

ACCESS SERVICE

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Regulations, Rates and Charges
applying to the provision of Access Service
for connection to interstate communications
facilities for Interstate Customers within
the operating territory of the

East Ascension Telephone Company

in the State of Louisiana

as provided herein.

All material contained herein is new.

Access Services are provided by means of wire, fiber optics, radio or any other suitable technology or combination thereof.

The terms and conditions of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff F.C.C. No. 5 are referenced herein under authority of Special Permission No. 88-579.

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USERS GUIDE

General

This tariff references the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc., Tariff F.C.C. No. 5 for its terms and conditions. This tariff contains rates applicable to Interstate Access Services provided in the State of Louisiana by the East Ascension Telephone Company with the exception of Carrier Common Line rates. Carrier Common Line rates are as set forth in National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc., Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, at 17.1.1.

This tariff comports with the F.C.C. Part 61 rules in 47 C.F.R. Section 61.39 as promulgated by the Report and Order in CC Docket No. 86-467, adopted May 14, 1987 and released June 29, 1987. Consequently, this tariff cross references the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc., Tariff F.C.C. No. 5 for terms and conditions.

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CONCURRING CARRIERS

No Concurring Carriers

CONNECTING CARRIERS

No Connecting Carriers

OTHER PARTICIPATING CARRIERS

No Other Participating Carriers

REGISTERED SERVICE MARKS

None

REGISTERED TRADEMARKS

None

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

ACCESS SERVICE

1. Application of Tariff

- 1.1 This tariff contains rates and charges applicable to the provision of Switched Access and Special Access Services, and other miscellaneous services, hereinafter referred to collectively as service(s), provided by the East Ascension Telephone Company hereinafter referred to as the Telephone Company, to customers. This tariff also contains Access Ordering charges that are applicable when these services are ordered or modified by the customer.
- 1.2 The provision of such service 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.
- 1.3 The Telephone Company in accordance with the provisions of Part 61.39(a) of the FCC's Rules and Regulations did elect to file its own tariff and reference the regulations, terms and conditions of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, Access Service, for the General Regulations, End User Common Line, Carrier Common Line, Switched Access, Special Access Services, and other miscellaneous services contained therein. Regulations, terms and conditions applicable to these services are therefore specifically cross referenced and included in the following sections of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Access Service Tariff F.C.C. No. 5:

	Users Guide
	Explanation of Symbols and Abbreviations
	Reference to other Tariffs
	Reference to Technical Publications
Section 2	General Regulations
Section 3	Carrier Common Line Access Service
Section 4	End User Access Service
Section 5	Access Ordering
Section 6	Switched Access Service
Section 7	Special Access Service
Section 8	Digital Subscriber Line Access Services
Section 9	Reserved for Future Use
Section 10	Special Federal Government Access Service
Section 11	Special Facilities Routing of Access Service

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1. Application of Tariff (Continued)

- Section 12 Specialized Service or Arrangements
- Section 13 Additional Engineering, Additional Labor and
Miscellaneous Services
- Section 14 Reserved for Future Use
- Section 15 Access Service Interfaces and Transmission
Specifications
- Section 16 Reserved for Future Use

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2. General Regulations

The regulations for this section are the same as those set forth in Section 2 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, except as set forth below.

- References to Directory Assistance Services are not applicable as the service is not offered.
- References to DA Service and Directory Access Service are not applicable as the services are not offered.

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3. Carrier Common Line Access Service

Rates and Regulations for Carrier Common Line Access Service are the same as those set forth in Section 3 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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4. End User Access Service

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

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5. Access Ordering

Regulations for Access Ordering are the same as those set forth in Section 5 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, except as set forth below.

- References to Directory Assistance Service are not applicable as that service is not offered.

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6. Switched Access Service

Regulations for Switched Access Service are the same as those set forth in Section 6 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, except as set forth below.

- References to Directory Assistance are not applicable as that service is not offered.

