The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio TELECOMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION FORM for

## DETARIFFING AND RELATED ACTIONS

Per the Commission's 01/19/2011 "Implementation Order" in Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD (Effective: 01/20/2011 through 05/20/2011)

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In the Matter of the Application of Ohio Telecom. Inc. )

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Other changes required by Chapter 4901:1-6 (Describe in detail in Exhibit C)		

## Part II – Exhibits

Note that the following exhibits are required for all filings using this form.

Included	Identified As:	Description of Required Exhibit:
	Exhibit A	The existing affected tariff pages.
	Exhibit B	The proposed revised tariff pages.
	Exhibit C	Narrative summarizing all changes proposed in the application, and/or other information intended to assist Staff in the review of the Application.
	Exhibit D	One-time customer notice of detariffing and related changes consistent with rule 4901:1-06-07
	Exhibit E	Affidavit that the Customer Notice described in Exhibit C has been sent to Customers.

#### Part III. – Attestation Registrant hereby attests to its compliance with pertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission.

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#### **VERIFICATION**

#### I, <u>Rob</u>in Enkev

verify that I have utilized the Telecommunications Application Form for Detariffing and Related Actions provided by the Commission and that all of the information submitted here, and all additional information submitted in connection with this case, is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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# **EXHIBIT A**

Existing Ohio Telecom, Inc. PUCO Tariffs 1, 3 & 4.

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## **REGULATIONS AND SCHEDULE OF INTRASTATE CHARGES**

#### APPLYING TO

#### LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

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The following symbols shall be used in this tariff for the purpose indicated below:

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#### APPLICATION OF TARIFF

This tariff sets forth the service offerings, rates, terms and conditions applicable to the furnishing of intrastate End-User communications services in the State of Ohio by Ohio Telecom, Inc. ("OTI" or "the Company") in Ameritech Ohio territory where an approved interconnection agreement exists..

All telephone companies are subject to the commission's rules for minimum telephone service standards (MTSS) found in chapter 4901:1-5 of the 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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#### **SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS**

For the purpose of this tariff, the following definitions will apply:

<u>Access</u>: Is connection to one carrier by a second carrier to obtain the services of any or all network facilities and services within the network, including unbundled elements.

<u>Access Service Request ("ASR")</u>: A written request for special access services executed by the Customer and the Company in the format devised by the Company. The signing of an ASR 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. Should a Customer use the Company's access service without an executed ASR, the Company will then request the Customer to submit one.

<u>Account Codes</u>: Permits Centrex Stations and attendants to dial an account code number of up to eight digits. For use when placing calls over facilities arranged for Automatic Message Accounting (AMA) recording. The account or project number must be input prior to dialing the called number.

Advance Payment: Part or all of a payment required before the start of service.

<u>Alternative Operator Services</u>: Alternative Operator Services are those services provided by the carrier in which the customer and the Bnd User are totally separate entities. The carrier contracts with the customer to provide the alternative operator services; however, the carrier does not directly contract with the End User to provide the services even though it is the End User who actually pays for the processing of the operator assisted calls.

<u>Automatic Number Identification ("ANI")</u>: Allows the automatic transmission of a caller's billing account telephone number to a local exchange company, interexchange carrier or a third party subscriber. The primary purpose of ANI is to allow for billing of toll calls.

<u>Automatic Location Identification (ALD</u>: An E911 feature that provides the name or address or both associated with the calling party's telephone number (identified by ANI as defined below) to the PSAP for display. Additional telephones with the same number as the calling party's (secondary locations, off-premise extensions, etc.) are identified with the address of the telephone number at the main location.

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Bit: The smallest unit of information in the binary system of notation.

<u>Collocation</u>: An arrangement whereby the Company's switching equipment is located in a local exchange Company's central office.

Commission: The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

<u>Communications Services</u>: The Company's intrastate local exchange switched telephone services offered for intraLATA use.

Company or Carrier: Ohio Telecom, Inc. ("OTI")

<u>Customer</u> or <u>Subscriber</u>: The person, firm or corporation which orders service and is responsible for the payment of charges and compliance with the Company's regulations.

<u>Dedicated Inbound Calls</u>: Refers to calls that are terminated via dedicated access facilities connecting the Customer's premises and the Company's Point of Presence ("POP"). This service is offered to the extent facilities are available and where the Company and the Customer jointly arrange for the establishment of dedicated access facilities connecting the Customer's trunk-compatible PBX or other suitable equipment to the Company's POP. The Customer shall be responsible for all costs and charges associated with the dedicated access facilities.

<u>Dedicated Outbound Calls</u>: Refers to service that is offered to the extent facilities are available in those cases where the Company and the Customer jointly arrange for the establishment of dedicated access facilities connecting the Customer's trunk-compatible PBX or other suitable equipment to the Company's (POP). The Customer shall be responsible for all costs and charges associated with the dedicated access facilities.

<u>Deposit</u>: Refers to a cash or equivalent of cash security held as a guarantee for payment of the charges.

<u>DID Trunk (Direct Inward Dial Trunk)</u>: A form of local switched access that provides the ability for an outside party to call an internal extension directly without the intervention of the Company operator.

Dial Pulse (or "DP"): The pulse type employed by rotary dial station sets.

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<u>Direct Inward Dial (or "DID")</u>: A service attribute that routes incoming calls directly to stations, by-passing a central answering point.

<u>Direct Outward Dial (or "DOD")</u>: A service attribute that allows individual station Users to access and dial outside numbers directly.

<u>Dual Tone Multi-Frequency (or "DTMF")</u>: The pulse type employed by tone dial station sets.

<u>Duplex Service</u>: Service which provides for simultaneous transmission in both directions.

<u>Emergency Number Service</u>: A telephone exchange communication service whereby a Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) designated by the Customer may receive telephone calls dialed to the telephone number 911. The 911 Services includes lines and equipment necessary for transferring and dispatching public emergency telephone calls originated by persons within the telephone central offices areas arranged for 911 calling.

<u>Emergency Service Number (ESN)</u>: An ESN is a Selective Routing (SR) code assigned to each telephone number in an exchange where SR is provided to route E911 calls to an appropriate PSAP. The ESN defines the set of emergency services (e.g., police, fire, PSAP and medical) within a particular serving area. An ESN is associated with a primary possibly one or more secondary PSAPs.

<u>Emergency Telephone Service Charge</u>: A charge for the network start-up costs, custom notification costs, billing costs including an allowance for uncollectibles and network nonrecurring and recurring installation, maintenance, service, and equipment network charges of the Company providing 911 service.

<u>End Office</u>: With respect to each NPA-NXX code prefix assigned to the Company, the location of the Company's "end office" for purposes of this tariff shall be the point of interconnection associated with that NPA-NXX code in the Local Exchange Routing Guide ("LERG"), published by Bellcore.

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<u>Exchange Telephone Company</u> or <u>Telephone Company</u>: Denotes any individual, partnership, association, joint-stock company, trust, or corporation authorized by the appropriate regulatory bodies to engaged in providing public switched communication service throughout an exchange area, and between exchange areas within the LATA.

<u>Fiber Optic Cable</u>: A thin filament of glass with a protective outer coating through which a light beam carrying communications signals may be transmitted by means of multiple internal reflections to a receiver, which translates the message.

<u>Hearing Impaired</u>: Those persons with communication impairments, including those hearing impaired, deaf, deaf/blind, and speech impaired persons who have an impairment that prevents them from communicating over the telephone without the aid of a telecommunications device for the deaf.

Hunting: Routes a call to an idle station line in a prearranged group when the called station line is busy.

<u>Getting Started Package</u>: Refers to package Company gives to each new customer. The package includes information about the Company's services, service orders and contact numbers.

<u>In-Only</u>: A service attribute that restricts outward dial access and routes incoming calls to a designated answer point.

IXC or Interexchange Carrier: A long distance telecommunications services provider.

Kbps: Kilobits per second, denotes thousands of bits per second.

<u>LATA</u>: 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 Interconnection Trunking Service: A local circuit administration point, other than a cross-connect or an information outlet, that provides capability for routing and rerouting circuits.

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Mbps: Megabits, denotes millions of bits per second.

Monthly Recurring Charges: The monthly charges to the Customer for services, which continue for the agreed upon duration of the service.

<u>Multi-Frequency or ("MF")</u>: An inter-machine pulse-type used for signaling between telephone switches, or between telephone switches and PBX/key systems.

<u>911 Service Area</u>: The geographic area in which the Company will respond to all 911 calls and dispatch appropriate emergency assistance.

<u>911 Trunks</u>: Trunks between a serving central office and a PSAP or between two central offices, except where one of the central offices is a remote unit.

<u>Non-Proprietary Calling Card</u>: Refers to a calling card or travel card which can be billed by any carrier and used on any network, such as an Ameritech card issued in conjunction with local services; as opposed to a card issued by an IXC which can only be used on that carrier's network and billed by that carrier.

<u>Non-Recurring Charge ("NRC")</u>: The initial charge, usually assessed on a one-time basis, to initiate and establish service.

NPA: Numbering plan area or area code.

NXX: First three digits in a local phone number. Identifies the specific telephone company central office which serves that number.

Other Telephone Company: An Exchange Telephone Company, other than the Company.

PBX: Private Branch Exchange

Point of Presence ("POP"): Point of Presence

<u>PSAP Data Base Establishment and Update Service</u>: Provides the PSAP with the initial list, as well as periodic updates of Customer names, telephone numbers and addresses for ALI.

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<u>Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP)</u> - a communications facility operated or answered on a 24-hour basis, assigned responsibility by a public agency or county to receive 911 calls and, as appropriate, to directly dispatch emergency response services, or to transfer or relay emergency 911 calls to other public safety agencies. It is the first point of reception by a public safety agency of a 911 call, and serves the jurisdictions in which it is located and other participating jurisdictions, if any.

