

**ACCESS SERVICE**

**8.** Miscellaneous Services (Cont'd)

**8.16** Universal Service Fund Charge

The Universal Service Fund (USF) charge provides for affordable local telephone service for all customers and provides a discount to schools, libraries and low-income families. The USF charge, as shown in this section of the tariff, shall be assessed to customers that are billed end user common line charges. The USF charge will not be assessed to Lifeline customers.

The USF charge will also be assessed to end user customers who order Special Access services from this tariff. The USF charge will be determined by multiplying a USF Surcharge factor of .072805 by the end user customer's monthly billing account level interstate charges for these services.

USF Charge

Per ISDN PRI Arrangement	\$2.75	(l)(x)
Per DCS/Flexgrow Line Activated	0.55	(l)(x)
Centranet		
First 1-9 lines (Flat Rate)	0.55	(l)(x)
10 lines and over (per line)	.06	(S)(y)
All Other Lines	0.55	(l)(x)

(x) Issued under authority of Special Permission No. 02-XX of the FCC to change material not in effect for 30 days.

(y) Became effective October XXth under Transmittal No. XXX.