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If you should have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me directly.

Thank you.

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# RATES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS RELATING TO THE PROVISION OF LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES

& TOLL SERVICES

IN THE STATE OF OHIO

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# APPLICATION OF TARIFF

This tariff sets forth the service offerings, rates, terms and conditions applicable to the furnishing of resold and facilities-based local exchange and interexchange service by Infotelecom, LLC ("the Company") in the calling areas defined herein.

The provision of local exchange and interexchange services is subject to existing regulations and terms and conditions specified in this tariff and may be revised, added to or supplemented by superseding issues.

All telephone companies are subject to the commission's rules for minimum telephone service standards (MTSS) found in chapter 4901:1-5 Administrative Code. Customers have certain rights and responsibilities under the Minimum Telephone Service Standards. These safeguards can be found in the Appendix to Ohio Adm. Code 4901:1-5-03, which is entitled "Telephone Customer Rights and Responsibilities." These rights and responsibilities include complaint handling, ordering or changing service, service repair, payment of bills, and disconnection and reconnection of service."

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#### EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

The following symbols shall be used in this tariff for the purposes indicated below.

- C To indicate changed regulation.
- D To indicate discontinued rate or regulation.
- I To indicate increased rate.
- M To indicate a move in the location of text.
- N To indicate new rate or regulation.
- R To indicate reduced rate.
- S To indicate reissued matter.
- T To indicate a change in text but no change in rate or regulation.

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#### EXPLANATION OF TERMS

#### ADVANCE PAYMENT

A payment that may be required by a local service provider as a means of being compensated for extraordinary expenses, including, but not limited to, special construction costs associated with a particular service installation.

#### AGENCY

For 911 or E911 service, the government agency(s) designated as having responsibility for the control and staffing of the emergency report center.

#### AUTHORIZATION CODE

A numerical code assigned to a Customer to enable the Company to identify the origin of the Customer so it may rate and bill the call.

#### AUTHORIZED USER

A person, corporation or other entity who is authorized by the Company's customer to utilize service provided by the Company to the customer. The customer is responsible for all charges incurred by an Authorized User.

#### ATTENDANT

An operator of a PBX console or telephone switchboard.

#### BUILDING

A structure enclosed within exterior walls or fire walls, built, erected and framed of component structural parts and designated for permanent occupancy.

#### CALL INITIATION

The point in time when the exchange network facility is initially allocated for the establishment of a specific call.

#### CALL TERMINATION

The point in time when the exchange network facility allocated to a specific call is released for reuse by the network.

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#### EXPLANATION OF TERMS (cont'd)

#### CENTRAL OFFICE

An operating office of the incumbent local exchange company where connections are made between telephone exchange lines.

#### CUSTOMER

A person, firm, partnership, limited liability company, corporation, municipality, cooperative association or organization, governmental agency, or other entity receiving telecommunications services.

#### DEPICING

DePICing service limits the Company's customer's toll access to 101XXXX and 0- dialing until the customer selects a different provider or until the toll service provider requests removal of the dePICing service.

#### EMERGENCY

A situation that appears to present immediate danger to person or property.

#### **EMERGENCY SERVICE (ENHANCED 911)**

Allows customers to reach appropriate emergency services, including police, fire and medical services. Enhanced 911 has the ability to selectively route an emergency call to the primary E911 provider so that it reaches the correct emergency service located closest to the caller. In addition, the Customer's address and telephone information will be provided to the primary E911 provider for display at the Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP).

#### **E911 SERVICE AREA**

The geographic area in which the government agency will respond to all E911 calls and dispatch appropriate emergency assistance.

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#### EXPLANATION OF TERMS (cont'd)

#### E911 CUSTOMER

A governmental agency that is the customer of record and is responsible for all negotiations, operations and payment of bills in connection with the provision of E911 service.

#### ERROR

A discrepancy or unintentional deviation by the Company from what is correct or true. An "error" can also be an omission in records.

#### EXCHANGE

An area, consisting of one or more central office districts, within which a call between any two points is a local call.

#### EXCHANGE ACCESS LINE

A central office line furnished for direct or indirect access to the exchange system.

#### FINAL ACCOUNT

A customer's outstanding charges still owed to the Company.

#### INVESTIGATIVE OR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER

An officer of the United States, a state or a political subdivision of the United States which is empowered by law to investigate or make arrests for crimes related to communications, or an attorney authorized by law to prosecute those crimes.

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#### EXPLANATION OF TERMS (cont'd)

#### LAST NUMBER REDIAL

Enables a station line user to redial the last called number by use of an access code rather than dialing the entire number.

#### LATA

A Local Access and Transport Area established pursuant to the Modification of Final Judgment entered by the United States District Court for the District of Columbia in Civil Action No. 82-0192; or any other geographic area designated as a LATA in the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff F.C.C. No. 4.

#### LOCAL CALL

A call which is not rated as a long distance call.

#### LOCAL CALLING AREA

The area, consisting of one or more central office districts, within which a subscriber for exchange service may make telephone calls without a long distance charge.

#### LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIER

A company that furnishes exchange telephone service.

#### LOCAL SERVICE

Telephone exchange service within a local calling area.

#### MOVE

The disconnection of existing service at one location and reconnection of the same service at a new location in the same building or in a different building on the same premises.

#### PBX

A private branch exchange.

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#### EXPLANATION OF TERMS (cont'd)

#### PREPAID ACCOUNT

An inventory of Telecom Units purchased in advance by the Customer, and associated with one and only one Authorization Code as contained in a specific Prepaid Calling Card.

#### PREPAID CALLING CARD

A card issued by the Company, containing an Authorization Code which identifies a specific Prepaid Account of Telecom Units, which enables calls to be processed, account activity to be logged, and balances to be maintained, on a prepayment basis.

#### PRESUBSCRIPTION

An arrangement whereby a Customer may select and designate to the Company an Exchange Carrier it wishes to access, without an access code, for completing intraLATA and interLATA toll calls. The selected Exchange Carrier is referred to as the End User's Primary Interexchange Carrier (PIC).

#### PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGE SERVICE

Service providing facilities for connecting central office trunks and tie lines to PBX STATIONS, and for interconnecting PBX station lines by means of a switchboard or dial apparatus.

#### PROMPT PAYMENT

A customer has paid his bills for service for twelve consecutive months without having had service discontinued for nonpayment of his bill, and without having had more than two occasions on which his bill was not paid by the time specified by the regulations of the utility regarding prompt payment of bills, and the customer is not currently delinquent in the payment of his bills.

#### RATE CENTER

Company-designated service locations from which service is rendered or rated.

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#### RECURRING CHARGES

The monthly charges to the Customer for services, facilities and equipment, which continue for the agreed upon duration of the service.

#### SERVICE COMMENCEMENT DATE

The first day following the date on which the Company notifies the customer that the requested service or facility is available for use, unless extended by the Customer's refusal to accept service which does not conform to standards set forth in the Service Order and this tariff, in which case the Service Commencement Date is the date of the Customer's acceptance. The Company and Customer may mutually agree on a substitute Service Commencement Date.

#### SERVICE ORDER

The written request for Network Services executed by the Customer and the Company in the format devised by the Company. The signing of a Service Order by the Customer and acceptance by the Company initiates the respective obligations of the parties as set forth therein and pursuant to this tariff, but the duration of the service is calculated from the Service Commencement Date.

#### SERVING CENTRAL OFFICE

The central office from which local service is furnished.

#### SPEED CALLING

Permits a station line user to dial selected numbers by using fewer digits than normally required. This is accomplished through the assignment of abbreviated codes to frequently called numbers. The speed calling list is customer-changeable.

