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9. Advanced Communications Networks (Cont'd)9.4 Rate Regulations9.4.1 Rate Elements

A nonrecurring charge and a monthly rate apply for the installation of ADSL Service. A nonrecurring charge is also applicable when making changes, i.e., bandwidth, access provider, move.

ADSL Service is available in nine service level packages, and is based on the "downstream and upstream" speeds chosen by the customer. A customer may select from multiple packages; however, the downstream and upstream speeds may not be substituted within a service level, as the packages are defined by the downstream and upstream speeds.

| | <u>Downstream</u> | <u>Upstream</u> |
|--------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| ADSL Tier 1 | 1536 Kbps | 384 Kbps |
| *ADSL Tier 2 | 1536 Kbps | 512 Kbps |
| #ADSL Tier 3 | 1536 Kbps | 768 Kbps |
| ADSL Tier 4 | 256 Kbps | 128 Kbps |
| ADSL Tier 5 | 512 Kbps | 512 Kbps |
| ADSL Tier 6 | 3 Mb | 384 Kbps |
| ADSL Tier 7 | 3 Mb | 768 Kbps |
| ADSL Tier 8 | 6 Mb | 384 Kbps |
| ADSL Tier 9 | 6 Mb | 768 Kbps |

Data speeds set forth above are peak speeds. Actual speeds may be affected by loop distance and other factors, therefore, are not guaranteed.

9.4.2 Term Discounts

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ADSL Service may be ordered at the customer's option on a monthly rate basis or for Term Discount periods of 12 months (1 year), 24 months (2 years), 36 months (3 years) or 60 months (5 years) as noted in Section 9.4 following.

The minimum service period on a monthly rate basis is one month and for all Term Discount plans is twelve months. The customer must specify the length of the service commitment period at the time the service is ordered.

For customers that subscribe to the Term Discount plan for 12 months, 24 months, 36 months or 60 months the Term Discount Rates as set forth in 9.4 following will be frozen from Company initiated increases, for the entire discount period of the rates in effect at the beginning of the Term Discount period.

If a term discount rate decrease occurs during the term of an existing Term Discount plan, the decreased rate will be applied automatically to the remainder of the current Term Discount period.

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At the end of the Term Discount period, the customer may convert to month-to-month service or subscribe to a new Term Discount Plan. If the customer does not make a choice by the end of the discount period, the rates will automatically convert to month-to-month service rates.

9.4.3 Upgrades in Term Discounts

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Services provided under monthly rates or Term Discount rates may be upgraded to a Term Discount plan. A Service Charge as set forth in 9.4 following will apply for each upgrade, but without incurring discontinuance charges for existing services. The new Term Discount plan must meet or exceed the service term of the plan being upgraded. For example, a service with a one-year plan commitment period may be upgraded to a new one-year plan or two-year plan commitment. The monthly rates will be those that are in effect at the time the service is upgraded. A new minimum service period applies to all services that are upgraded.

9.4.4 Discontinuance of Service

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If the customer chooses to disconnect all or a portion of the service prior to the expiration of the Term Discount period, discontinuance charges will apply to the portion of the service being discontinued.

Should the customer choose to discontinue a Term Discount plan prior to the completion of the minimum service period, discontinuance charges will apply. Discontinuance charges equal to one-hundred percent of the total undiscounted monthly rates, less any amounts previously paid, will apply for the minimum service period.

Additionally, discontinuance charges of fifty percent of the total undiscounted monthly ADSL charges will apply to the remaining portion of the Term Discount period.

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Should the customer choose to discontinue service ordered under a Term Discount plan after the minimum service period but before the completion of the Term Discount period, discontinuance charges will apply. Discontinuance charges of fifty percent for ADSL Service, of the total undiscounted monthly charges will apply to the remaining portion of the Term Discount period. For example, a customer has ADSL Service which it chooses to discontinue after 16 months into a 24 month service term, the discontinuance charges would be 0.50 times 8 months times the undiscounted monthly rate for that service.

9.4.5 Promotional Offerings

- (A) For a limited time only, Telephone Company subscribers to local service may order new ADSL Tier Four service at \$12.00 a month for the first 12 months of service. To receive this promotional offering, a customer must place an order for new ADSL service between January 1, 2005, and June 30, 2005. This promotional offering is available to residential and business customers. If the order completion is delayed due to Telephone Company reasons, the promotional offering will be extended to those affected customers. This offering is not available with any other promotions.
- (B) For a limited time only, Telephone Company subscribers to local service may order new ADSL Tier Six service at \$19.95 a month for the first 12 months of service. To receive this promotional offering, a customer must place an order for new ADSL service between February 2, 2005, and June 30, 2005. This promotional offering is available to residential and business customers. If the order completion is delayed due to Telephone Company reasons, the promotional offering will be extended to those affected customers. This offering is not available with any other promotions.