<u>Recurring Charges</u>: The monthly charges to the Customer for services, facilities and equipment which continue for the agreed upon duration of the service.

<u>Service Commencement Date</u>: The first day following the date on which the Company notifies the Customer that the requested service 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 or 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.

<u>Service Order</u>: The written request for Company 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.

<u>Shared</u>: A facility or equipment system or subsystem that can be used simultaneously by several Customers.

<u>Shared Inbound Calls</u>: Refers to calls that are terminated via the Customer's Companyprovided local exchange line.

<u>Shared Outbound Calls</u>: Refers to calls in Feature Group D (FGD) exchanges whereby the Customer's local telephone lines are presubscribed by the Company to the Company's outbound service such that "1 + 10-digit number" calls are automatically routed to the Company's or an IXC's network. Calls to stations within the Customer's LATA may be placed by dialing "10XXX" or "101XXXX" with 1 + 10-digit number."

Tandem: A class 4 switch facility to which NPA and NXX codes are subtended.

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<u>Three-Way Calling</u>: Allows a station line User to add a third party to an existing conversation.

<u>Traditional Operator Services</u>: Traditional Operator Services are those services provided by the carrier in which the End User has a customer relationship with the carrier, contracts with the customer/End User to provide the services, and the customer/End User pays for the actual processing of the operator assisted calls.

<u>Two Way</u>: A service attribute that includes outward dial capabilities for outbound calls and can also be used to carry inbound calls to a central point for further processing.

<u>Usage Based Charges</u>: Charges for minutes or messages traversing over local exchange facilities.

<u>User or End User</u>: A Customer, Joint User, or any other person authorized by a Customer to use service provided under this tariff.

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#### **SECTION 2 - REGULATIONS**

## 2.1 <u>Undertaking of the Company</u>

#### 2.1.1 <u>Scope</u>

The Company undertakes to furnish communications service pursuant to the terms of this tariff in connection with one-way and/or two-way information transmission originating from points within the state of Ohio, and terminating within a local calling area as defined herein.

The Company is responsible under this tariff only for the services provided hereunder, and it assumes no responsibility for any service provided by any other entity that purchases the Company network in order to originate or terminate its own services, or to communicate with its own Customers.

#### 2.1.2 Shortage of Equipment or Facilities

A) The furnishing of service under this tariff is subject to the availability on a continuing basis of all the necessary facilities and is limited to the capacity of facilities the Company obtains from other carriers to furnish service from time to time as required at the sole discretion of the Company, in a non-discriminatory manner consistent with the authority as granted by the Commission.

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## 2.1 <u>Undertaking of the Company</u> (cont'd)

## 2.1.3 Terms and Conditions

- A. Service is provided on the basis of a minimum period of at least one month, 24-hours per day. For the purpose of computing charges in this tariff, a month is considered to have thirty (30) days.
- B. Customers may be required to enter into written service orders which shall contain or reference a specific description of the service ordered, the tariff or other approved rates to be charged, the duration of the services, and the terms and conditions in this tariff. Customers will also be required to execute any other documents as may be reasonably requested by the Company.
- C. Except as otherwise stated in the tariff, at the expiration of the initial term specified in each Service Order, or in any extension thereof, service shall continue on a month to month basis at the then current rates unless terminated by either party upon thirty (30) days written notice. Any termination shall not relieve the 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.
- D. Service may be terminated upon written notice to the Customer if:
  - 1. the Customer is using the service in violation of this tariff; or
  - 2. the Customer is using the service in violation of the law,
- E. This tariff shall be interpreted and governed by the laws of the state of Ohio without regard for its choice of laws provision.

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## 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (cont'd)

F. The Company hereby reserves its rights to establish service packages specific to a particular Customer. These contracts may or may not be associated with volume and/or term discounts. All such offerings shall be consistent with the rates and conditions specified herein, or shall require approval of the Commission.

## 2.1.4 Limitations on Liability

- A. Except as otherwise stated in this section, the liability of the Company for damages arising out of either: (1) the furnishing of its services, including but not limited to mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, or errors, or other defects, representatives, or use of these services or (2) the failure to furnish its service, whether caused by acts or omission, shall be limited to the extension of allowances to the Customer for interruptions in service as set forth in Section 2.6.
- B. Except as specified in this tariff, Company and its contractors shall not be liable to a Customer or third party for any direct, indirect, special, incidental, reliance, consequential, exemplary or punitive damages of any kind or nature arising out of or in connection with the installation, use, repair, performance or removal of the equipment, or other services in connection with the performance or failure to perform its obligations, including, but not limited to, loss of revenue or profits, regardless of the foreseeability thereof for any reason whatsoever, including, but not limited to, any act or omission, failure to perform, delay, interruption, failure to provide any service or any failure in or breakdown of facilities associated with the service.
- C. In the event the Company fails to install new service within five business days of an application for new service or fails to install such service by the requested installation date when at least five days notice is given, the Company shall waive one half of the non-recurring installation charges. If the Company fails to install new service within ten business days of an application for new service or fails to install such service by the requested installation date, when at least ten days notice is given, the Company shall waive all nonrecurring installation charges. Such credits will not be required where special equipment or service is involved, the application is

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#### 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (cont'd)

#### 2.1.4 Limitations on Liability (cont'd)

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for new service in an undeveloped area where no facilities exist, or the applicant or subscriber has not met pertinent tariff requirements.

- D. The liability of the Company for errors in billing that result in overpayment by the Customer shall be limited to a credit equal to the dollar amount erroneously billed or, in the event that payment has been made and service has been discontinued, to a refund of the amount erroneously billed.
- E. Company shall not have any liability for or be responsible for any losses, costs, expenses, claims, liabilities or damages resulting from the Customer's failure to timely comply with the requirements below regarding emergency 911 service; Company shall be indemnified by Customer from any losses, costs, expenses, claims, liabilities or damages, including, but not limited to, third party claims.
- F. Company shall have no responsibility or liability for responding to emergency 911 or other emergency referral calls. Company will make reasonable effort to determine the nearest public safety or law enforcement authorities and then route such calls to those authorities.
- G. The Company shall not be liable for and shall be indemnified and saved harmless by the Customer from and against all loss, liability, damage and expense, due to:

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## 2.1 <u>Undertaking of the Company</u> (cont'd)

## 2.1.4 Limitations on Liability (cont'd)

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- 1. Any act or omission of: (a) the Customer, (b) any other entity, other than the underlying carrier, furnishing service, equipment or facilities for use in conjunction with services provided by the Company; or (c) common carriers or warehousemen, other than the underlying carrier, except as contracted by the Company;
- 2. Any delay or failure of performance or equipment due to acts of God, military action, wars, insurrections, riots, or strikes;
- 3. All acts of God will be handled in compliance with the PUCO MTSS rule 4901.1-5-16C
- 4. Any unlawful or unauthorized use of the Company's services;

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## 2.1 <u>Undertaking of the Company</u> (cont'd)

## 2.1.4 Limitations on Liability (cont'd)

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- 4. Libel, slander, invasion of privacy or infringement of patents, trade secrets, or copyrights arising from or in connection with the material transmitted by means of Company-provided services; or by means of the combination of Company-provided facilities or services;
- 5. Changes in any of the operations or procedures of the Company that render any equipment, facilities or services provided by the Customer obsolete, or require modification or alteration of such equipment, facilities or services, or otherwise affect their use or performance, except where reasonable notice is required by the Company and is not provided to the Customer, in which event the Company's liability is limited as set forth in paragraph (A) of this Subsection 2.1.4.
- 6. Defacement of or damage to Customer premises resulting from the furnishing of services or equipment on such premises by the Company or any other carrier, installation or removal thereof;
- 7. Injury to property or injury or death to persons, including claims for payments made under Workers' Compensation law or under any plan for employee disability or death benefits, arising out of, or caused by, any act or omission of the Customer, or the construction, installation, maintenance, presence, use or removal of the Customer's facilities or equipment connected, or to be connected to the facilities of any other carrier;

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- 2.1.4 Limitations on Liability (cont'd)
  - G. (cont'd)
    - 8. Failure of Customer to comply with the requirements of Section 2.3.1.
    - 9. Any noncompletion of calls due to network busy conditions;
    - 10. Any calls not actually attempted to be completed during any period that service is unavailable;
    - 11. And any other claim resulting from any act or omission of the Customer or patron(s) of the Customer relating to the use of the Company's services.
  - H. The Company does not guarantee nor make any warranty with respect to installations provided by it for use in an explosive atmosphere.
  - I. The Company makes no warranties or representations, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, either in fact or by operation of law, statutory or otherwise, including warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular use, except those expressly set forth herein.
  - J. Failure by the Company to assert its rights pursuant to one provision of this tariff does not preclude the Company from asserting its rights under other provisions.

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## 2.1 <u>Undertaking of the Company</u> (cont'd)

- 2.1.4 Limitations on Liability (cont'd)
  - K. Company shall not be liable to Customer or any other person, firm or entity for any failure of performance hereunder if such failure is due to acts of God, military action, wars, insurrections, riots, or strikes. All acts of God will be handled in compliance with the MTSS rule 4901:1-5-16C.

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## 2.1 <u>Undertaking of the Company</u> (cont'd)

## 2.1.5 Notification of Service-Affecting Activities

The Company will provide the Customer reasonable notification of serviceaffecting activities that may occur in normal operation of its business. Such activities may include, but are not limited to, equipment or facilities additions, removals or rearrangements and routine preventative 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 activities. The Company will work cooperatively with the Customer to determine the 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.

## 2.1.6 Non-Routine Installation

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.

## 2.1.7 Availability of Service

- A. The Company shall use 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 the tariffs of the Company. If the Company fails to install service within 5 days of an application for service, it will provide credit allowances consistent with MTSS Rule 16.
- B. The Company shall negotiate a mutually agreed to installation date based on availability of services and facilities and the Customer's requested date.