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7. Special Access Service

Regulations for Special Access Service are the same as those set forth in Section 7 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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8. Digital Subscriber Line Access Services

Regulations for Digital Subscriber Line Access Service are the same as those set forth in Section 8 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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9. Reserved for Future Use

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10. Special Federal Government Access Services

Regulations for Special Federal Government Access Services are the same as those set forth in Section 10 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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11. Special Facilities Routing of Access Services

Regulations for Special Facilities Routing of Access Services are the same as those set forth in Section 11 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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12. Specialized Service or Arrangements

Regulations for Specialized Service or Arrangements are the same as those set forth in Section 12 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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13. Additional Engineering, Additional Labor and Miscellaneous Services

Regulations for Additional Engineering, Additional Labor and Miscellaneous Services are the same as those set forth in Section 13 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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14. Reserved for Future Use

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15. Access Service Interfaces and Transmission Specifications

The Access Service Interfaces and Transmission Specifications applicable to services offered in this tariff are the same as those set forth in Section 15 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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16. Reserved for Future Use

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17. Rates and Charges

All Tariff Section References contained herein are to the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Access Service Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

17.1 Common Line Access Service

17.1.1 Carrier Common Line Access Service

Regulations concerning Carrier Common Line Access are set forth in Section 3 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

Carrier Common Line Rates are set forth in Section 17.1.1 of NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.1 Common Line Access Service (Continued)17.1.2 End User Access Service

Regulations concerning End User Access Service are set forth in Section 4 of NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

	<u>Monthly Rates</u>
(A) <u>End User Common Line (EUCL) - Business</u>	
Multi-line each individual line or trunk	\$9.20
Centrex CO Each Individual Line or or Trunk Installed	\$9.20
Single line, each individual line	\$6.50
(B) <u>End User Common Line (EUCL) - Residence</u>	
Single line, each individual line	\$6.50

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

17.2.1	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Rate</u>
(A)	<u>Local Transport - Installation</u> <u>Per Line or Trunk</u>	\$32.29
(B)	<u>Interim 800 Translation, Per</u> <u>Order - Per LATA or Market Area</u>	\$76.00
17.2.2	<u>Local Transport</u>	
(A)	Entrance Facilities Per Term	
	Voice Grade 2 Wire	\$ 36.71
	Voice Grade 4 Wire	\$ 36.71
	High Capacity DS1	\$ 98.25
	High Capacity DS3	\$1,139.74
(B)	Direct Trunked Transport	
	Facility Per Mile	
	Voice Grade	\$.44
	High Cap DS1	\$ 2.86
	High Cap DS3	\$ 68.95
	Termination Per Term	
	Voice Grade	\$ 4.42
	High Cap DS1	\$ 14.11
	High Cap DS3	\$ 275.04
(C)	Tandem Switched Transport	
	Facility per mile per access minute	\$.000059
	Termination per access minute	\$.000283
(D)	Residual Interconnection Charge	
	Per Access Minute	\$.000000
(E)	Multiplexing per arrangement	
	DS1 to Voice	\$ 124.72
	DS3 to DS1	\$ 251.34

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.2 Switched Access Service (Continued)17.2.2 Local Transport (Continued)

(F)	Non Recurring Charges		
	Entrance Facility Installation		
	Voice Grade	\$	161.00
	High Capacity DS1	\$	181.00
	High Capacity DS3	\$	499.00
(G)	800 Data Base Query, Per Query		
	Basic Rate	\$.00400
	Vertical Rate	\$.00450

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

17.2.3	<u>End Office</u>	<u>Rate</u>
(A)	<u>Local Switching</u>	
	<u>Premium</u>	
-	Local Switching 2, Per Access Minute	\$.0044730
(B)	<u>Information Surcharge</u>	
	<u>Premium</u>	
-	Per 100 access minutes	\$.000000

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

17.2.4	<u>Assumed Minutes of Use</u>	<u>Assumed Minutes Per Month</u>
(A)	Feature Group A, Two Way Calling (1510 Originating, 2685 Terminating)	4195
(B)	Feature Group A, Originating Only	1510
(C)	Feature Group A, Terminating Only	2685
(D)	Feature Group B, Two Way Calling (3132 Originating, 5568 Terminating)	8700
(E)	Feature Group B, Originating Only	3132
(F)	Feature Group B, Terminating Only	5568

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)

17.3 Special Access Service

17.3.1	<u>Surcharge for Special Access Service</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
-	Per Voice Grade Equivalent	\$25.00

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

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

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
(A) Channel Termination, Per Termination	\$36.71	\$77.21
(B) Channel Mileage		
(1) Channel Mileage Facility, Per Mile	\$.44	
(2) Channel Mileage Termination, Per Termination	\$ 4.42	

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)

17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)