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TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELAY SERVICE (TRS)

Enables deaf, hard-of-hearing or speech-impaired persons who use a Text Telephone (TT) or similar devices to communicate freely with the hearing population not using TT or vice versa. A customer will be able to access the state provider to complete such calls.

TELECOM UNIT

A measurement of telecommunications service equivalent to one minute of usage.

#### TELEPHONE CALL

A voice connection between two or more telephone stations through the public switched exchange system.

TERMINATION OF SERVICE

Discontinuance of both incoming and outgoing service.

TOLL BLOCKING

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Allows end users to block direct-dialed long distance calls from their telephones.

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#### EXPLANATION OF TERMS (cont'd)

TOLL CALL

Any call extending beyond the local exchange of the originating caller which is rated on a toll schedule by the Company.

#### UNDERLYING CARRIER

The telecommunications carrier whose network facilities provide the technical capability and capacity necessary for the provision of toll services.

USER

A customer or any other person authorized by a Customer to use service provided under this Tariff.

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# 1. Local Exchange Service Regulations

- 1.1 <u>Undertaking of the Company</u>
- A The Company undertakes to provide the services in this tariff on the terms and conditions and at the rates and charges set forth herein. The services in this tariff are provided on a resale basis. Ameritech Ohio is the underlying incumbent local exchange carrier.
- B The Company is responsible under this tariff only for the services provided herein, and it assumes no responsibility for any service provided by any other entity, not including agents of the Company. Customers may use services provided under this tariff to obtain access to services offered by other service providers. However, this does not permit the Company to offer any services it purchased from Ameritech Ohio on a resale basis for resale to other carriers.
- C The Company will provide a toll-free number giving Customers access to service personnel 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.
- D The Company will comply with any applicable quality of service requirements according to Ohio laws and rules.

1.2 <u>Terms and Conditions</u>

A Business Customers may be required to enter into written service orders which shall contain or reference a specific description of the service ordered, the rates to be charged, the duration of the services, and the terms and conditions in this tariff. The Business Customer will be required to execute any other documents as may be reasonably requested by the Company.

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1.2 <u>Terms and Conditions</u> (cont'd)

- B Business Service is provided for a minimum period of at least one month, 24 hours a day. A month is considered to have thirty days unless otherwise specified. At the expiration of the initial terms specified in each service order, or in any extension thereof, service shall continue on a month to month basis at the then current tariffed, month to month rates, unless terminated by the Business Customer. Any termination shall not relieve the Business Customer of its obligation to pay any charges incurred under the service order and this tariff prior to termination. The rights and obligations which by their nature extend beyond the termination of the term of the service order shall survive such termination.
- C This tariff shall be interpreted and governed by the laws of the State of Ohio without regard for the State's choice of laws provisions.
- D Another telephone company must not interfere with the right of any person or entity to obtain service directly from the Company.
- E The services the Company offers shall not be used for any unlawful purpose or for any use as to which the Customer has not obtained all required governmental approvals, authorizations, licenses, consents and permits.
- F The Customer has no property right to the telephone number or any other call number designation associated with services furnished by the Company. The Company reserves the right to change such numbers, or the central office designation associated with such numbers, or both, assigned to the Customer, whenever the Company deems it necessary to do so in the conduct of its business. Nothing in this provision shall be construed to be inconsistent with number portability requirements.

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1.2 <u>Terms and Conditions</u> (cont'd)

G In response to a subpoena or investigation or other demand issued or authorized by a court or government agency, the Company shall provide customer records and related information without further notice.

# 1.3 <u>Notification of Service Affecting Activities</u>

A The Company will provide the Customer reasonable notification of service-affecting activities that may occur in the normal operation of its business. Such activities may include, but are not limited to, equipment or facilities additions, removals or rearrangements and routine preventive maintenance. Generally, such activities are not specific to an individual Customer but affect many Customers' services. No specific advance notification period is applicable to all service-affecting activities. The Company will work cooperatively with the Customer to determine reasonable notification requirements. With some emergency or unplanned service affecting conditions, such as an outage resulting from cable damage, notification to the Customer may not be possible.

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1. Local Exchange Service Regulations (cont'd)

1.4 Provision of Services

- A The Company will make reasonable efforts to make available services to a Customer on or before a particular date, subject to the provisions of and compliance by the Customer with the regulations contained in this tariff. The Service installation shall be completed within five business days after a service order is placed. Company will credit in accordance with 4901:1-5-16 for delayed install, missed install or repair appointments and commitments.
- B The Company shall use reasonable efforts to maintain the services that it furnishes to the Customer. The Customer may not rearrange, disconnect, remove, attempt to repair or otherwise interfere with any of the services provided by the Company, except upon the written consent of the Company. The Customer may not permit others to rearrange, disconnect, remove, attempt to repair or otherwise interfere with any of the services provided by the Company, except upon the written consent of the Company.
- C The furnishing of service under this tariff is subject to the availability of all the necessary facilities.

D Customer bears all responsibility in the event they utilize equipment not approved or authorized by the Company. Customer shall supply all electrical power and other utilities necessary to operate or use the services provided.

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1. Local Exchange Service Regulations (cont'd)

- 1.4 <u>Provision of Services</u> (cont'd)
- E The Company shall not be responsible for the installation, operation, or maintenance of any Customer provided communications equipment. Where such equipment is connected to the services furnished pursuant to this tariff, the responsibility of the Company shall be limited to the furnishing of services offered under this tariff and to the maintenance and operation of such services. Beyond this responsibility, the Company shall not be responsible for:
  - (i) the transmission of signals by Customer provided equipment or for the quality of, or defects in such transmission; or
  - (ii) the reception of signals by Customer provided equipment; or
  - (iii) network control signaling where such signaling is performed by Customer provided network control signaling equipment.
- F At the Customer's request, installation and/or maintenance may be performed outside the Company's regular business hours or in hazardous locations. In such cases, charges based on cost of the actual labor, material or other costs incurred by or charged to the Company will apply. If installation is started during regular business hours, but at the Customer's request extends beyond regular business hours into time periods including, but not limited to, weekends, holidays, and/or night hours, additional charges may apply.

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1.5 <u>RESERVED FOR FUTURE USE</u>

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1. Local Exchange Service Regulations (cont'd)

1.6 Directory Listings

- A The Company will, as a service to the Customer, arrange for listing of Customer's phone number in the local white pages telephone directories, such listing to consist of one line of standard type. The Company's liability with respect to directory listings is set forth in Section 1.5.2 preceding. Customer must contact its yellow pages representative concerning its advertising in yellow pages directories.
  - When a Customer with a nonpublished telephone number, as defined herein, places a call to Emergency 911 Service, the Company will release the name and address of the calling party, where such information can be determined, to the appropriate local governmental authority responsible for the Emergency 911 Service upon request of such governmental authority. By subscribing to service under this tariff, Customer acknowledges and agrees with the release of information as described above.

1.7 RESERVED FOR FUTURE USE

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- 1. Local Exchange Service Regulations (cont'd)
  - 1.8 Obligations of the Customer
- A The Customer shall be responsible for:
  - (i) the payment of all applicable charges pursuant to this tariff;
  - (ii) providing a safe place to work and complying with all laws and regulations regarding the working conditions on the premises at which Company employees and agents shall be installing or maintaining the Company's services.

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# 1. Local Exchange Service Regulations (cont'd)

1.8 Obligations of the Customer (cont'd)

1.8.1 <u>Claims</u>

A With respect to any service provided by the Company, Customer shall indemnify, defend and hold the Company harmless from and against all claims, actions, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees for:

(i) Any loss, destruction or damage to property of the Company or any third party, or the death or injury to persons, including, but not limited to employees or invitees of either party, to the extent caused by or resulting from the negligent or intentional act or omission of the Customer, its employees, agents, representatives or invitees; or

(ii) Any claim, loss, damage, expense or liability for infringement of any copyright, patent, trade secret, or any proprietary or intellectual property right of any third party, arising from any act or omission by Customer, including, without limitation, use of the Company's services in a manner not contemplated by the agreement between the Customer and the Company.