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#### 2.1 <u>Undertaking of the Company</u> (cont'd)

#### 2.1.8 Universal Emergency Telephone Number Service

- A. This tariff does not provide for the inspection or constant monitoring of facilities to discover errors, defects or malfunctions in the service, nor does the Company undertake such responsibility.
- B. 911 information consisting of the names, addresses and telephone numbers of all telephone customers is confidential. The Company will release such information via the Data Management System only after a 911 call has been received, on a call by call basis, only for the purpose of responding to an emergency call in progress.
- C. The 911 calling party, by dialing 911, waives the privacy afforded by nonlisted and non-published service to the extent that the telephone number, name, and address associated with the originating station location are furnished to the Public Safety Answering Point.
- D. After the establishment of service, it is the Public Safety Agency's responsibility to continue to verify the accuracy of and to advise the Company of any changes as they occur in street names, establishment of new streets, changes in address numbers used on existing streets, closing and abandonment of streets, changes in police, fire, ambulance or other appropriate agencies' jurisdiction over any address, annexations and other changes in municipal and county boundaries, incorporation of new cities or any other similar matter that may affect the routing of 911 calls to the proper Public Safety Answering Point.

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#### 2.1.8 Universal Emergency Telephone Number Service (cont'd)

Ε. The Company assumes no liability for any infringement, or invasion of any right of privacy or any person or persons caused, or claimed to be caused, directly or indirectly by the use of 911 Service. Under the terms of this tariff, the Public Safety Agency must agree, except where the events, incidents, or eventualities set forth in this sentence are the result of the Company's gross negligence or willful misconduct, to release, indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Company from any and all loss or claims whatsoever, whether suffered, made, instituted, or asserted by the Public Safety Agency or by any other party or person, for any personal injury to or death of any person or persons, or for any loss, damage, or destruction of any property, whether owned by the customer or others. Under the terms of this tariff, the Public Safety Agency must also agree to release, indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Company for any infringement of invasion of the right of privacy of any person or persons, caused or claimed to have been caused, directly or indirectly, by the installation, operation, failure to operate, maintenance, removal, presence, condition, occasion, or use of 911 Service features and the equipment associated therewith, or by any services furnished by the Company in connection therewith, including, but not limited to, the identification of the telephone number, address, or name associated with the telephone used by the party or parties accessing 911 Service hereunder, and which arise out of the negligence or other wrongful act of the Public Safety Agency, its User, agencies or municipalities, or the employees or agents of any one of them, or which arise out of the negligence, other than gross negligence or willful misconduct, of the Company, its employees or agents.

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## 2.2 Prohibited Uses

- A. 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.
- B. The Company may require applicants for service who intend to use the Company's offerings for resale and/or for shared use to file a letter with the Company confirming that their use of the Company's offerings complies with relevant laws and the Commission's regulations, policies, orders, and decisions.
- C. The Company may block any signals being transmitted over its Network by Customers which cause interference to the Company or other Users. Customer shall be relieved of all obligations to make payments for charges relating to any blocked service and shall indemnify the Company for any claim, judgment or liability resulting from such blockage.
- D. A Customer, joint User, or authorized User may not assign, or transfer in any manner, the service or any rights associated with the service without the written consent of the Company. The Company will permit a Customer to transfer its existing service to another entity if the existing Customer has paid all charges owed to the Company for regulated communications services. Such a transfer will be treated as a disconnection of existing service and installation of new service, and non-recurring installation charges as stated in this tariff will apply.

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## 2.4 Payment Arrangements

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## 2.4.1 Advance Payments

The Company may require a customer to make an advance payment for special construction before a specific service or facility is furnished. In general, the advance payment will not exceed an amount equal to the non-recurring charge(s) for special construction for the service or facility. The advance payment will be credited to the Customer's initial bill.

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

#### 2.4.2 Deposits:

- To safeguard its interests, the Company may require the Customer to make A. a deposit to be held as a guarantee for the payment of charges. A deposit may be required if the customer's financial condition is not acceptable to the Company or cannot be ascertained from general accepted credit reporting sources. Acceptable credit establishment methods are contained in OAC §4901:1-17-03(A). A deposit does not relieve the Customer of the responsibility for the prompt payment of bills on presentation. All deposits will be handled in accordance with the provisions of MTSS Rule 4901: 1-17. The Company reserves the right to collect an amount not to expeed 230% of the estimated average monthly bill for the Customer's regulated services for the ensuing twelve months or the customer's average monthly bill based upon the Customer's service account billing history for the same recurring regulated charges for the class of service seeking to be established with the telecommunications provider from Customers whose credit history is unacceptable or unknown to the Company.
- B. <u>A deposit may be required in addition to an advance payment.</u>
- C. If service is discontinued prior to twelve consecutive months of payment by the customer, the Company shall automatically refund the Customer's deposit plus accrued interest, or the balance, if any, in excess of the unpaid bills including any penalties assessed for service furnished by the Company, within 45 days from the date of termination. Before the service or facility is discontinued, the Company, may at its option, return the deposit or credit to the Customer's account
- D. Deposits will accrue interest at the rate specified by the PUCO MTSS Rule 4901: 1-17-05 of the Ohio Administrative Code and will be refunded to in compliance with MTSS Rule 4901: 1-17-06.

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## 2.6 <u>Cancellation of Service/Termination Liability</u>

If a contract Customer cancels a service order or terminates services before the completion of the term for any reason (i) other than a service interruption or (ii) where the Company breaches the terms in the service contract, Customer may be requested by the Company to pay to the Company termination liability charges, which are defined below. These charges shall become due and owing as of the effective date of the cancellation or termination.

## 2.6.1 Termination Liability

A.

When a customer cancels an application for service prior to the start of service or prior to any special construction, no charges will be imposed except for those specified below.

Where the Company has notified a customer or prospective customer of the possibility that special expenses may be incurred in connection with provisioning their service, and then the Company does incur such expenses. Expenses could include special construction, or where special arrangements of facilities or equipment have begun before the Company received a cancellation notice. The charge will be equal to the costs actually incurred, less net salvage.

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# 2.6 <u>Cancellation of Service/Termination Liability</u> (cont'd)

# 2.6.1 <u>Termination Liability</u> (cont'd)

- B. Either party shall have the right to cancel services without liability if Company is prohibited from furnishing the Service or if any material rate or term contained herein is substantially changed by order of the Commission, the Federal Communications Commissions, or highest court of competent jurisdiction to which the matter is appealed, or other local, state or federal government authority.
- C. Customer shall also have the right to terminate this Agreement if the agreed Service is interrupted to Customer for over forty-eight (48) hours in any ninety (90) day period, provided the interruption was not caused by an event of force majeure, or any action of Customer or its agents or employees.
- D. When a customer cancels an application for service prior to the start of service or prior to any special construction, no charges will be imposed except for those specified below. Where the Company has notified a customer or prospective customer of the possibility that special expenses may be incurred in connection with provisioning their service, and then the Company does incur such expenses. Expenses could include special construction, or where special arrangements of facilities or equipment have begun before the Company received a cancellation notice. The charge will be equal to the costs actually incurred, less net salvage.

## 2.6.2 Billing Disputes

- A. Adjustments to Customers' Account shall be made to the extent that circumstances exist which reasonably indicate that such changes are appropriate.
- B. In the event of a billing dispute Customer may contact the Company at: Ohio Telecom, Inc. 125B Msple Street Port Clinton, Ohio 43452 Phone: 800.541.7779 And The Public Utility Commission of Ohio Public Interest Center 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215 Phone: 800-686-7826

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## 2.7 <u>Customer Liability for Unauthorized Use of the Network</u>

Unauthorized use of the network occurs when a person or entity that does not have actual, apparent, or implied authority to use the network, obtains the Company's services provided under this tariff.

### 2.7.1 Customer Liability for Fraud and Unauthorized Use of the Network

- A. The Customer is liable for the unauthorized use of the network obtained through the fraudulent use of a Company calling card, if such a card is offered by the Company, or an accepted credit card, provided that the unauthorized use occurs before the Company has been notified.
- B. A Company calling card is a telephone calling card issued by the Company at the Customer's request, which enables the Customer or User(s) authorized by the Customer to place calls over the Network and to have the charges for such calls billed to the Customer's account.

An accepted credit card is any credit card that a cardholder has requested or applied for and received, or has signed, used, or authorized another person to use to obtain credit. Any credit card issued as a renewal or substitute in accordance with this paragraph is an accepted credit card when received by the cardholder.

- C. The Customer must give the Company written or oral notice that an unauthorized use of a Company calling card or an accepted credit card has occurred or may occur as a result of loss, and/or theft.
- D. The Customer is responsible for payment of all charges for calling card services furnished to the Customer or to Users authorized by the Customer to use service provided under this tariff, unless due to the negligence of the Company. This responsibility is not changed due to any use, misuse, or abuse of the Customer's service or Customer-provided equipment by third parties, the Customer's employees, or the public.

The liability of the Customer for unauthorized use of the Network by credit card fraud will not exceed the lesser of fifty dollars (\$50.00) or the amount of money, property, labor, or services obtained by the unauthorized User before notification to the Company.

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## 2.8 Use of Customer's Service by Others

## 2.8.1 Resale and Sharing

Any service provided under this tariff may be resold to or shared with other persons at the option of Customer, subject to compliance with any applicable laws or Commission regulations governing such resale or sharing. The Customer remains solely responsible for all use of services ordered by it or billed to its telephone number(s) pursuant to this tariff, for determining who is authorized to use its services, and for notifying the Company of any unauthorized use.

## 2.8.2 Joint Use Arrangements

Joint use arrangements will be permitted for all services provided under this tariff. From each joint use arrangement, one member will be designated as the Customer responsible for the manner in which the joint use of the service will be allocated. The Company will accept orders to start, rearrange, relocate, or discontinue service only from the Customer. Without affecting the Customer's ultimate responsibility for payment of all charges for the service, each joint user shall be responsible for the payment of the charges billed to it.