17.3.3 Reserved for Future Use

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

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

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
(A) Channel Termination, Per Termination		
- Two-Wire	\$ 22.95	\$77.21
- Four-Wire	\$ 36.71	\$77.21
(B) Channel Mileage		
(1) Channel Mileage Facility, Per Mile	\$.44	
(2) Channel Mileage Termination, Per Termination	\$ 4.42	

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)

17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)

17.3.5 Reserved for Future Use

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)

17.3 Special Access Service (Continued)

17.3.6 Reserved for Future Use

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

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

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
(A) Channel Termination, Per termination		
- 2.4 kbps	\$ 42.34	\$77.21
- 4.8 kbps	42.34	77.21
- 9.6 kbps	42.34	77.21
- 56.0 kbps	42.34	77.21
(B) Channel Mileage		
(1) Channel Mileage Facility, per Mile		
- 2.4 kbps	\$ 0.59	
- 4.8 kbps	0.59	
- 9.6 kbps	0.59	
- 56.0 kbps	0.59	
(2) Channel Mileage Termination, Per Termination		
- 2.4 kbps	\$ 5.95	
- 4.8 kbps	5.95	
- 9.6 kbps	5.95	
- 56.0 kbps	5.95	

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

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

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
(A) Channel Termination, Per termination		
- 1.544 Mbps	\$98.25	\$500.00
- 3.152 Mbps	ICB	ICB
- 6.312 Mbps	ICB	ICB
- 44.736 Mbps	\$1,139.74	\$1,000.00
- 274.176 Mbps	ICB	ICB
(B) Channel Mileage		
(1) Channel Mileage Facility, Per Mile		
- 64 kbps*	\$ 0.59	
- 1.544 Mbps	2.86	
- 3.152 Mbps	ICB	
- 6.312 Mbps	ICB	
- 44.736 Mbps	68.95	
- 274.176 Mbps	ICB	
(2) Channel Mileage Termination, Per Termination		
- 64 kbps*	\$ 5.95	
- 1.544 Mbps	14.11	
- 3.152 Mbps	ICB	
- 6.312 Mbps	ICB	
- 44.736 Mbps	275.04	
- 274.176 Mbps	ICB	

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

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

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
(C) Optional Features and Functions		
(1) Multiplexing - per arrangement		
DS1 to Voice	\$ 124.72	
DS3 to DS1	\$ 251.34	
(D) DSL Access Service Connection		
- 1.544 Mbps	\$ 180.00	\$ 170.00
- 44.736 Mbps	\$ 1,250.00	\$ 555.00

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.4 Other Services17.4.1 Access Ordering

(A)	<u>Access Order Charge</u>	<u>Charge</u>
	Per Order	\$81.00
(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 applicable charge is:	
	Service Date Change Charge, per order	\$34.00
(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	\$34.00
(D)	<u>Miscellaneous Service Order Charge</u>	
	Per Occurrence	\$34.00

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.4 Other Services (Continued)17.4.2 Additional Engineering

<u>Additional Engineering Periods</u>	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>
(A) Basic Time, per engineer normally scheduled working hours	\$10.00
(B) Overtime, per engineer outside of normally scheduled working hours	\$15.00

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.4 Other Services (Continued)17.4.3 Additional Labor

<u>Additional Labor Periods</u>	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>
(A) Installation or Repair	
- Basic Time, normally Scheduled working hours - per technician	\$10.00
- Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day, - per technician	\$15.00*
(B) Standby	
- Basic time, normally scheduled working hours - per technician	\$10.00
- Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day, - per technician	\$15.00*

* A call out of a Telephone Company 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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<u>Additional Labor Periods</u>	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>	
	<u>Installation and Repair Technician</u>	<u>Central Office Maintenance Technician</u>
(C) Testing and Maintenance with other Telephone Companies, or Other Labor		
- Basic Time, per technician normally scheduled working hours	\$10.00	\$10.00
- Overtime, per technician outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day	\$15.00*	\$15.00*
(D) Programming Services		
- Basic Time, per technician normally scheduled working hours	\$30.00	\$30.00
- Overtime, per technician outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day	\$42.50*	\$42.50*

* A call out of a Telephone Company 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 (Continued)17.4 Other Services (Continued)17.4.4 Miscellaneous Services(A) Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing -
Switched Access

<u>Testing Periods</u>	Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof
Basic Time, Overtime* and Premium Time*	See the rates for Additional Labor as set forth in 17.4.3(C) preceding.