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# 1. Local Exchange Service Regulations (cont'd)

# 1.8 Obligations of the Customer (cont'd)

# 1.8.2 Station Equipment

A The Customer is responsible for providing and maintaining any terminal equipment on the Customer premises. The electric power consumed by such equipment shall be provided by, and maintained at the expense of, the Customer. All such terminal equipment must be registered with the FCC under 47 C.F.R., Part 68 and all wiring must be installed and maintained in compliance with those regulations. The Company will, where practicable, notify the Customer that temporary discontinuance of the use of a service be required; however, where prior notice is not practicable, nothing contained herein shall be deemed to impair the Company's right to discontinue forthwith the use of a service temporarily if such action is reasonable under the circumstances. In case of such temporary discontinuance, the Customer will be promptly notified and afforded the opportunity to correct the condition which gave rise to the discontinuance, credit allowance for service interruptions as set forth in Section 1.7.2 is not applicable.

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# 1. Local Exchange Service Regulations (cont'd)

1.8 <u>Obligations of the Customer</u> (cont'd)

1.8.3 Interconnection of Facilities

A Any special interface equipment necessary to achieve compatibility between the facilities used by the Company for furnishing local exchange service, and the channels, facilities or equipment of others may be provided at the Customer's expense. Customer shall be liable for damages resulting from Customer's use of non-compatible equipment.

B Local services may be connected to the services or facilities of other communication carriers only when authorized by, and in accordance with, the terms and conditions of the tariffs of the other communication carriers that are applicable to such connections.

C Services furnished under this tariff may be connected to Customer provided terminal equipment in accordance with the provisions of this tariff.

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# 1. Local Exchange Service Regulations (cont'd)

1.8 <u>Obligations of the Customer</u> (cont'd)

1.8.4 Inspections

A Upon reasonable notification to the Customer, and at a reasonable time, the Company may make such tests and inspections as may be necessary to determine that the customer is complying with the requirements set forth in Section 1.8.2 for the installation, operation, and maintenance of Customerprovided facilities. These inspections are to be completed within a time agreeable by both parties. No credit will be allowed for any interruptions occurring during such inspections.

B If the protective requirements for the Customer-provided equipment are not being complied with, the Company may take such action as it deems necessary to protect its services and personnel. The Company will notify the Customer promptly if there is any need for further corrective action. Within ten days of receiving this notice the customer must take this corrective action. Within ten days of receiving this notice the customer must take this corrective action and notify the Company of the action taken. If the Customer fails to do this, the Company may take whatever additional action is deemed necessary, including the suspension of service, to protect its services and personnel from harm. The Company will, upon request twenty-four (24) hours in advance, provide the Customer with a statement of technical parameters that the Customer's equipment must meet.

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# 1. Local Exchange Service Regulations (cont'd)

1.9 Payment Arrangements

A The Customer is responsible for payment of all charges for services furnished by the Company to the Customer or its Authorized Users. Any objections made to the Company will be processed in accordance with O.A.C. 4901:1-5. If an entity other than the Company imposes charges of the Company, in addition to its own internal costs, in connection with a service for which a Company non-recurring charge is specified, those charges may be passed on to the Customer.

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#### 1.9 <u>Payment Arrangements</u> (cont'd)

#### 1.9.2 Deposits

A Applicants for service may be required prior to establishing service to provide the Company a security deposit. The deposit requested will be in cash or the equivalent of cash, and will be held as a guarantee for the payment of charges. A deposit does not relieve the Customer of the responsibility for the prompt payment of bills on presentation. Reestablishment of credit for service with be in accordance with Rule 4901:1-17-04.

B The deposit will not exceed an amount equal to two month's average monthly bill for all regulated local exchange services for ensuing twelve months, plus thirty percent (30%) of estimated monthly charges.

C Guarantee of Payment: The Company may accept, in lieu of deposit, a contract signed by a guarantor satisfactory to the Company whereby payment of a specified sum, not exceeding the deposit requirement is guaranteed. The term of such contract shall be for no longer than 12 months, but shall automatically terminate after the customer has closed and paid the account with the utility, or at the guarantor's request upon 30 days' written notice to the Company. Should the guarantee contract be insufficient according to (D) below, a cash deposit or a new or additional guarantee may be required for good cause upon reasonable written notice to the customer.

The service of any customer who fails to comply with these requirements may be disconnected upon notice as prescribed in Ohio Rules. The Company shall mail the guarantor copies of all disconnect notices sent to the customer whose account the guarantor has guaranteed unless the guarantor waives such notice in writing.

D Reestablishment of credit: An applicant for service who previously has been a customer of the utility and whose service was discontinued because of nonpayment of his bills may be required to pay such bill together with the reconnection charge, and to reestablish his credit by depositing the amount prescribed in Section 1.9.2.

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#### 1.9 Payment Arrangements (cont'd)

#### 1.9.3 <u>Refund of Deposits</u>

A A deposit will be refunded to a customer after twelve consecutive months of prompt payments, as defined in "Explanation of Terms" and below, of telephone service invoices. A customer has paid his bills for service for twelve consecutive months without having had service discontinued for nonpayment of his bill, and without having had more than two occasions on which his bill was not paid by the time specified by the regulations of the utility regarding prompt payment of bills, and the customer is not currently delinquent in the payment of his bills. The Company will refund the deposit to the customer by direct payment, or, at the customer's request, apply deposit as a credit to the customer's account.

B When a service or facility is discontinued, the amount of a deposit, if any, will be applied to the Customer's account and any credit balance remaining will be refunded within 45 days from the date of termination. Before the service or facility is discontinued, the Company will return the deposit to the customer or, at the customer's request, apply deposit as a credit to the Customer's account.

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#### 1. Local Exchange Service Regulations (cont'd)

#### 1.9 <u>Payment Arrangements</u> (cont'd)

#### 1.9.4 Interest to Be Paid on Deposits

A Interest will be paid on in accordance with Rule 4901:1-17-05 of the Ohio Administrative Code. Interest shall accrue on deposits held over 180 days and shall be paid to the Customer as follows:

(i) by credit to the customer's account once annually;

(ii) by payment to the Customer upon request, once annually;

(iii) by adding accrued interest to the amount of the deposit when refunded to the customer;

(iv) by applying interest to any unpaid bill of the Customer upon termination of service with the Company.

All requirements for establishment of credit will be consistent with Rules 4901:1-17 and 4901:1-5-13 & 14 of the Commission's Minimum Telephone Service Standards.

#### 1.9.5 Bills and Collection of Charges

A Bills will be rendered monthly to Customer. Fixed monthly recurring charges are billed in advance. Usage charges and minimum charges for service are billed in arrears. Customer shall be liable for all accrued local charges, directory charges, long distance charges and other charges arising prior to the service commencement date, as defined herein, and shall pay the Company for any such charges which may be assessed against the Company in any manner.

B All service, monthly recurring charges and non-recurring charges are due and payable within 14 days of the post mark on the bill, provided however, that installation charges may be spread out over 3 months.

C The Company shall present bills for recurring charges monthly to the Customer, in advance of the month which service is provided.

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1.9 <u>Payment Arrangements (cont'd)</u>

1.9.5 Bills and Collection of Charges (cont'd)

D For new customers or existing customers whose service is disconnected, the charge for the fraction of the month in which service was furnished will be calculated on a pro rata basis. For this purpose, every month is considered to have 30 days.