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#### 2.10 Universal Emergency Number Service 9-1-1

Where requested by local government authorities, and subject to the availability of facilities, the Company will provide a universal number "911" dialing to its customers for simplified emergency access police, fire and other emergency services. 911 calls will be routed for answering to a Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) as designated by the local government unit authorized to establish and operate such systems. The Company does not undertake to answer and forward 911 calls, but furnishes the use of its facilities to enable the local government unit or its designee to answer and respond to such calls.

The 911 Calling Party, by calling 911 Service, gives consent for the Company to provide 911 information consisting of the name, address, telephone number, and other calling party information when available, to Law Enforcement Agencies and other emergency service providers on a call-by-call basis for the purpose of enabling those agencies or service providers to respond to emergency calls for assistance. Database inquiries for 911 information consisting of name, address, telephone number and other information when available, will only be allowed for purposes of dispatching or responding to 911 emergency calls or integrity verification as prescribed by the applicable state codes, rules or legislation.

Customers with Unlisted or Non-published numbers as well as those customers who have been requested per line blocking forfeits the privacy afforded by these services on calls made to 911.

The provision of 911 Service by the Company shall not be interpreted, construed, or regarded as being for the benefit or creating any Company obligation, either express or implied, toward any third person or legal entity other than the customer. The company's entire liability to any person for interruption or failure of 911 Service shall be limited to the terms specified in this Tariff by statute.

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## OHIO Telecom, Inc. Local Exchange Services

#### SECTION 3 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS

- 3.1 Local Exchange Service: The Company's Local Telephone Service provides a Customer with the ability to:
  - Place or receive calls to any calling Station in the customer's local calling area, as defined herein;
  - Access enhanced Universal Emergency Number 911 Service where available;
    - Access Operator Services;
  - Access Directory Assistance:
  - Access Telecommunications Relay Service.

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#### SECTION 3 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)

#### 3.2 Service Offerings

The following Company Services for residence/business Customers and for carriers certificated by the Commission are offered in this tariff:

	Standard Residence Line Standard Business Line	a
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	Directory Assistance	- D -
	Operator Service Local Calling Service	П
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	Blocking/Unblocking	
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	Service Order and Service Change Charges Maintenance Visit Charges	
	Directory Listings	п
•	Emergency Services Calling	
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All services offered in this tariff are subject to service order and service change charges where the Customer requests new services or changes in existing services, as well as indicated Non-Recurring and Monthly Recurring Charges. Charges for Local Calling Service are assessed on a measured rate basis and are additional to the charges shown for Standard Residence/Business Line, Key System Line, Digital Voice Grade/DS-1, as are other service charges.

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#### **3.2 Service Offerings**

#### 3.2.1 Standard Residence Line

The Standard Residence Line provides a Customer with a single, analog, voice-grade telephonic communications channel which can be used to place or receive one call at a time. Standard Residence Lines are provided for the connection of Customer-provided wiring and single station sets or facsimile machines.

#### 3.2.2 Standard Business Line

The Standard Business Line provides a Customer with a single, analog, voice-grade telephonic communications channel which can be used to place or receive one call at a time. Standard Business Lines are provided for the connection of Customer-provided wiring and single station sets or facsimile machines.

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## 3.2 <u>Service Offerings</u> (Cont'd)

## 3.2.4 Directory Assistance

Provides for identification of telephone directory numbers, via an operator or automated platform. Customers are provided with a maximum of 2 listings per each call to Directory Assistance.

## 3.2.5 Operator Service

Provides for live or automated operator treatment when Customer dials "0". Services include, but are not limited to, bill to originating telephone number, calling card, collect or to a third party.

### 3.2.6 Local Calling Service

This service provides for local calling service determined by NXX in a to and from grouping.

Business calls are billed at either a flat per call rate or at a measured rate of six (6) second increments with an initial billing period of eighteen (18) seconds.

At the time the Company offers, residential calls are billed at one of three options:

- 1. Flat rate service
- 2. Message rate service
- 3. Measured rate of one (1) minute increment with one (1) minute initial billing period

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# 3.2.9 Blocking Services

This service is a feature that permits customers to restrict access from their telephone to various discretionary services. The Company will offer one time free set up for blocking of all 900 and 900-type services. Subscribers will be given the option for blocking at the time their service is established. The Company will require written requests for unblocking. This service has no monthly or recurring charge.

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## 3.2 <u>Service Offerings</u> (Cont'd)

## 3.2.11 Service Order and Service Change Charges

Within sixty days of the date of initiation of service, new residential subscribers shall be allowed a one time change of their type of local exchange service without charge. The company may charge for the original service connection, monthly charges for the period such service was used, or the addition or removal of any optional local service.

Within sixty days of the date of change in their type of service, existing residential subscribers shall be allowed to return to their prior type of local exchange service once without charge. The company may charge for the previous service connection, monthly charges for the period such service was used, or the addition or removal of any optional local service.

## 3.2.12 Maintenance Visit Charges

Maintenance Visit Charges apply when the Company dispatches personnel to a Customer's premises to perform work necessary for resolving troubles reported by the Customer and the trouble is found to be caused by the Customer's facilities.

Maintenance Visit Charges will be credited to the Customer's account in the event trouble is not found in the Company facilities, but the trouble is later determined to be in facilities.

The time period for which the Maintenance Visit Charges is applied will commence when Company personnel are dispatched at the Customer premises and end when work is completed. The rates for Maintenance of Service vary by time per Customer request.

## 3.2.13 Directory Listings

For each Customer of Company-provided Exchange Service(s), the Company shall arrange for the listing of the Customer's main billing telephone number in the directory(ies) published by the dominant Local Exchange Carrier in the area at no additional charge. At a Customer's option, the Company will arrange for additional listings for an additional charge.

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#### 3.3 Service Offerings (Cost'd)

#### 3.2.13 Optional Features (descriptions)

<u>Automatic Callback</u> - Permits a Primary Station user who attempts an intercommunication call to a busy Primary Station to be automatically connected to that station when both called and calling stations are subsequently idle.

<u>Call Forwarding Busy</u> - Allows a station user to direct Call Forwarding Busy/Don't Answer calls based on whether the call originated from a station within the Centrex or a line outside of the Centrex.

<u>Call Forwarding - Don't Answer</u> - Permits the forwarding of calls that are not answered within predetermined number of rings, to a pre-selected station number.

<u>Call Forwarding – Variable</u> - Allows a Primary Station to have all calls automatically routed to another Primary Station. Each Primary Station equipped with this feature has the ability to activate and deactivate the forwarding as required.

<u>Call Hold</u> - Allows a user to place an established call on hold by depressing the switch hook and dialing a special code. The user can then make another call on the same line or return to a previously held call.

<u>Call Pick-Up</u> - Allows a station user to answer a call directed to another Primary Station within its pre-set pick-up group. This is accomplished by dialing a special code while the called station is ringing. Station users on an existing call may use this feature by depressing the switch hook which places the first call on hold and returns dial tone to dial the special pick-up code.

<u>Caller ID with Name</u> - Provides the name associated with the calling party number, or an indication of anonymity or unavailability in lieu of the name, to the called party. Caller ID with Name is an optional feature to Caller ID. Caller ID with Name is not provided without Caller ID.

<u>Call Waiting</u> - Provides tones to let a station user on a call know that a call is waiting. The existing call can be terminated or placed on hold so that the call can be answered.

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## SECTION 3 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)

## 3.3 Service Rates and Charges

#### 3.3.1 Local Exchange Service – Rates and Charges

A Local Exchange Service Customer will be charged applicable Non-Recurring Charges, monthly Recurring Charges and Message charges.

## 3.3.1.1 Non-Recurring Charges

Service	Residence	Business	
	<u>Max.</u>	Max.	
Service Connection Charge (per line)	\$75.00	\$75.00	
Service Connection Charge (per basic trunk) Service Connection Charge (per digital trunk)	\$75.00 \$300.00	\$75.00 \$300.00	
Installation Charge			
<ul> <li>Per digital transport facility</li> </ul>	\$600.00	) \$600.00	
Per DSO channel activated	\$75.00	\$75.00	
Per Trunk Group Configured for DID Svc.	\$500.00	\$\$00.00	
Subsequent Account Changes	\$75.00	\$75.00	
(Changes, Additions per order)			
Presubscription Change (all switched network acce	<b>ss)</b>	• •	
• 1 <sup>st</sup> line	\$5.00	\$5.00	
<ul> <li> additional lines per order</li> </ul>	\$1.50	\$1.50	
Optional Feature Activation (per order)	\$30.00	\$30.00	

NOTE:

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Non-Recurring account change charges will not apply during the initial 30 day period following completion of a service order.

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# 3.3 Service Rates and Charges

## 3.3.1 Local Exchange Service - Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

## 3.3.1.2 Monthly Recurring Charges .

Service	Residence	Business	
· ·	<u>Max.</u>	Max.	
Switched Network Access Channels	· · ·		
Zone A	•		
Basic Line, Per Line	\$45,00	\$65.00	
Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$45.00	\$65.00	
Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$45.00	\$65.00	
Zone B			
Basio Line, Per Line	\$45,00	565.00	
Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$45.00	\$65.00	
Digital Trunk, Por Trunk	\$45.00	\$65.00	
Zone C		· .	
Basic Line, Per Line	\$45.00	\$65.00	
Basic Trank, Per Trank	\$45,00	\$65.00	
Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$45.00	\$65.00	
Zone D	:	•	
Basic Line, Per Line	\$45.00	\$65.00	
Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$45.00	\$65.00	
Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$45.00	\$65.00	
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#### 3.3 Service Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

# 3.3.1 Local Exchange Service - Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

#### 3.3.1.2 Monthly Recurring Charges (Cont'd)

Optional Features:	Residential	Business
Automatic Callback	\$20.00	\$20.00
Call Forward Busy	\$20.00	\$20.00
Call Forward No Answer	\$20.00	\$20,00
Call Forward Variable	\$20.00	\$20.00
Call Hold	<b>\$2</b> 0.00	\$20,00
Calling Number Delivery	\$20.00	\$20.00
Calling Number Delivery w/ Name	\$20.00	\$20.00
Cailing Number Delivery Blocking - Per Line	\$20.00	\$20.00
Calling Number Delivery Blocking - Per Call	•	
Call Pickup, Group	\$20.00	\$20.00
Call Waiting	\$20.00	\$20.00
-(per arrangement)	\$20.00	\$20.00
-(per 20 DID numbers)	\$20.00	\$20.00

\*Calling Number Delivery Blocking – Per Line Charge is waived if the Customer has a Non-listed or a Non-published number.