(B) Additional Automatic Testing-
Switched Access

<u>To First Point Of Switching</u>	Per Test Per <u>Transmission Path</u>
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Additional Tests:

Gain-Slope Test	\$2.89
C-Notched Noise Test	\$2.89
1004 Hz Loss**	\$2.89
C-Message Noise**	\$2.89
Balance (return loss)**	\$2.89

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

** 1004 Hz Loss, C-Message Noise and Balance are non-chargeable routing tests however, they may be requested on an as needed or more than routine scheduled basis, in which case the charges herein apply.

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.4 Other Services (Continued)17.4.4 Miscellaneous Services (Continued)(C) Additional Manual Testing- Switched Access

<u>To First Point of Switching</u>	Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof
Additional Tests:	
Gain-Slope, C-Notched Noise and any other agreed to tests, per technician	See the rates for Additional Labor as set forth in 17.4.3(C) preceding.

(D) Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing -
Switched Access

<u>Testing Periods</u>	Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof
Basic Time, Overtime* and Premium Time*	See the rates for Additional Labor as set forth in 17.4.3(C) preceding

* A call out of a Telephone Company 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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Hours or
Fraction
ThereofTesting Periods

Additional Tests:

Basic Time, Overtime*
and Premium Time*See the
rates for
Additional
Labor as set
forth in 17.4.3(C)
preceding.(F) Maintenance of ServiceEach Half
Hour or
Fraction
ThereofMaintenance of Service
PeriodsBasic Time, Overtime*
and Premium Time*See the
rates for
Additional
Labor as set
forth in 17.4.3(C)
preceding

* A call out of a Telephone Company 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 (Continued)17.4 Other Services (Continued)17.4.4 Miscellaneous Services (Continued)

(G)	<u>Restoration Priority</u> Per service arranged	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u> \$ 54.63
(H)	<u>Controller Arrangement</u> Per Arrangement	<u>Monthly Rate</u> \$ 100.00
(I)	<u>International Blocking Service</u> Per exchange service line or trunk and/or per Feature Group A Switched Access line	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u> \$ 32.29
(J)	<u>900 Service Blocking</u> Per exchange service line or trunk and/or per Feature Group A Switched Access line	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u> \$ 0.00
(K)	<u>Presubscription</u> Per Telephone Exchange Service line or trunk	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u>
	- Manual (InterLATA change only)	\$ 5.50
	- Manual (Simultaneous InterLATA and IntraLATA change)	\$ 2.75
	- Electronic (InterLATA change only)	Service Not Available
	- Electronic (Simultaneous InterLATA and IntraLATA change)	Service Not Available
(L)	<u>Billing Name and Address</u> Per Request Incidence	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u> \$.80
(M)	<u>Unauthorized PIC Change</u> Residence/Business Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk	\$ 35.65
	Public and or Semi-Public Pay Telephone Per Telephone Exchange Service Line or Trunk	\$ 57.57

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.4 Other Services (Continued)17.4.4 Miscellaneous Services (Continued)

(N)	<u>Co Implemented Coin Line Features and Functions</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u> \$ 2.21
		<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
(O)	Originating Line Screening (OLS)/ Flex ANI Service Per Exchange Access Line	\$ 7.95*
(P)	<u>Local Number Portability (LNP) End User Charge</u> Telephone Company will bill the End User rates listed beginning February 8, 2005, and ending February 7, 2010 as specified for each rate. Regulations concerning the Local Number Portability (LNP) End User Charge are set forth in 13.14 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.	
		<u>Monthly Rate</u>
	(1) per Line	\$.16
	(2) per ISDN PRI	\$.80
	(3) per PBX Trunk	\$1.44
(Q)	<u>Local Number Portability (LNP) Query Service</u> Telephone Company will bill the rates listed as specified. Regulations concerning the Local Number Portability (LNP) Query Service Charges are set forth in 13.14 of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.	
	(1) per Query	\$.000448
	(2) LNP Billing Charge	\$41.25
	(3) LNP Order Charge	\$41.25

* NRC is waived when ordered with the installation of new local exchange access line.