E A late payment charge of 1.5% is not applicable to subsequent rebilling of any amount to which a late payment charge has already been applied. Late charges are to be applied without discrimination.

F A minimum charge of \$10 and a maximum charge of \$25 will be assessed for checks with insufficient funds or non-existing accounts. The Company may waive the bad check charge under appropriate circumstances.

G If Customer chooses to place information services provider (ISP) calls or receives calls via a non-Infotelecom, LLC affiliated carrier, customer will be liable for all charges related to such calls; including without limitation, charges billed to the Company or Customer by ISP or other carriers, any applicable rebilling charge and charges for any service provided by the Company or its affiliates.

H The Company's bills and billing practices will be consistent with MTSS Rule 4901:1-5-15.

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#### 1. <u>Local Exchange Service Regulations</u> (cont'd)

1.9 <u>Payment Arrangements (cont'd)</u>

1.9.6 Disputed Bills

A The Customer shall notify the Company of any disputed items on a bill within a reasonable period of time after receipt of the bill. The existence of a disputed amount does not relieve the customer of their obligation to pay current charges. If the Customer and the Company are unable to resolve the dispute to their mutual satisfaction, the Customer may file a complaint with the Commission in accordance with the Commission's rules of procedure.

B The date of the dispute shall be the date the Company receives sufficient documentation to enable it to investigate the dispute.

C The date of the resolution is the date the Company completes its investigation and notifies the Customer of the disposition of the dispute.

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#### 1.12 Transfers and Assignments

A Neither the Company nor the Customer may assign or transfer its rights or duties in connection with the services and facilities provided by the Company without the written consent of the other party, except that the Company may assign its rights and duties, upon the approval, with an appropriate application with the PUCO, (i) to any subsidiary, parent Company affiliate of the Company; (ii) pursuant to any sale or transfer of substantially all the assets of the Company; or (iii) pursuant to any financing, merger or reorganization of the Company.

#### 1.13 Notices and Communications

- A The Customer shall designate on the Service Order an address to which the Company shall mail or deliver all notices and other communications, except that Customer may also designate a separate address to which the Company's bills for service shall be mailed.
- B The Company shall designate on the Service Order an address to which the Customer shall mail or deliver all notices and other communications, except that Company may designate an address on the bill for service to which the Customer shall mail payment for that bill.
- C All notices or other written communications required to given pursuant to this tariff will be in writing. Notices and other communications of either party, and all bills mailed by the Company, shall have been presumed to have been delivered to the party on the third business day following the deposit of the notice, communication or bill with the U.S. Mail or a private delivery service, prepaid and properly addressed, or when actually received or refused by the addressee, whichever comes first.

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- D The Company or Customer shall advise the other party of any changes to the addresses designated for notices, other communications or billing, by following the procedures for giving notices set forth herein.
- 1.14 Promotional Offers
- A The Company may, from time to time, make promotional offerings of its services. The promotional offerings may be limited as to the duration, the date and times of the offering and the locations where the offerings are made and shall be conducted in accordance with the provisions of state rules and regulations. The only limitation upon a promotional offering shall be that the waiver of any charges other than a nonrecurring charge shall be limited to 90 calendar days on a per customer basis. All promotions will be added to the tariff as an addendum to the price list.
- 1.15 Individual Case Basis (ICB) Arrangements
- A Arrangements will be developed on a case-by-case basis in response to a bona fide request or prospective Customer to develop a competitive bid for a service not generally offered under this tariff. ICB rates will be offered to the Customer's in writing and on a non-discriminatory basis, and will be filed with the Commission for approval.
- 1.16 Customer Service
- A Customer service personnel are available twenty-four (24) hours a day, seven days a week and may be reached toll-free.

#### 2 <u>Service Descriptions and Rates</u>

**General** 

A Infotelecom, LLC's local service enables the business Customer to:

- (i) receive calls from other stations on the public switched telephone network;
- (ii) place calls to other stations on the public switched telephone network;
- (iii) access the Company's business office for service related assistance; access directory assistance for the local calling area; access toll free telecommunications services; access enhanced 911 services for emergency calling; access Telephone Relay Service; and
- (iv) access the interexchange network. A Customer may presubscribe to the carrier of their choice for interLATA and intraLATA calling, or Customer may access a provider on an *ad hoc* basis by dialing the provider's Carrier Identification Code (10XXX).
- B Calls to information service providers (900/976) will be automatically blocked on a per line basis. The Customer may have the blocking removed pursuant to FCC rules.

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- 2.1 Serving Areas
  - 2.1.1 Counties
  - A The Company will serve these counties within the territory served by Ameritech. This tariff is effective only in those areas where a Commission approved interconnection agreement exists.

Adams	Jefferson	Shelby
Athens	Lake	Stark
Belmont	Lawrence	Summit
Brown	Licking	Trumbull
Butler	Lorain	Tuscarawas
Carroll	Lucas	Union
Champaign	Madison	Vinton
Clark	Mahoning	Warren
Clinton	Medina	Washington
Columbiana	Meigs	Wayne
Coshocton	Miami	Wood
Cuyahoga	Monroe	Wyandot
Delaware	Montgomery	-
Erie	Morgan	
Fairfield	Muskingum	
Fayette	Noble	
Franklin	Ottawa	
Gallia	Реггу	
Geauga	Pickaway	
Greene	Pike	
Guernsey	Portage	
Hancock	Preble	
Harrison	Ross	
Highland	Sandusky	
Hocking	Scioto	
Jackson	Seneca	

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2.1 Serving Areas

#### 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas

Exchange Services are provided in limited geographic areas. Exchange Services are provided at the following locations and in the following areas:

#### EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

Aberdeen

Aberdeen Ripley

Akron

Akron Atwater Greensburg Hartville Kent Manchester Mogadore North Canton Uniontown Ravenna Rootstown Alliance Atwater

Canton Marlboro Sebring

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#### 2. <u>Services Description and Rates</u> (cont'd)

# 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

EXCHANGE AREA	<b>EXCHAN</b>	<u>GE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA</u>
Alton	Columbus London	Met. Area
Arabia	Arabia Guyan Ironton Walnut	
Atwater	Akron Atwater Alliance Kent Marlboro Ravenna Rootstown	
Barnesville	Barnesville Beallsville Bethesda Somerton	
Beailsville	Beallsville Barnesville Bethesda Clarington Somerton Woodsfield	

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# 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

EXCHANGE AREA	<u>EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA</u>
Beavercreek	Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville Enon Jamestown Medway New Carlisle Spring Valley Xenia
Bedford	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland
Belfast	Belfast Hillsboro Marshall Sugar Tree Ridge
Bellaire	
Bellbrook	Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville Enon Medway New Carlisle Spring Valley Xenia
Верге	Belpre Marietta

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#### 2. <u>Services Description and Rates</u> (cont'd)

#### 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

EXCHANGE AREA	EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA
Berea	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland
Bethesda	Bethesda Barnesville Beallsville Somerton
Bloomingburg	Bloomingburg Jeffersonville New Holland Sedalia Washington Ct. House
Bloomingville	Bloomingville Castalia Sandusky
Bowersville	Bowersville Jamestown Milledgeville Xenia
Brecksville	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland
Burton	Burton Chagrin Falls Cleveland Terrace

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### 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

#### EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

Canal Fulton	Canal Fulton Akron Canton Manchester Massillon North Canton
Canal Winchester	Columbia Met. Area Carroll Lancaster
Canfield	Canfield North Jackson North Lima Salem Youngstown
Canton	Canton Alliance Canal Fulton Hartville Louisville Magnolia Waynesburg Marlboro Massillon Navarre North Canton