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#### 3.3 Service Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

#### 3.3.1 Local Exchange Service – Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

#### 3.3.1.2 Usage Options

All Local Exchange Service Customers must order one of the following usage options. These rates will apply to all outgoing direct-dialed calls placed to Stations within the caller's local exchange area, as defined herein.

#### 3.3.1.2.1

<u>Per Message Rate</u>: The following rates will be applied on a per call basis, regardless of the duration of the call.

	Residence	e/Business
		<u>Max.</u>
Per Call	1	\$0.12

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Unlimited Local Calling (Residence Customers Only):

<u>Max.</u>

Per Month

\$30.00

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#### 3.3 Service Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

#### 3.3.2 Directory Assistance

A Customer may obtain Local Directory Assistance (DA) in determining telephone numbers within its local calling area by oalling the Directory Assistance operator. The Customer may request a maximum of two telephone numbers per call to Directory Assistance service without additional charges. Directory Assistance includes the option for call completion to the requested number at an additional charge as specified below. The Call Completion option provides, when selected by the customer, for the automatic dialing of the requested number.

Each call to Directory Assistance will be charged as follows:

	<u>Max.</u>
DA, Per call	\$1.00
DA, with Call Completion	 \$1.00

A credit will be given for calls to Directory Assistance as follows:

The Customer experiences poor transmission or is cut-off during the call; or

- The Customer is given an incorrect telephone number

To obtain such a credit, the Customer must notify Company's Customer Service representative.

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#### 3.3 Service Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

#### 3.3.3 Operator Assistance (Traditional)

A Customer may obtain the assistance of a local operator to complete local exchange telephone calls in the following manner.

<u>Third Number Billing</u>: Provides the Customer with the capability 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.

<u>Collect Calls</u>: 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.

<u>Calling Cards</u>: Provides the Customer with the capability to place a call using a calling card with or without the assistance of an operator.

<u>Person to Person</u>: 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.

<u>Station to Station</u>: Calls completed with the assistance of an operator to a particular Station. The call may be billed to the called party.

3.3.3.1 Operator Assisted (Traditional) Surcharges:

The following surcharges will be applied on a per call basis.

	•	<u> Max.</u>
Calling Card/Operator	;	\$4.00
Calling Card/Automatic		\$4.00
Third Number Billing		\$4.00
Collect Calling		\$4.00
Person to Person	ł	\$4.00
Station to Station	1	<b>\$4.0</b> 0

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# 3.4 Service Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

# 3.3.3 Operator Assisted (Traditional) (Contn'd)

- <u>3.3.3.2 Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service</u>: Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service, which is furnished where and to the extent that facilities permit, provides the Customer with the following options:
- <u>3.3.3.3 Busy Line Verification</u>: Upon request of the calling party, the Company will determine if the line is clear or in use and report to the calling party.
- <u>3.3.3.4 Busy line Verification with Interrupt</u>: The operator will interrupt the call on the called line only if the calling party indicates an emergency and requests interruption. The operator will then interrupt the call, advising the called party the name of the calling party.
- <u>3.3.3.5 Rates</u>: Rates for Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service, as specified below, will apply under the following circumstances:

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		<u>NIXX.</u>
<b>Busy Line Verification</b>		\$3.00
Busy Line Interrupt	•	\$3.00
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#### 3.3 Service Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

#### 3.3.4 <u>Directory Listings</u>

The Company shall provide a single directory listing, termed the primary listing, in the telephone directory published by the local exchange provider in the Customer's exchange area of the Station number which is designated as the Customer's main billing number. Directory listing of additional Company Station numbers, other than the Customer's main billing number, associated with a Customer's service will be provided for an additional monthly recurring charge per listing.

- 3.3.4.1 The Company reserves the right to limit the length of any listing in the directory by the use of abbreviations when, in its judgment, the clearness of the listing or the identification of the Customer is not impaired thereby. When more than one line is required to properly list the Customer, no additional charge is made.
- 3.3.4.2 The Company may refuse a listing which contains obscenities in the name, or any listing which, in the opinion of the Company, is likely to mislead or deceive calling persons as to the identity of the listed party, or is a contrived name used for advertising purposes or to secure a preferential position in the directory or is more elaborate than is reasonable necessary to identify the listed party. The Company, upon notification to the Customer, will withdraw any listing which is found to be in violation of its rules with respect thereto.
- 3.3.4.3 Each listing must be designated Government, Business, or Residence to be placed in the appropriate section of the directory. In order to aid the user of the directory, and to avoid misleading or deceiving the calling party as to the identity of the listed party, only business listings may be placed in the Business Section and only residential listing in the Residential Section. The Company, upon notification to the Customer, will withdraw any listing that is found to be in violation of its rules with respect thereto.
- 3.3.4.4 In order for listing to appear in an upcoming directory, the Customer must furnish the listing to the Company in time to meet the directory publishing schedule.

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#### 3.3.4 Directory Listings (Cont'd)

- 3.3.4.5 Directory listings are provided in connection with each Customer service as specified herein.
  - 3.3.4.5.1 <u>Primary Listing</u>: A primary listing contains the name of the Customer, or the name under which a business is regularly conducted, as well as the address and telephone number of the Customer. The listing is provided at no additional charge.
  - 3.3.4.5.2 <u>Additional Listings</u>: In connection with local exchange service, additional listings are available only in the name of Authorized Users of the Customer's service, as defined herein. Rates for additional listings are specified in Section 3.4.5.8 and 3.4.5.9
  - 3.3.4.5.3 <u>Nonpublished Listings</u>: Listings that are not printed in directories or available from Directory Assistance. A Nonpublished Telephone Service will be furnished, at the Customer's request providing the omission or deletion of the Customer's telephone listing from the telephone directory and, in addition, the Customer's telephone listing will be omitted or deleted from the directory assistance records, subject to the provisions set forth in Section 2.1.4. Rates for Nonpublished Listings are specified in Sections 3.4.5.8 and 3.4.5.9.
  - 3.3.4.5.4 <u>Nonlisted Numbers</u>: A Nonlisted number will be furnished at the Customer's request, providing for the omission or deletion of the Customer's listing from the telephone directory. Such listings will be carried in the Company's directory assistance and other records will be given to any calling party. Rates for Nonlisted Numbers are specified in Sections 3.4.5.8 and 3.4.5.9.

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- 3.3.4 Directory Listings (Cont'd)
  - 3.3.4.5.5 <u>Foreign Listings</u>: Where available, a listing in a phone directory which is not in the Customer's immediate calling area. The Customer will be charged the rates specified in the tariff published by the specific exchange carrier providing the Foreign Listings.
  - 3.3.4.5.6 <u>Alternate Call Listings</u>: Where available, a listing that references a telephone number that is not the primary listing for the Customer. The Customer must provide written verification that the alternate telephone number is authorized to accept calls.
  - 3.3.4.5.7 <u>Reference Listing</u>: A listing including additional telephone numbers of the same or another Customer to be called in the event there is not an answer from the Customer's telephone, Charges for reference listings are specified in Section 3.4.5.8 and 3.4.5.9.
  - 3.3.4.5.8 <u>Recurring Charges</u>: Monthly Recurring Charges associated with Directory Listings are as follows:

<del></del>	Per Listing or Per Number Charge Max.
Primary Listing	N/C
Additional Listing	\$4.00
Foreign, Alternate, and Reference Listings	<b>. \$4.00</b>
Non-Listed Number Non-Published Number	\$4.00 \$4.00

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#### 3.3.4 Directory Listings (Cont'd)

# 3.3.4.5.9 <u>Non-Recurring Charges</u>: Non-Recurring charges associated with Directory Listings are as follows:

	Per Listing or Per Number Charge <u>Max.</u>
Primary Listing	N/C
Additional Listing	\$15.00
Foreign, Alternate, and Reference Listings	\$15.00
Non-Listed Number	\$15.00
Non-Published Number	\$15.00

- 3.3.5 <u>Emergency Services</u> <u>induced 911</u>): 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 displayed to the primary E911 provider for display at the Public Service Answering Point (PSAP). Charges for Enhanced 9-1-1 will be a pass through of the charge imposed by the ILEC.
- 3.3.6 <u>Vanity Telephone Numbers</u>: At the request of the Customer, the Company may assign a telephone number with the last four digits selected by the Customer. The assignment is subject to availability of a particular number. There will be no charge for Vanity Telephone Numbers.

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### 3.3 Service Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

## **3.3.9 Special Promotions**

The Carrier may from time to time engage in special promotional trial service offerings of limited duration (not to exceed ninety days on a per customer basis for non-optional, recurring charges) designed to attract new subscribers or to increase subscriber awareness of a particular tariff offering. Requests for promotional offerings will be presented to the Commission for its review in accordance with rules and regulations established by the Commission, and will be included in the Carrier's tariff as an addendum to the Carrier's price lists. All promotions are offered on a non-discriminatory basis.

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#### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas:

Exchanges where ACC local exchange service is available and their associated local calling areas are specified below. NXX's associated with each particular exchange or zone may be found in the telephone directory published for the Customer's exchange area.