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| | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>Nonrecurring</u> | |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-----|
| A. ADSL Loop | | | |
| (1) ALLTEL Nebraska | | | |
| (a) Month to Month | | | |
| ADSL Tier 1 | \$ 27.95 | \$76.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 2* | \$ 57.75 | \$76.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 3# | \$117.75 | \$76.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 4 | \$ 21.00 | \$76.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 5 | \$ 59.95 | \$76.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 6 | \$ 34.95 | \$76.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 7 | \$124.95 | \$76.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 8 | \$ 39.95 | \$76.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 9 | \$129.95 | \$76.00 | |
| (b) ADSL Loop - One Year | | | (x) |
| ADSL Tier 1 | \$ 19.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 2* | \$ 55.75 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 3# | \$113.75 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 4 | \$ 17.00 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 5 | \$ 59.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 6 | \$ 24.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 7 | \$124.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 8 | \$ 29.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 9 | \$129.95 | \$0.00 | |
| (c) ADSL Loop - Two Year | | | (x) |
| ADSL Tier 1 | \$ 19.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 2* | \$ 53.75 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 3# | \$109.75 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 4 | \$ 17.00 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 5 | \$ 59.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 6 | \$ 24.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 7 | \$124.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 8 | \$ 29.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 9 | \$129.95 | \$0.00 | |
| (d) ADSL Loop - Three Year | | | (x) |
| ADSL Tier 1 | \$ 14.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 5 | \$ 49.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 6 | \$ 19.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 7 | \$104.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 8 | \$ 24.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 9 | \$109.95 | \$0.00 | |

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| | <u>Monthly Rate</u> | <u>Nonrecurring</u> | |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-----|
| A. ADSL Loop (Cont'd) | | | |
| (1) ALLTEL Nebraska (Cont'd) | | | |
| (e) ADSL Loop - Five Year | | | (x) |
| ADSL Tier 1 | \$ 9.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 3 | \$ 84.80 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 5 | \$ 39.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 6 | \$ 14.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 7 | \$ 84.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 8 | \$ 19.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 9 | \$ 89.95 | \$0.00 | |
| (2) Kentucky ALLTEL | | | |
| (a) Month to Month | | | |
| ADSL Tier 1 | \$ 32.50 | \$99.95 | |
| ADSL Tier 2* | \$ 59.95 | \$99.95 | |
| ADSL Tier 3# | \$119.95 | \$99.95 | |
| ADSL Tier 4 | \$ 21.00 | \$99.95 | |
| ADSL Tier 5 | \$ 59.95 | \$99.95 | |
| ADSL Tier 6 | \$ 34.95 | \$99.95 | |
| ADSL Tier 7 | \$124.95 | \$99.95 | |
| ADSL Tier 8 | \$ 39.95 | \$99.95 | |
| ADSL Tier 9 | \$129.95 | \$99.95 | |
| (b) ADSL Loop - One Year | | | (x) |
| ADSL Tier 1 | \$ 19.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 4 | \$ 17.00 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 6 | \$ 24.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 8 | \$ 29.95 | \$0.00 | |
| (c) ADSL Loop - Three Year | | | (x) |
| ADSL Tier 1 | \$ 14.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 5 | \$ 49.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 6 | \$ 19.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 7 | \$104.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 8 | \$ 24.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 9 | \$109.95 | \$0.00 | |
| (d) ADSL Loop - Five Year | | | (x) |
| ADSL Tier 1 | \$ 9.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 5 | \$ 39.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 6 | \$ 14.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 7 | \$ 84.95 | \$0.00 | |
| ADSL Tier 8 | \$ 19.95 | \$0.00 | |
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|------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. <u>Standard Arrangements</u> (Cont'd) | | | |
| B. PVC Charge | | | |
| • 1st PVC | | \$ 2.00 | \$24.00 |
| • 2nd PVC | | \$ 2.00 | \$24.00 |
| • 3rd PVC | | \$ 2.00 | \$24.00 |
| • 4th PVC | | \$ 2.00 | \$24.00 |
| C. Service Charge | | | |
| (1) Changes to PVC | | | \$24.00 |
| (2) Changes to ADSL Loop | | | \$76.00 |
| D. ADSL Access Port | <u>USOC</u> | | |
| (1) DS1 Port, per port | | | |
| • Month-to-Month | ATM | \$295.00 | \$285.00 |
| (2) DS3 Port, per port | | | |
| • Month-to-Month | ATM | \$555.00 | \$285.00 |
| • 36-Month | ATM | \$515.00 | \$285.00 |
| • 60-Month | ATM | \$460.00 | \$285.00 |

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