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#### 2. <u>Services Description and Rates</u> (cont'd)

#### 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd) EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

#### Carroll Carroll Bloomingville Sandusky Cedarville Cedarville Jamestown Pitchin South Solon South Charleston Yellow Springs - Clifton Xenia Centerville Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville Enon Medway Franklin New Carlisle Spring Valley **Chagrin Falls** Burton Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland Cheshire Chesbire Gallipolis Vinton Chesterland Chesterland Cleveland Met. Area Kirtland

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#### 2.1.2 <u>Exchange Service Areas</u> (cont'd) EXCHANGE AREA <u>EX(</u>

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#### 2. <u>Services Description and Rates</u> (cont'd)

2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

#### EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

Conesville	Conesville Coshocton Dresden West LaFayette
Corning	Corning New Lexington Shawnee
Coshocton	Coshocton Conesville West LaFayette
Dalton	Dalton Massillon
Danville	Danville Hillsboro Sugar Tree Ridge
Dayton	Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville Enon Franklin Jamestown Medway Middletown New Carlisle Spring Valley

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### 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

#### EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

Dayton	Yellow Springs-Clifton Xenia
Donnelsville	Donnelsville Dayton Met. Area Enon Medway New Carlisle North Hampton Springfield
Dresden	Dresden Conesville Zanesville
Dublin	Columbus Met. Area
Duffy	Duffy Clarington Graysville New Matamoras Woodsfield
East Liverpool	East Liverpool Lisbon Rogers Salineville Wellsville

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### 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

#### EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

East Palestine	East Palestine Columbiana Lisbon New Waterford Rogers Salem Youngstown
Enon	Enon Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville Springfield Yellow Springs-Clifton
Fairborn	Dayton Met.Area Donneslville Enon Medway New Carlisle Spring Valley Yellow Springs-Clifton
Findlay	Findlay
Fletcher - Lena	Fletcher - Lena Christiansburg Piqua

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# 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

EXCHANGE AREA	EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA
Fostoria	Fostoria New Riegal
Franklin	Dayton Franklin Miamisburg-West Carrollton Middletown
Fremont Fultonham	Fremont Lindsey Fultonham
	New Lexington Roseville Somerset Zanesville
Gahanna	Columbus Met. Area
Gallipolis	Gallipolis Cheshire Guyan Rio Grande Vinton Walnut
Gates Mills	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland Kirtland Mentor

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## 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

EXCHANGE AREA	EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA
Girard	Girard
	Hubbard
	Niles
	Youngstown
Glenford	Glenford
	New Lexington
	Somerset
	Thornville
Gnadenhutten	Gnadenhutten
	Newcomerstown
	Uhrichsville
Graysville	Graysville
	Duffy
	Lewisville
	New Matamoras
	Woodsfield
Greensburg	Greensburg
	Akron
	Manchester
	North Canton
	Uniontown
Grove City	Columbus Met. Area
Groveport	Columbus Met.

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EXCHANGE AREA	EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA
Guyan	Guyan
	Arabia
	Gallipolis
	Walnut
Harrisburg	Columbus Met. Area
	London
Hartville	Hartville
	Akron
	Canton
	Louisville
	Marlboro
	North Canton
	Uniontown
Hillcrest	Cleveland Met. Area
•	Chesterland
	Kirtland
Hilliard	Columbus Met. Area
Hillsboro	Hillsboro
	Belfast
	Danville
	Marshall
	Rainsboro
	Sugar Tree Ridge

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# 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

# EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

Holland	Toledo Met. Area
Hubbard	Hubbard Girard Lowellville Youngstown Sharon
Independence	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland
Ironton	Ironton Arabia
Jamestown	Jamestown Beavercreek Bowersville Cedarville Dayton Jeffersonville Milledgeville South Solon Xenia
Jeffersonville	Jeffersonville Bloomingburg Jamestown Milledgeville Sedalia South Solon Washington Ct. House

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# 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

Kent	Kent
	Akron
	Atwater
	Mantua
	Mogadore
	Ravenna
	Rootstown
Kirtland	Kirtland
	Chesterland
	Gates Mills
	Hillcrest
	Mentor
	Painesville
	Terrace
	Wickliffe
	Willoughby
Lancaster	Lancaster
`	Canal Winchester
	Carroll
	Rushville
	Sugar Grove
Lectonia	Lectonia
	Lisbon
	Columbiana
	Salem
	Youngstown

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EXCHANGE AREA	EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA
Leroy	Leroy Cleveland Mentor Painesville Willoughby
Lewisville	Lewisville Graysville Woodsfield
Lindsey	Lindsey Fremont
Lisbon	Lisbon Columbiana East Liverpool East Palestine Leetonia Rogers Salem Salineville Wellsville New Waterford
Lockbourne	Columbus Met. Area

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#### EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

London	London
	Alton
	Columbus
	Harrisburg
	Sedalia
	South Charleston
	South Solon
	South Vienna
	West Jefferson
Louisville	Louisville
	Canton
	Hartville
	North Canton
Lowellville	Lowellville
	Hubbard
	North Lima
	Youngstown
Magnolia-Waynesburg	Magnolia-Waynesburg
	Canton
Manchester	Manchester
	Akron
	Canal Fulton
	Greensburg
Mantua	Mantua
	Kent
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#### 2. Services Description and Rates (cont'd)

#### 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd) EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

Ravenna Marietta Marietta Newport Belpre New Matamoras Marlboro Marlboro Alliance Atwater Canton Hartville Rootstown Marshall Marshall **Belfast** Hillsboro Rainsboro Martins Ferry- Bridgeport Massillon Massillon Canal Fulton Canton Dalton Navarre North Canton Maumee Toledo Met. Area

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EXCHANGE AREA Medway	EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA Medway Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville New Carlisle Springfield
Mentor	Mentor Gates Mills Kirtland Leroy Painesville Wickliffe Willoughby
Miamisburg-West	Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville Enon Franklin Medway New Carlisle Spring Valley
Middletown	Middletown Dayton Franklin Monroe Trenton
Milledgeville	Milledgeville Bowersville Jamestown Jeffersonville Washington Ct. House

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	EXCHANGE AREA	EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA
	Mingo Junction	Mingo Junction Steubenville
	Mogadore	Mogadore Akron Kent Uniontown
	Monroe	Monroe Middletown Trenton
	Montrose	Cleveland Met. Area
	Murray City	Murray City Nelsonville Shawnee
	Navarre	Navarre Canton Massillon
	Nelsonville	Nelsonville Murray City Shawnee
	New Albany	Columbus Met.