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### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

<u>EXCHANGE AREA</u> Aberdeen	<u>ACC</u> Aberdeen Ripley	<u>OTHER TEL COS</u> Maysville, Ky - S. Central Bell
Akron	Akron Atwater/1/ Greensburg office Hartville Kent Manchester Mogadore North Canton/1/ Uniontown Rsvenna/1/	Doylestown - Doylestown Hudson (342, 650 and 655 central as only) - Western Reserve Montrose - GTE Peninsula - Western Reserve Richfield - Western Reserve/1/ Wadsworth - GTE Sharon Center - GTE Rituman - Sprint Rootstown/1/
Alliance	Alliance Atwater Canton/1/ Marlboro Sebring	Damascus - Sprint/1/ N. Benton - Sprint N. Georgetown - GTE Paris - GTE
Alton	Columbus Met. Arce London	Cheshire Center - GTE Pataskaia - Sprint Rathbone - GTE Sunbury - Sprint Resaca - GTE
Arabia	Arabia Guyan Ironton Walnut	Chesapeake - GTE/1/
Atwater	Akron/1/ Atwater Alliance Kent/1/ Marlboro Ravenna/1/ Rootstown	(None)
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#### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

EXCHANGE AREA Barnesville

Beallsville

Beavercreek

ACC Barnesville Beallsville/1/ Bethesda Somerton

Fairview - Western Reserve Morristown - Western Reserve Quaker City - Western Reserve

OTHER TEL COS

(none)

Barnesville/1/ Bethesda Clarington Somerton Woodsfield

Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville

Yellow Springs - Clifton

Cedarville/1/

BROD Jamestown/1/ Medway New Carlisle Spring Valley Xenia Englewood - GTE Liberty - GTE Trotwood - GTE

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EXCHANGE	AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Bedford	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland	Bainbridge Brunswick Columbis 5 Hinckley - Northfield - Richfield - Russell - W	Vestern Reserve - Western Reserve - GTE Sta Alltel, Ohio Western Reserve - Western Reserve Vestern Reserve - Western Reserve - Western Reserve
Belfast	Belfast Hillsboro Marshall Sugar Tree Ridge	(none)	

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS		
Bellaire (Wheeling Zone	Wheeling Zone VI VI) Wheeling Zone VII Wheeling Zone VIII	Centerville - Western Reserve Powhattan Point - Western Reserve Wheeling Zone I - C&P of W. Va Wheeling Zone II - C&P of W. Va Wheeling Zone III - C&P of W. Va Wheeling Zone V - C&P of W. Va		
Belibrook	Dayton Met. An Donnelsville Enon Medway New Carlisle Spring Valley Xenia	ta Englewood - GTE Liberty - GTE Trotwood - GTE		
Belpre	Belpre Marietta*	Little Hocking - Western Reserve Mineralwells, W.Va-C&P of W.Va Parkensburg, W.Va -C&P of W. Va Valley Mills, W.Va-C&P of W. Va Barlow - GTE*		
Berez	Cleveland Met. Area Chosterland	Antora - Western Reserve Bainbridge - Western Reserve Brunswick - GTE Columbia Sta Alltel, Ohio Elyria - Alltel, Ohio* Hinckley - Western Reserve North Eaton - GTE* Northfield - Western Reserve Russell - Western Reserve Twinsburg - Western Reserve		
Bethesda	Bethesda Barnesville Beallsville Somerton Wheeling Zone VIII	Centerville - Western Reserve Montistown - Western Reserve		
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EXCHANCE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Bloomingburg	Bloomingburg Jeffersonville New Holland Sedalia Washington Ct. Hise.	Mt. Sterling - United*
Bloomingville	Bloomingville Castalia Sandusiry	(None)
Bowersville	Bowersville Jamestown Milledgeville Xenia	(None)
Brecksville	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland	Aurora - Western Reserve Bainbridge - Western Reserve Brunswick - GTE Columbia Sta Alltel, Ohio Hinckley - Western Reserve Northfield - Western Reserve Russell - Western Reserve Twinsburg - Western Reserve
Burton	Burton Chagrin Falls* Cleveland* E. Terrace*	Bainbridge - Western Reserve Chardon - Western Reserve Chardon - Western Reserve Huntsburg - Western Reserve Middlefield - Western Reserve Newbury - Western Reserve Parkman - Western Reserve
Canal Fulton	Canal Fulton Akton* Canton* Manchester Massillon	Russell - Western Reserve (None)
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC OTH	ER TEL COS
Canal Winchester	Columbus Met. Arca Carrol] Lancaster	Amands - GTE Baltimore - GTE Cheshire Center - GTE Pataskala - Sprint Ratibone - GTE Sunbury - Sprint
Canfield	Canfield North Jackson North Lima Salsm* Youngstown	Berlin Center - Sprint
Centon	Canton Alliance* Canal Fulton* Hartville Louisville Magnolia-Waynesburg Marlboro* Massillon Navare North Canton	Beach City - GTE* Bolivar - GTE Carrollton - GTE* Deliroy - GTE* Malvem - GTE Mineral City - GTE* Minerva - GTE Paris - GTE Brewster - GTE*
Carroll	Carroll Canal Winchester Columbus* Lancaster	Baltimore - GTE
Castalia	Castalia Bloomingville Sandusky	(None)

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Cedarville	Cedarville Jamestown Pitchin South Solon South Charleston Yellow Springs- Clifton Xenia Dayton/1/ Beavercreek/1/ Springfield/1/	(None)
Centerville	Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville Enon Medway Franklin New Carlisle Spring Valley	Baglewood - GTE Liberty - GTE Trotwood - GTE
Chagrin Falls	Burton/1/ Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland	Auron - Western Reserve Bainbridge - Western Reserve Brunswick - GTE Columbia Sta Alltel, Ohio Hinckley - Western Reserve Newbury - Western Reserve Northfield - Western Reserve Richfield - Western Reserve Russell - Western Reserve Twinsburg - Western Reserve

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Cheshire	Cheshire Gallipolis Vinton	Pomeroy - GTE/1/
Chesterland	Chesterland Cieveland Met. Area Kirtland	East Claridon - Western Reserve/1/ Newbury - Western Reserve Russell - Western Reserve
Christiansburg	Christiansburg Fletcher - Lena New Carlisle North Hampton	St. Paris - W. Ohio Tipp City - GTE Troy - GTE
Clarington	Clarington Beallsville Duffy Woodsfield	Powhatan Point - Western Reserve/1/

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Cleveland	Barton/1/ Cleveland Met Area Chesterland Leroy/1/	Autora - Western Reserve Bainbridge - Western Reserve Brunswick - GTE Columbua Sta Alltel, Ohio Bast Claridon - Western Reserve/1/ Elyria - Alltel, Ohio/1/ Grafton - GTE/1/ Hinckley - Western Reserve Montville - Western Reserve/1/ North Eaton - GTE/1/ Northfield - Western Reserve Perry - Western Reserve Perry - Western Reserve Perry - Western Reserve Perry - Western Reserve Russell - Western Reserve Twinsburg - Western Reserve Valley City - GTE/1/ Avon Lake - Century/1/
Columbiana	Columbiana Bast Palestine/1/ Lisbon Lectonia New Waterford North Lima Rogers Salem/1/ Youngstown	(None)

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#### EXCHANGE AREA

#### OTHER TEL COS

Columbus

Carroll/1/ Columbus Met Area London/1/

ACC

Ashville - GTE Baltimore - GTE/1/ Cheshire Center - GTE Delaware - GTE/1/ Johnstown - Sprint/1/ Kilboarne - GTE Mt. Sterling - Sprint/1/ Pataskala - Sprint Rathbone - GTE Sunbury - Sprint Granville - Altei/1/ Resacs - GTE Alexandria - Sprint/1/ Plain City - GTE

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EXCHANGE AREA Conesville	ACC Of Conesville	(Nome)
COLOSYINC	Coshocton	(11012)
	Dresden	
	West Lafayette	
Coming	Corning	(None)
-	New Lexington	
	Shawnee	
Coshocton	Coshocton	Cooperdale - GTE
	Conesville	Warsaw - GTE
	West Lafayette	<b>m</b>
Dalton	Dalton	Kidron - Sprint
		Orrville - Sprint
		Wooster - Sprint
Danville	Danville	Lynchburg - GTE
	Hillsboro	Mowrystown - GTE
Dente	Sugar Tree Ridge	Desetation (PPD)
Dayton	Dayton Met. Area	Brookville - GTE
	Donnelsville Enon	Englewood - GTE Farmersville - GTE
	Franklin	Germantown - Germantown
	Jamestown/1/	Gratis - GTE//
	Medway	Laura - GTE/1/
	Middletown/1/	Liberty - GTE
	New Cartisle	New Lebanon - GTE
	Spring Valley	Phillipsburg - GTE
	Yellow Springs -	Tipp City - GTE
	Clifton	Troy - GTE/1/
	Xenia	Trotwood - GTE
	Cedarville/1/	Waynesville - Sprint
	Trenton/1/	West Alexandriz - GTE/1/
		West Milton - GTE
		Lewisburg - GTE/1/
Donnelsville	Donnelsville	(None)
	Dayton Met. Area	
	Enon	
	Medway	
	New Carlisle	
	North Hampton	
	Springfield	
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS	
Dresden	Dresden Conesville Zanesville	Cooperdale - GTE Frazeysburg - United	
Dublin	Columbus Met Area	Cheshire Center - GTE Delaware - GTE/1/ Pataskala - United Plain City - GTE Rathbone - GTE Sunbury - United	
Duffy	Duffy Clarington Graysville New Matemoras Woodsfield	New Martinsville, W. Va - Bell Atlantic	
East Liverpool	East Liverpool Lisbon Rogers Salineville/1/ Wellsville	Chester, W. Va C&P of W. Va Hookstown, Pa Pa. Bell Smiths Ferry, Pa Pa. Bell	
East Palestine	East Palestine Columbiana/1/ Lisbon/1/ New Waterford Rogers Salem/1/ Youngstown/1/	E. Palestine, Pa Pa. Bell	
Enon	Enon Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville Springfield Yellow Springs- Clifton	(None)	
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS	
Fairborn	Dayton Met.	Englewood - GTE	
Call UVIA	Area	Liberty - GTE	
	Donnelsville	Trotwood - GTE	
	Enon		
	Medway		
	New Carlisie		
	Spring Valley		
	Yellow Springs -		
	Clifton		
Findlay	Findley	Arcadia - Arcadia	
•	•	Arlington - GTE	
		Benton Ridge - Benton Ridge	
		Bloomdale - Sprint/1/	
		Carey - GTE	
		Jenera - GTE	
		McComb - GTE	
		Mount Blanchard - GTE	
		Mount Cory - Orwell	
		North Baltimore - GTE/1/	
		Rawson - GTE Van Buren - GTE	
		Van Baren - Vanhe	
Flemher - Lena	Fietcher - Lena	St. Paris - W. Ohio	
Lecter - Teny	Christiansburg	Troy – GTE/1/	
	Piqua	1109 - 01141	
Fostoria	Fostoria	Arcadia - Arcadia	
1.0340114	New Riegel	Bascom - Bascom	
	IVOW INOGOI	Bloomdale - Sprint/1/	
		Risingson – Sprint	
Franklin	Dayton	Germantown - Germantown/1/	
	Centerville		
	Franklin		
	Miamisburg-West		
	Carrollton/1/	•	
	Middletown		
Fremont	Fremont	Bstaville - GTE	
	Lindsey	Clyde - GTE/1/	
		Gibsonburg - GTE	
		Green Springs – Sprint	
		Helena - GTE	
		Old Fort - Sprint	
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Fultonham	Fultonham	(None)
	New Lexington	
	Roseville	
	Somerset	
	Zanesville	
Gahanna	Columbus Met.	Cheshire Center - GTE
	Area	Johnstown - Sprint/1/
		Pataskala - Sprint
		Plain City - GTE
		Rathbone - GTE
		Sunbury - Sprint
Gallipolis	Gallipolis	Point Pleasant - C&P of W. Va.
-	Cheshire	
	Guyan	
	Rio Grande	
	Vinton	
	Walnut	