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.4 Other Services (Continued)17.4.5 Special Federal Government Access Services(A) Voice Grade Secure Communications

<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) Wideband Digital Special Access Service

<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 (Continued)17.4 Other Services (Continued)17.4.6 Special Facilities Routing of Access Services(A) Diversity

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.1, of NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

(B) Avoidance

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.2, of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

(C) Diversity and Avoidance Combined

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.1 and 11.1.2, of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

(D) Cable-Only Facilities

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.4, of the NECA Tariff F.C.C. No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)

17.4 Other Services (Continued)

17.4.7 Specialized Service or Arrangements

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

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)

17.4 Other Services (Continued)

17.4.8 Reserved for Future Use

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.4 Other Services (Continued)17.4.9 Digital Subscriber Line Access Services(A) Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line Access Service

Regulations concerning Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line Access Service are the same as those set forth in Section 8.1 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5

Description	Downstream Speeds	Upstream Speeds	Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charges
VOICE & DATA - LINE CHARGES				
Lite Package	256 kbps	256 kbps	\$24.95	\$95.00
Standard -Copper	Up to 4 Mbps	256 kbps	\$45.50	\$95.00
Standard - Fiber	Up to 6 Mbps	512 kbps	\$68.40	\$95.00
Premium - Fiber	Up to 10 Mbps	512 kbps	\$114.20	\$95.00
DATA ONLY - LINE CHARGES				
Lite Package	256 kbps	256 kbps	\$40.90	\$181.00
Standard -Copper	Up to 4 Mbps	256 kbps	\$61.50	\$181.00
Standard - Fiber	Up to 6 Mbps	512 kbps	\$84.40	\$181.00
Premium - Fiber	Up to 10 Mbps	512 kbps	\$130.20	\$181.00

(B) Symmetric Digital Subscriber Line Access Service

Regulations concerning Symmetric Digital Subscriber Line Access Service are the same as those set forth in Section 8.2 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5

Description	Speed	Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charges
SDSL Line Charge - Voice/Data	768 kbps	\$32.95	\$95.00
SDSL Line Charge - Data Only	768 kbps	\$95.00	\$181.00

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.4 Other Services (Continued)17.4.9 Digital Subscriber Line Access Services (Cont'd)(C) DSL Access Services Discount Pricing Arrangement

Regulations concerning DSL Access Services Discount Pricing Arrangement Monthly Plan or Term Plan are set forth in Section 8.3 of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 5.

(1) Monthly Plan Line Charges

Description	Downstream Speeds	Upstream Speeds	Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charges
VOICE & DATA PACKAGES - LINE CHARGES				
Lite Package	256 kbps	256 kbps	\$24.30	\$95.00
Standard -Copper	Up to 4 Mbps	256 kbps	\$36.00	\$95.00
Standard - Fiber	Up to 6 Mbps	512 kbps	\$54.20	\$95.00
Premium - Fiber	Up to 10 Mbps	512 kbps	\$90.40	\$95.00
DATA ONLY PACKAGES - LINE CHARGES				
Lite Package	256 kbps	256 kbps	\$40.30	\$181.00
Standard -Copper	Up to 4 Mbps	256 kbps	\$52.00	\$181.00
Standard - Fiber	Up to 6 Mbps	512 kbps	\$70.20	\$181.00
Premium - Fiber	Up to 10 Mbps	512 kbps	\$106.40	\$181.00

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17. Rates and Charges (Continued)17.4 Other Services (Continued)17.4.9 Digital Subscriber Line Access Services (Cont'd)(C) DSL Access Services Discount Pricing Arrangement (Cont'd)(2) Term Plan Line Charges

Description	Downstream Speeds	Upstream Speeds	Monthly Recurring Charges		Nonrecurring Charges
			1 Year	3 Year	
VOICE & DATA PACKAGES - LINE CHARGES					
Lite Package	256 kbps	256 kbps	\$13.40	\$10.90	\$95.00
Standard -Copper	Up to 4 Mbps	256 kbps	\$24.50	\$19.90	\$95.00
Standard - Fiber	Up to 6 Mbps	512 kbps	\$36.75	\$29.90	\$95.00
Premium - Fiber	Up to 10 Mbps	512 kbps	\$61.30	\$49.90	\$95.00
DATA ONLY PACKAGES - LINE CHARGES					
Lite Package	256 kbps	256 kbps	\$29.40	\$26.90	\$181.00
Standard -Copper	Up to 4 Mbps	256 kbps	\$40.50	\$35.90	\$181.00
Standard - Fiber	Up to 6 Mbps	512 kbps	\$52.70	\$45.90	\$181.00
Premium - Fiber	Up to 10 Mbps	512 kbps	\$77.30	\$65.90	\$181.00

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