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#### 2.1.2 <u>Exchange Service Areas</u> (cont'd) <u>EXCHANGE AREA</u> <u>EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA</u>

New Carlisle	New Carlisle Christiansburg Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville Medway North Hampton Springfield
Newcomerstown	Newcomerstown Gnadenhutten West LaFayette
New Holland	New Holland Bloomingburg Washington Ct. House
New Lexington	New Lexington Corning Fultonham Glenford Roseville Shawnee Somerset Thornville Zanesville
New Matamoras	New Matamoras Duffy Graysville Marietta Newport

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2.1.2 <u>Exchange Service Areas</u> (cont'd) <u>EXCHANGE AREA</u> <u>EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA</u>

Newport	Newport	
	Marietta	
	New Matamoras	
New Riegel	New Riegel	
	Fostoria	
	Tiffin	
New Waterford	New Waterford	
	Columbiana	
	East Palestine	
	Rogers	
	Lisbon	
	North Lima	
	Youngstown	
Niles	Niles	
	Girard	
	North Jackson	
	Youngstown	
North Canton	North Canton	
	Akron	
	Canal Fulton	
	Canton	
	Greensburg	
	Hartville	
	Louisville	
	Massillon	
	Uniontown	

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North Hampton	North Hampton Christiansburg Donnelsville New Carlisle Springfield Tremont City
North Jackson	North Jackson Canfield Niles Youngstown
North Lima	North Lima Canfield Columbiana Lowellville Youngstown New Waterford
North Royalton	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland
Norwich	Norwich Philo Zanesville
Oimsted Falls	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland

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#### 2.1.2 <u>Exchange Service Areas</u> (cont'd) <u>EXCHANGE AREA</u> <u>EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA</u>

Painesville	Painesville Kirtland Leroy Mentor
	Willoughby
Perrysburg	Toledo Met. Area
Philo	Philo
	Norwich
	Roseville
	Zanesville
Piqua	Piqua
-	Fletcher-Lena
	Pitchin
	Cedarville
	South Charleston
	Springfield
	Yellow Springs-Clifton
Rainsboro	Rainsboro
	Hillsboro
	Marshall
Ravenna	Akron.
	Atwater
	Ravenna
	Kent
	Mantua
	Rootstown

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# 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

# EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

Reynoldsburg	Columbus Met. Area
Rio Grande	Rio Grande Gallipolis Vínton Walnut
Ripley	Ripley Aberdeen
Rogers	Rogers Columbiana East Liverpool East Palestine Lisbon New Waterford
Rootstown	Rootstown Atwater Kent Marlboro Ravenna Akron
Roseville	Roseville Fultonham New Lexington Philo Zanesville

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Rushville	EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA Rushville
Nuon ving	Lancaster
	Somerset
	Thornville
st. Clairsville	Bethesda
alem	Canfield
	East Palestine
	Salem
	Columbiana
	Leetonia
	Lisbon
	Youngstown
Salineville	Salineville
	East Liverpool
	Lisbon
	Wellsville
Sandusky	Sandusky
	Bloomingville
	Castalia
Sebring	Sebring
<b>6</b>	Alliance
edalia	Sedalia
	Bloomingburg
	Jeffersonville
	London South Solon

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2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

#### EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

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Sharon	Sharon Hubbard Youngstown
Shawnee	Shawnee Corning Murray City Nelsonville New Lexington
Somerset	Somerset Fultonham Glenford New Lexington Rushville Thornville
Somerton	Somerton Barnesville Beallsville Bethesda Woodsfield
South Charleston	South Charleston Cedarville London Pitchin South Solon South Vienna Springfield

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# 2. Services Description and Rates (cont'd)

# 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd) EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

South Solon	South Solon Cedarville Jamestown Jeffersonville London Sedalia South Charleston
South Vienna	South Vienna London South Charleston Springfield
Springfield	Springfield Donnelsville Enon Medway New Carlisle North Hampton Pitchin South Charleston South Vienna Tremont City Yellow Springs-Clifton
Spring Valley	Spring Valley Dayton Met. Area Xenia

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# EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

Steubenville	Steubenville Mingo Junction Toronto
Strongsville	Cleveland Met. Area Chesteriand
Sugar Grove	Sugar Grove Lancaster
Sugar Tree Ridge	Sugar Tree Ridge Belfast Danville Hillsboro Winchester
Теггасе	Cleveland Met. Area Burton Chesterland Kirtland
Thornville	Thornville Glenford New Lexington Rushville Somerset
Tiffin	Tiffin New Riegel

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# 2.1.2 <u>Exchange Service Areas</u> (cont'd) <u>EXCHANGE AREA</u> <u>EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA</u>

Toledo	Toledo Met. Area
Toronto	Toronto Steubenville Wellsville
Tremont City	Tremont City North Hampton Springfield
Trenton	Trenton Middletown Monroe
Trinity	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland
Uhrichsville	Uhrichsville Gnadenhutten
Uniontown	Uniontown Akron Greensburg Mogadore Hartville North Canton
Upper Sandusky	Upper Sandusky

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2.1.2	Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)		
	EXCHANGE AREA	EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA	
	Vandalia	Dayton Met. Area	
		Donnelsville	
		Enon	
		Medway	
		New Carlisle	
		Spring Valley	
	Victory	Cleveland Met. Area	
		Chesterland	
	Vinton	Vinton	
		Cheshire	
		Gallipolis	
		Rio Grande	
	Walnut	Walnut	
		Arabia	
		Gallipolis	
		Guyan	
		Rio Grande	
	Washington Ct. House	Washington Ct. House	
		Bloomingburg	
		Jeffersonville	
		Milledgeville	
		New Holland	
	Wellsville	Wellsville	
		East Liverpool	
		Lisbon	
		Salineville	
		Toronto	

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2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd)

# EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

Westerville	Columbus Met. Area
West Jefferson	Columbus Met. London
West LaFayette	West LaFayette Conesville Coshocton Newcomerstown
Whitehouse	Toledo Met.
Wickliffe	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland Kirtland Mentor
Willoughby	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland Kirtland Leroy Mentor Painesville
Winchester	Winchester Sugar Tree Ridge

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# 2. <u>Services Description and Rates</u> (cont'd)

## 2.1.2 Exchange Service Areas (cont'd) EXCHANGE AREA EXCHANGE AREAS IN LOCAL SERVICE AREA

Woodsfield

Woodsfield Beallsville Clarington Duffy Graysville Lewisville Somerton Columbus Met. Area Xenia

Xenia

Worthington

Xenia Beavercreek Bellbrook Bowersville Cedarville Jamestown Spring Valley Yellow Spring-Clifton Dayton

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Springfield

Yellow Springs-Clifton

Yellow Springs-Clifton Yellow Springs-Clifton Cedarville Enon Fairborn Pitchin Xenia Springfield Dayton Zanesville Zanesville Dresden Fultonham Norwich Philo Roseville New Lexington Pitchin Pitchin Cedarville South Charleston

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# 2.1.4 Calling Areas

- A) Metropolitan Areas
  - 1) The exchange areas included in the Cleveland Metropolitan Area are as follows:

Cleveland	North Royalton
Bedford	Olmstead Falls
Berea	Strongsville
Brecksville	Terrace
Chagrín Falls	Trinity
Gates Mills	Victory
Hillcrest	Wickliffe
Independence	Willoughby
Montrose	

2) The exchange areas included in the Columbus Metropolitan Area are as follows:

Columbus	Hilliard
Alton	Lockbourne
Canal Winchester	New Albany
Dublin	Reynoldsburg
Gahanna	Westerville
Grove City	West Jefferson
Groveport	Worthington
Harrisburg	U

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## 2. <u>Services Description and Rates</u> (cont'd)

# 2.1.4 Calling Areas

A) Metropolitan Areas (cont'd)

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3) The exchange areas included in the Dayton Mctropolitan Area are as follows:

Dayton	Fairborn
Beavercreek	Miamisburg-West Carrollton
Bellbrook	Vandalia
Centerville	

- 4) The exchange areas included in the Toledo Metropolitan Area are as follows:
  - Toledo Maumee Whitehouse

Holland Perrysburg

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#### 2 Service Descriptions and Rates (cont'd)

#### 2.2 <u>Feature Descriptions</u>

A The Company's local exchange services have a variety of available features that let the Customer design a service tailored to meet their needs. Below are feature descriptions.

#### Caller ID with Number

Allows for the automatic delivery of a calling party's number to the called customer. The telephone number is displayed on customer-provided equipment. If the Customer has call waiting on the same line, they will hear the call waiting tone, but the new incoming call number will not be displayed.

#### Caller ID with Name and Number

Allows for the automatic delivery of a calling party's name and number to the called party. The name and number are displayed on customer-provided equipment. If the Customer has call waiting on the same line, they will hear the call-waiting tone, but the new incoming name and number will not be displayed.