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#### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Gates Mills	Cieveland Met. Area Chesterland Kirtland Mentor East	Aurora - Western Reserve Bainbridge - Western Reserve Brunswick - GTB Columbia Sta Elyria Claridon - Western Reserve/1/ Hinckley - Western Reserve Northfield - Western Reserve Richfield - Western Reserve Russell - Western Reserve Twinsburg - Western Reserve
Girard	Girard Hubbard Niles Youngstown	Warren - Sprint/1/
Gienford	Glenford New Lexington Somerset Thornville	Newzrk - Alltel/I/

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#### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Guadenhutten	Gnadenhutten Newcomerstown Ubrichsville	New Philadelphia - GTE
Graysville	Graysville Duffy Lewisville New Matamoras Woodsfield	(None)
Greensburg	Greensburg Akron Manchester North Canton* Uniontown	(None)
Grove City	Columbus Met. Area Mt.	Cheshire Center - GTE Sterling - United* Pstaskala - United Rathbone - GTE Sunbury United
Groveport	Columbus Met. Arce	Cheshire Center - GTE Pataskala - United Rathbone - GTE Sunbury United
Guyan	Guyan Arabia Gallipolis Walnut	(None)
Harrisburg	Columbus Met. Ares Mt. London	Cheshire Center - GTE Sterling - United* Pataskala - United Rathbone - GTE Sunbury - United
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Hartville	Hartville Akron Canton Louisville Marlboro* North Canton Uniontown*	(None)
Hillcrest	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland Kirtland	Aurora - Western Reserve Bainbridge - Western Reserve Brunswick - GTE Columbia Sta Elyria East Claridon - Western Reserve Hinckley - Western Reserve Northfield - Western Reserve Richfield - Western Reserve Russell - Western Reserve Twinsburg - Western Reserve
Hilliard	Columbus Met. Area	Cheshire Center - GTE Pataskala - United Piain City - GTE Rathbone - GTE Sunbury - United Resaca - GTE
Hilsboro	Hillsboro Belfast Danville Marshall Rainsboro Sugar Tree Ridge	Lynchburg - GTE Mowrystown - GTE Sinking Spring - GTE* Leesburg - GTE*
Holland	Toledo Met.	Delta - Alitel* Lost Peninsula, Mich General of Mich. N. Sylvania, Mich - GTE Richfield Center-Berkey - United Swanton - United Sylvania - GTE Waterville - United
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Hubbard	Hubbard Ginard Lowellville Youngstown Sharon*	Lowellville, Pa Pa. Bell Warren - United*
Independence	Cieveland Met. Area Chesteriand	Aurora - Western Reserve Bainbridge - Western Reserve Brunswick - GTE Columbia Sta Elyria Hinckley - Western Reserve Northfield - Western Reserve Richfield - Western Reserve Russell - Western Reserve Twinsburg - Western Reserve
Ironton	Ironton Arabia	Chesapeake - GTE*
Jamestown.	Jamestown Besvercreek* Bowersville Cedarville Dayton* Jeffersonville Milledgeville Sonth Solon Xenia	(Nonc)
Jeffersonville	Jeffersonville Bloomingburg Jamestown Milledgeville Sedalia South Solon Washingtown Ct. Hse.	(Nane)

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS	
Kent	Kent Akron Arwater* Mantua Mogadore Ravenna Rootstown	Anrora - Western Reserve Hudson - Western Reserve Hirrm - Western Reserve*	
Kirtland	Kirtland Chesterland Gates Mills Hillcrest Mentor Painesville Terrace Wickliffe Willoughby	(None)	
Lancasier	Lancaster Canal Winchester Carroll Rushville Sugar Grove	Amanóa - GTE Baltimore - GTE Bremen - GTE (T) Millersport - GTE Picasantville - GTE	
Lectonia	Lectonia Lisbon Columbiana Salem Yonngstown*	(None)	
Leroy	Leroy Cleveland* Mentor* Painesville Willoughby*	(None)	
Lewisville	Lewisville Graysville Woodsfield	(None)	
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Lindsey	Lindsey Fremont	(None)
Lisbon	Lisbon Columbiana East Liverpool East Palestine* Lectonia Rogers Salem Salineville Wellsville New Waterford*	Hanoverton - GTE Winona - GTE
Lockbourne	Columbus Met. Area	Ashville - GTE Cheshire Center - GTE Pataskala - Sprint Rathbone - GTE Sunbury - Sprint
London	London Alton Columbus * Harrisburg Sedalia South Charleston South Solon South Vienna West Jefferson	Resaca - GTE
Louisville	Lonisville Canton Hartville North Canton	(None)
Lowellville	Lowellville Hubbard North Lima Youngstown	Lowellville, Pa Pa. Bell
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Magnolia - Waynesburg	Magnolia - Waynesburg Canton	Mineral City - GTE*
Manchester	Manohester Akron Canal Fulton	(None)
Mantua	Greensburg Mantua Kent Ravenna	Aurora - Western Reserve Hiram - Western Reserve
Marietta	Marietta Newport Belpre* New Matamonas*	Barlow - GTE Barileti - United* Beverly - GTE Denter City - GTE* Lowell - GTE Lower Salem - GTE Watertown - GTE Williamstown, W. VaC& P of W. Va.
Marlboro	Marlboro Alliance Atwatar Canton* Hartville* Rootstown	(None)
Marshall	Marshall Belfasi Hillsbore Rainsbore	(None)
Martins Ferry Bridgeport (Wheeling Zone VII) Wheeling Zone	Wheeling Zone VII Wheeling Zone VI	Adena - GTE Dillonvale - Mt. Pleasant- GTE Tiltonsville - GTE Wheeling Zone I - C&P of W. Va. Wheeling Zone II - C&P of W. Va. Wheeling Zone III- C&P of W. Va. Wheeling Zone V - C&P of W. Va.
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Masailion	Messillon Canal Fulton Canton Dalton Navarre North Canton	Beach City - GTE Brewster - GTE Wilmot - GTE
Mánnee	Toledo Met. Area	Grand Rapids - GTE Lost Peninsula, Mich - General of Mich. N. Sylvania, Mich - GTE Richfield Center - Berkey - United Swanton - United Sylvania - GTE Waterville United
Medway	Medway Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville New Carlisle Springfield	(Nane)
Mentor	Mentor Gates Mills Kirtland Leroy* Painesville Wickliffe Willonghby	Perry - Western Reserve*
Miamisburg - West		
Carrollton	Dayton Met. Area Donnelsville Enon Franklin* Medway New Carliale Spring Valley	Englewood - GTE Farmersvilie - GTE Germantown - Germantown Granis - GTE* Liberty - GTE Trotwood - GTE

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Middletown	Middletown Dayton/1/ Franklin Mource Trenton	Germantown - Germantown Gratis - GTB Seven Mile - Cincinnati Bell
Milledgeville	Milledgeville Bowersville Jamestown Jeffersonville Washington Ct. Hsc.	(None)
Mingo Junction	Mingo Junction Steubenville	Brilliant - GTE
Mogadore	Mogadore Akron Kent Uniontown	(None)
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Monroe	Monroe Middletown Trenton	Cincinnati - Cincinnati Bell Hamilton - Cincinnati Bell
Montrose	Cieveland Met. Area Chrsterland	Anrora - Western Reserve Bainbridge - Wastern Reserve Brunswick - GTE Columbia Sta Alltel, Ohio Hinckley - Western Reserve Northfield - Western Reserve Richfield - Western Reserve Russell - Western Reserve Twinsburg - Western Reserve
Murray City	Murray City Nelsonville Shawnee	Giouster - Sprint/1/

