cincinnati         | 972        | Cincinnati         |
| 872        | Cincinnati         | 976        | Cincinnati         |
| 874        | Hamilton           | 977        | Cincinnati         |
| 875        | Fayetteville       | 983        | Cincinnati         |
| 876        | Felcity            | 984        | Cincinnati         |

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## 7.2.2. Kentucky 606 NPA Central Office Codes and Associated Rate Centers (T)

| <u>COC</u> | <u>RATE CENTER</u> | <u>COC</u> | <u>RATE CENTER</u> |
|------------|--------------------|------------|--------------------|
| 261        | Covington          | 565        | Covington          |
| 283        | Boone              | 566        | Covington          |
| 291        | Covington          | 567        | Warsaw             |
| 292        | Covington          | 572        | Covington          |
|            |                    | 581        | Covington          |
| 331        | Covington          | 586        | Boone              |
| 334        | Boone              | 594        | Boone              |
| 341        | Covington          |            |                    |
| 342        | Covington          | 628        | Covington          |
| 344        | Covington          | 635        | Alexandria         |
| 356        | Independence       | 543        | Glencoe            |
| 359        | Independence (N)   | 654        | Falmouth           |
| 371        | Boone              | 657        | Boone              |
| 384        | Boone              | 689        | Boone              |
| 397        | Covington          | 694        | Alexandria         |
|            |                    |            |                    |
| 428        | Williamstown       | 727        | Covington          |
| 431        | Covington          | 781        | Covington          |
| 441        | Covington          |            |                    |
| 472        | Butler             | 823        | Williamstown       |
| 485        | Walton             | 824        | Williamstown       |
| 491        | Covington          |            |                    |
| 493        | Walton             | 936        | Boone              |
|            |                    | 939        | Covington          |
| 525        | Boone              |            |                    |
| 534        | Boone              |            |                    |

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7.2. LIST OF CENTRAL OFFICE CODES (CONT'D) (T)

7.2.3. Indiana 812 NPA Central Office Codes and Associated Rate Centers (T)

COC      RATE CENTER

|     |                 |
|-----|-----------------|
| 427 | Vevay           |
| 432 | Dillsboro       |
| 438 | Rising Sun      |
| 487 | Guilford        |
| 534 | East Enterprise |
| 537 | Lawrenceburg    |
| 565 | West Harrison   |
| 566 | West Harrison   |
| 594 | Patriot         |
| 637 | West Harrison   |
| 656 | West Harrison   |
| 744 | Moore's Hill    |
| 775 | Peoria          |
| 776 | Peoria          |
| 926 | Aurora          |