Caller ID Blocking Per Line

Provides default blocking of delivery of the calling customer's telephone number. Blocking can be deactivated by the customer by dialing an access code before each call. When the customer hangs up, the default blocking is reinstated.

#### Caller ID Blocking Per Call

Provides blocking of delivery of the calling customer's telephone number on a per call basis. Blocking can be activated by the customer dialing an access code before each call.

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#### 2.2 Feature Descriptions (cont'd)

#### Call Forward

This optional feature allows all calls directed to a telephone number to be routed to a user defined telephone number. The user can activate/deactivate Call Forward and define a telephone number where all calls will be forwarded. Calls cannot be forwarded to an International Direct Distance Dialing (IDDD) number.

#### Call Forward Busy Line

This optional feature forwards calls to a busy station to a predetermined number. Calls cannot be forwarded to an International Direct Distance Dialing (IDDD) number. The user is charged any applicable usage charges for the forwarded call.

#### Call Forward Don't Answer

Allows users to re-route a call to a predetermined station in the event that the call is not answered within a customer-specified number of rings. Users are charged for any applicable usage charges on the forwarded call.

#### Call Pick Up

This optional feature allows a call to be answered from a different line by dialing a code. All lines in the group must be equipped with this feature. The Customer can have an unlimited number of lines in a Call Pick Up group.

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#### 2.2 Feature Descriptions (cont'd)

#### Call Transfer

This optional feature allows the user to transfer any established call to another telephone number (inside or outside of the system) without the assistance of an attendant.

#### Call Waiting

This optional feature provides a tone to notify a Customer on an existing call that a second call is waiting.

#### **Consultation Hold**

This temporary hold feature is inherent in Call Transfer and Three Way Calling. It is activated by depressing the switch hook.

#### **Direct Connect Hotline**

This optional feature allows a Customer to automatically dial a designated number whenever the originating telephone goes off hook. This feature is assigned to a phone which is used only for this purpose.

#### Hunting

This standard feature routes a call to an idle line in a prearranged group when the called telephone number is busy. Typically this feature is used with the customer's main telephone number and several subtending lines so that the customer can receive calls on several lines, although all calls are placed to the same number. Hunting will not work with Call Forward Busy and Don't Answer.

#### Speed Dial

This optional feature allows a Customer to designate up to six numbers to be called by dialing a code.

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#### 2.2 Feature Descriptions (cont'd)

Speed Dial, Expanded

This optional feature allows Customer to designate up to thirty numbers to be called by dialing a code.

Speed Dial, Group

Allows up to five lines on a Customer's system to share a Speed Dial list. This can be either a six number or expanded speed dial list.

Three Way Calling

Allows a user to add a third party to an existing conversation without expensive conferencing equipment. This feature also allows a user to place a call on hold in order to make a consultation call on the same line. When the consultation call is completed the user hangs-up or depresses the flash key on the telephone and is reconnected to the original conversation.

#### 2.2.1 Feature Package

The feature package allows the customer to select any combination or all of the following features

for a single monthly recurring charge, rather than subscribing to these features separately:

Call Pick Up	Call Forward- Variable
Call Transfer	Three Way Conference Calling
Call Hold	Call Waiting
Speed Dial	

2.2.2 Rate

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Call Waiting\*

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Non Recurring Charge Monthly Recurring Charge

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Maximum Charge

\$20.00

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2.4 Resold Business Line Service

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A Resold Business Line service offers the Customer a choice of billing options, and a host of optional features. Term plans are also available.

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#### 2 Service Description and Rates (cont'd)

2.4 Resold Business Line Service

2.4.1 Rates

Billing Option 1 - Customers receive a lower monthly recurring line charge in exchange for a term plan.

	Monthly Recurring Charge	Per Call Charge
Term Plan	Max.	Max,
Month to Month	\$75.00	\$.24
One Year	\$63.00	\$.24
Two Year	\$54.00	\$.24
Three Year	\$48.00	\$.24

Billing Option 2 - Customers receive a lower incremental charge in exchange for a term plan.

	Monthly Recurring Charge	Incremental Charge*
Term Plan	Мах.	Max.
Month to Month	\$75.00	\$.036
One Year	\$75.00	\$.034
Two Year	\$75.00	\$.032
Three Year	\$75.00	\$.029

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# 2 Service Description and Rates

2.5 Features

For feature descriptions, see Section 2.2 and feature rates, see Section 3.2

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#### 2 <u>Service Description and Rates</u> (cont'd)

- 2.6 Service Conversion Fees
- A Customers will be assessed a non-recurring fee for converting existing lines to the Company's service.
  - 2.6.1 Service Conversion Waiver
  - A Customers who opt for a term plan agreement are eligible for 100% waiver of Service Conversion Charges.
- 2.7 Installation Fees
- A A non-recurring installation fee will be assessed when a new line is added to a new or existing account.

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#### 2 Service Description and Rates (cont'd)

2.8 Directory Listings

2.8.1 Description

Directory listing will be provided in accordance with Section 1.6 of this tariff. The following types of listings are available:

(i) Primary Listing. A primary listing contains the name of the Customer, or the name under which business is regularly conducted, as well as the address and telephone number of the Customer. Primary listings are provided at no charge;

(ii) Additional Listings. Additional listings are available only in the names of Authorized Users of the Customer's service, as defined herein;

(iii) Non-Published Listings. Nonpublished listing are not printed in directories nor are they available from directory assistance. Nonpublished listings are subject to the provisions set forth in Sections 1.5.2 and 1.6;

(iv) Non-Listed Numbers. Non-listed numbers are those which provide for the omission or deletion of the Customer's listing from the telephone directory. Such listing are available from directory assistance;

(v) Foreign Listing. A foreign listing is one which is published in a directory not in the Customer's immediate calling area;

(vi) Extra Line Listings. Provides additional information after a main or additional listings.

(vii) Cross Reference Listing. This provides a reference to another listing in the same directory.

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2.9 Directory Assistance

- A The Customer may access Directory Assistance for the purpose of determining phone numbers within its local calling area by calling the Directory Assistance Operator. A monthly allowance of one call to Directory Assistance per account is allowed at no charge. A maximum of two number requests per call will be allowed.
- B The Customer will have the option of utilizing Directory Assistance Call Completion for the option of placing a call to the number requested.
- 2.9.1 Rates

For all calls to directory assistance beyond the monthly allowance specified above, the following charge will apply per call:

\$1.00

For all requests for Directory Assistance Call Completion, the following additional charge will apply:

\$.40

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- 2 <u>Service Description and Rates</u> (cont'd)
  - 2.9 Directory Assistance
  - 2.9.2 Directory Assistance Credits
  - A Credit will be given for calls to Directory Assistance as follows:
    - (i) The Customer experiences poor transmission or is cut-off during the call; or
    - (ii) The Customer is given the incorrect telephone number.

B To obtain credit, the Customer must contact its Customer Service representative.

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#### 2 <u>Service Description and Rates</u> (cont'd) 2,10 Operator Services

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2,10.1 General

The Customer has the option of contacting the incumbent local exchange company operator for general information, such as dialing instructions, country or city code information and Customer Service 800 numbers. The Customer may obtain the assistance of an incumbent local exchange operator to complete local exchange telephone calls in the following manner:

(i) Third Party Billing. Provides the Customer with the ability to charge a local call to a third number which is different from the called or calling party. The party answering at the third number has the option to refuse acceptance of the charges in advance or when queried by the operator;

(ii) Collect Calls. Provides the Customer with the capability to charge a call to the called party. On the operator announcement of a collect call, the called party has the option to refuse acceptance of charges in advance or when queried by the operator;

(iii) Calling Cards. Provides the Customer with the capability of placing a call using a credit card of an interexchange carrier with or without the assistance of an operator;

(iv) Person to Person. Calls completed with the assistance of an operator to a particular Station and person specified by the caller. The call may be billed to the called party;

(v) Station to Station. Calls completed with the assistance of an operator to a particular Station. The call may be billed to the called party.

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#### 2.14 Toll Disconnection

Please see section 1.10 for regulations pertaining to disconnection.

2.14.1 DePICing

Max. \$5.00

#### 2.15 Carrier to Carrier Rates

As a LEC that provides local service through its own facilities or in combination with its own facilities, all of the company's resale service offerings, with the exception of services not available for resale pursuant to Section IX.C. of the local competition guidelines, are available for resale to any other LEC on a non-discriminatory basis, at the retail rates set forth herein.

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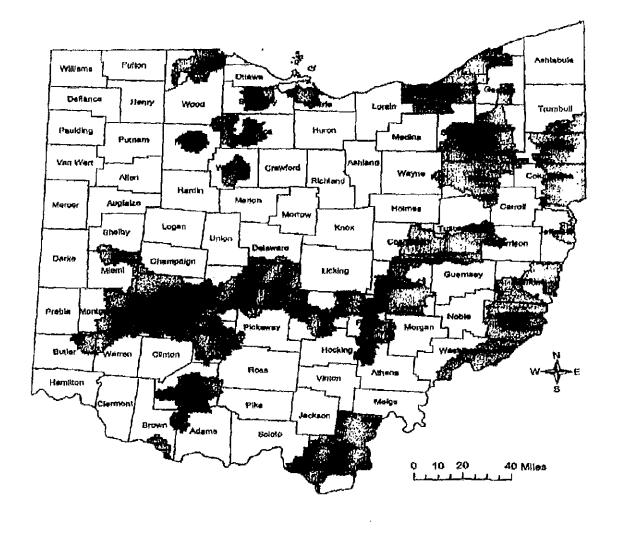
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2.16 Proposed Service Area

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- 3 <u>Local Exchange Service Price List</u>
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#### 3 Local Exchange Service Price List (cont'd)

#### 3.2 Resold Business Line Service

Billing Option 1 Without a Company Long Distance Plan:

	Monthly Recurring Charge	Per Call Charge
Term Plan		
Month to Month	\$40.00	\$.08
One Year	\$36.00	\$.08
Two Year	\$33.00	\$.08
Three Year	\$31.00	\$.08

With a Company Long Distance Calling Plan:

	Monthly Recurring Charge	Per Call Charge
Term Plan		
Month to Month	\$33.00	\$.08
One Year	\$29.00	\$.08
Two Year	\$26.00	\$.08
Three Year	\$24.00	\$.08

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#### 3.2 Resold Business Line Service

Billing Option 2 Without a Company Long Distance Calling Plan:

	Monthly Recurring Charge	Incremental Charge*
Term Plan		
Month to Month	\$36.00	\$.026
One Year	\$36.00	\$,024
Two Year	\$36.00	\$.022
Three Year	\$36.00	\$.0 <b>19</b>

With a Company Long Distance Calling Plan:

	Monthly Recurring Charge	Incremental Charge*
Term Plan		
Month to Month	\$29,00	\$.026
One Year	\$29.00	\$.024
Two Year	\$29.00	\$.022
Three Year	\$29.00	\$.019

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## 3 Local Exchange Service Price List (cont'd)

3.2 Resold Business Line Service (cont'd)

3.2.1 Features

For feature descriptions, see section 2.2 of this tariff.

	Non-Recurring Charge	Monthly Recurring Charge
Call Forward	\$10.00	\$4.00
Call Forward Busy Line	\$2.00	\$0.75
Call Forward Don't Answer	\$2.00	\$0,75
Call Waiting	\$10.00	\$4.00
Caller ID Name and Number	\$42.00	\$9.00
Caller ID Blocking (per call)	N/c	N/c
Caller ID Blocking (per line)	\$10.00*	N/c
Direct Connect Hotline	\$10.00	\$1,50
Speed Dial	\$10.00	\$4.00
Speed Dial, Expanded	\$10.00	\$4.00
Three Way Calling	\$10.00	\$4.00
*No charge for non-published cu	istomers	

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3	Local Exchange Service Price List (cont'd)		
	3.3	Service Conversion Fees	
		First Line Additional Line	\$51.00 \$21.00
	3.4	Installation Fees	
		First Line Additional Line	\$78.00 \$29.00

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#### 3.5 Directory Listings

	Non-Recurring Charge	Monthly Recurring Charge
Primary Listing	n/c	n/c
Additional Listing	\$10.00	\$1.95
Non-Published Listing	\$10.00	\$1.95
Non-Listed Number	\$10.00	\$1.95
Foreign Listing	\$10.00	\$1.95
Extra Line Listing	\$10.00	\$1.95
Cross Reference Listing	\$10.00	\$1.95

#### 3.6 Directory Assistance

A For all calls to local directory assistance beyond the monthly allowance of one call per month, the following charge will apply per call:

\$.30 per call

B For all requests for local Directory Assistance Call Completion, the following additional charge will apply:

\$.30 per request

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#### Local Exchange Service Price List (cont'd) 3.7 **Operator Services** Automated Calling Card Station to Station \$.50 Customer Dialed - Operator Assisted-\$1.25 Calling Card - Station-to-Station \$1.25 Operator Handled - Station-to-Station \$1.10 Operator Handled - Person-to-Person \$3.00 Operator Handled - Third Number Billed \$1,50 **Operator Handled - Collect Calls** \$1.50 3.8 Presubscription Change in carrier, first line, non-recurring \$ 5.00 Change in carrier, each add'l line, non-recurring \$ 1.50 Insufficient Fund Charge 3.9 \$15.00 3.10 DePICing charge currently waived 3.11 \$0,12 per month E-911 Ameritech pass through

#### 3.12 Carrier to Carrier Rates

As a LEC that provides local service through its own facilities or in combination with its own facilities, all of the company's resale service offerings, with the exception of services not available for resale pursuant to Section IX.C. of the local competition guidelines, are available for resale to any other LEC on a non-discriminatory basis, at the retail rates set forth herein.

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#### 4. Toli Service Regulations

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#### 4.7 Deposit

- 4.7.1 Applicants for service may be required prior to establishing service to provide the Company a security deposit. The deposit requested will be in cash or the equivalent of cash, and will be held as a guarantee for the payment of charges. A deposit does not relieve the Customer of the responsibility for the prompt payment of bills on presentation. Reestablishment of credit for service with be in accordance with Rule 4901:1-17-04. Additional requirements may be found in Section 1.9.2 of this tariff.
- 4.7.2 The deposit will not exceed an amount equal to two month's average monthly bill for all regulated local exchange services for ensuing twelve months, plus thirty percent (30%) of estimated monthly charges.
- 4.8 RESERVED FOR FUTURE USE

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# 4. <u>Toll Service Regulations</u> (cont'd)

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## 4.10 Late Charge

A late payment charge of 1.5% is not applicable to subsequent rebilling of any amount to which a late payment charge has already been applied. Late charges are to be applied without discrimination.

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#### 4. <u>Toll Service Regulations</u> (cont'd)

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#### 4.12 Presubscribed Interexchange Carrier Charge

A Presubscribed Interexchange Carrier Charge ("PICC") applies on a monthly basis to all Customer monthly bills as permitted by the Commission.

#### 4.13 <u>Returned Check Charge</u>

A minimum fee of \$10.00 and maximum fee of \$25.00 will be charged whenever a check or draft presented for payment for service is not accepted by the institution on which it is written.

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