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Navarre	Navarre Canton Massillon	Beach City - GTE Brewster - GTE
Nelsonville	Nelsonville Murray City Shawnee	Athens - GTE/1/ Logan - GTE/1/ Now Marshfield - GTE/1/ The Plains - GTE/1/
New Albany	Columbus Met. Area	Cheshire Center - GTE Johnstown - Sprint/1/ Pataskala - Sprint Sunbury - Sprint Rathbone - GTE Plain City - GTE
New Carlisle	New Carlisle Christiansburg Dayton Met. Are Donnelsville Medway North Hampton Springfield	
Newcomerstown	Newcomersiown Gnadenhutten West Lafayette	(None)

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EXCHANCE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
New	Holland New Bloomingburg Washington Ci. Hae.	Holland (None)
New Lexington	New Lexington Coming Fultonham Glenford Roseville Shawnee Somerset Thomville Zanesville/1/	Junction City - Sprint

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
New Matamoras	New Matamoras Duffy Graysvilie Marietta/1/ Newport	(None)
Newport	Newport Mariotta New Matamoras	(None)
New Riegel	New Riegel Fostorie Tiffin	Bascom - Bascom Vanlue - Vanhue
New Waterford	New Waterford Columbians East Palestine Rogets Lisbon/1/ North Lima/1/ Salem/1/ Youngstown/1/	E. Palestine, Pa Pa. Bell

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER THL COS
Niles	Niles Girard North Jackson/1 Youngstown/1/	Cortiand - Sprint/1/ Warren - Sprint /
North Carson	North Canton Akron/1/ Canai Fulton Canton Greensburg/1/ Hartville Louisville Massilion Uniontown/1/	(None)

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EXCHANGE AREA North Hampton	ACC North Hampto Christiansburg Donnelsville New Carlisle Springfield Tremont City	
North Jackson	North Jackson Canfield Lake Niles/1/ Youngstown	Berlin Center - Sprint Milton Sprint /1/ Warren - Sprint/1/
North Lima	North Lima Canfield Columbiana Lowellville Youngstown New Waterford	Lowellville, Pa Pa. Bell
North Royalton	Cleveland Met.	Aurora - Western Reserve
	Area Chesterland	Bainbridge - Western Reserve Branswick - GTE
	COSSISTANO	····
		Columbia Sta Elyria
		Elyria - Alltel/1/
		Hinckley - Western Reserve
		North Eaton - GTE/1/
		Northfield - Western Reserve
		Richfield - Western Reserve
		Russell - Western Reserve
	•	Twinsburg - Western Reserve
Norwich	Norwich	New Concord - GTE
	Philo	
	Zanesville	
Olmsted Falls	Cleveland Met.	Anrora - Western Reserve
	Агеа	Bainbridge - Western Reserve
	Chesterland	Brunswick - GTE
		Columbia Sta Elyria
		Elyria - Elyria/1/
		Hinckley - Western Reserve
		North Eaton - GTE/1/
		Northfield - Western Reserve
		Richfield - Western Reserve
		Russell - Western Reserve
		Twinsburg - Western Reserve
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EXCHANGE AREA	<u>ACC</u>	OTHER TEL COS
Painesville	Painesville Kirtland Leroy Mentor Willoughby	Perry - Western Reserve Madison - Western Reserve* Montville - Western Reserve* Chardon - Western Reserve* (N)
Perrysburg	Toledo Met. Area	Lost Peninsula. Mich - General of Mich. North Sylvania, Mich GTE Sylvania - GTE Richfield Center - Betkey - United Swanton - United Waterville United
Philo	Philo Norwich Roseville Zanesville	(None)
Piqua	Pique Fletcher - Lena	Bradford - United* Covington - Alltel Troy - GTE*
Pitchin	Pitchin Cedarville South Charleston Springfield Yellow Springs Clifton	(None)
Rainsboro	Rainsboro Hillsboro Marshall	Greenfield - GTE*

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Revenne	Akron* Atwater* Ravenna Kent Mantua Rootstown	Garretisville - GTE Wayland - Sprint Windham - Sprint Hiram - Western Reserve*
Reynoldsburg	Columbus Met. Area	Baltimore - GTE* Cheshire Center - GTE Pataskala - Sprint Rathbone - GTE Sunbury - Sprint Alexandria - Sprint*
Rio Grande	Rio Grande Gallipolis Vinton Walnut	(None)
Ripley	Ripley Aberdeen	Decatur - GTE Georgetown - GTE Russellville - GTE Higginsport - GTE*
Rogers	Rogers Columbiana East Liverpool East Palestinc Lisbon New Waterford	East Palestine, Pa Pa. Bell
Rootstown	Rooistown Arwater Kent Mariboro Ravenna Akron*	(None)
Roseville	Roseville Fultosham New Lexington Philo Zanesville	Crooksville - Sprint*
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Rushville	Rushville Lancaster Somerset Thornville	Bremen - GTE Piezsantville - GTE
St. Clairsville (Wheeling Zone VIII)	Bethesda Wheeling Zone VIII Wheeling Zone VI Wheeling Zone VII	Flushing - GTE Morristown - Western Reserve Wheeling Zone I - C&P of W. Va.
Salem	Canfield/1/ Bast Palestine/1/ Salem Columbiana/1/ Lectonis Lisbon New Waterford/1/ Youngstown/1/	
Salineville	Salineville East Liverpool/1/ Lisbon Wellsville	(None)

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Sandusky	Sandusky Bloomingville Castalia	Huron - GTE Kelley's Island - GTE Milan - GTE/1/
Sebring	Sebring Alliance	Damescus - Sprint North Benton - Sprint North Georgetown - GTE
Sedalia	Sedalia Bloomingburg Jeffersonville London South Solon	(None)

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Sharon	Sharon Hubbard* Youngstown*	Sharon, Pa Pa. Bell Sharpsville, Pa Pa. Bell West Middlesex, Pa Pa. Bell Warren - United* Hartford - United*
Shawnec	Shawnee Cotning Murray City Nelsonville New Lexington	Logm - GTB*
Somerset	Somerset Fultonham Glenford New Lexington Rushville Thornville	Junction City - United
Somerton .	Somerton Barnesville Beallsville Bethesda Woodsfield	(None)
South Charleston	South Charleston Cedarville London Pitchin South Solon South Vienna Springfield	(None)
South Solon	South Solon Cedarville Jamestown Jeffersonville London Sedalia South Charleston	(None)
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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS	
South Vienna	South Vienna London South Charleston Springfield	Catawba – GTE /1/	
Springfield	Springfield Donnelsville Enon Medway New Carlisle North Hampton Pitchin South Charleston South Vienna Tremont City Yellow Springs - Clifton/1/ Cedarville/1/		
Spring Valley	Spring Valley Dayton Met. Are Xenia	(none) a	
Steubenville	Stenbenville	Amsterdam - GTE Bergholz - GTE/1/ Bloomingdale - Western Reserve Brilliant - GTE Dillionvals-Mt. Pleasant - GTE/1/ Follansbee, W. Va C&P of W. Va. Hopedale - Western Reserve/1/ Knoxville - GTE Richmond - GTE Smithfield - GTE Weirton, W. Va C&P of W. Va. Tiltonsville - GTE/1/	
	Mingo Junction Toronto		
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EXCHANCE AREA	AQC	OTHER TEL COS
Strongsville	Cleveland Met. Area Chesterland	Aurora - Western Reserve Bainbridge - Western Reserve Brunswick - GTE Columbia Sta Elyria Elyria - Alltel/1/ Hinckley - Western Reserve North Eston - GTE/1/ Northfield - Western Reserve Richfield - Western Reserve Russell - Western Reserve Twinsburg - Western Reserve
Sugar Grove	Sugar Grove Lancaster	(None)
Sugar Tree Ridge	Sugar Tree Ridg Belfast Danville Hillsboro Winchester	e Mowrystown - GTE
Теггасе	Cleveland Met. Area Bunton/1/ Chesterland Kirtiand	Aurora - Western Reserve Bainbridge - Western Reserve Brunswick - GTE Columbia Sta Elyria Hinckley - Western Reserve Northfield - Western Reserve Richfield - Western Reserve Russell - Western Reserve
Thomyilie	Thornville Glenford New Lexington Rushville Somerset	Twinsburg - Western Reserve Hebron - Sprint Millersport - GTE Pleasantville - GTE Newark - Alltel/1/

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EXCHANCE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Tiffin	Tiffin New Riegel	Attica - GTE* Bascom - Bascom Bloomville - GTE MoCutchenville - Sycamore* Melmore - Sycamore Old Fort - United Republic - GTE Sycamore - Sycamore* Bettsville - GTE
Toiedo	Toledo Met. Area	Curtice-Oregon - GTE Delta - Alltel* Elmore - GTE Brie, Mich General of Mich. Genos - GTE Grand Rapids - GTE Haskins-Tontogany - GTE* Lambertville, Mich Whiteford (Mich) - Alltel, Mich. Lost Peninsula, Mich General of Mich. Luckey - United* Moline - United N. Sylvania, Mich GTE Richfield Center - Berkey - United Stany Ridge - United Swanton - United Sylvania - GTE Temperance, Mich General of Mich. Waterville - United Metamora - United

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EXCHANGE ARBA ACC OTHER TEL COS
Toronto Toronto Knoxville - GTE
Steubenville
Wellsville
Tremont City (None)
North Hampton
Springfield

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Trenton	Trenton Sever Dayton/1/ Middletown Monroe	1 Mile - Cincinnati Bell
Trinity	Hinckley - North Baton -	- Alltel, Ohio Alltel, Ohio/1/ Western Reserve GTE/1/ Western ReserveRichfield Western Reserve Western Reserve
Unrichsville	Uhrichsville Bo Gnadenhutten F	
Uniontown	Uniontown (Nor Akron Greensburg Mogadore Hartville/1/	
Upper Sandusky	McCuto Nevada Sycamo	· Carey - GTE ar - GTE chenville - Sycamore/1/

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**EXCHANGE AREA** 

Vandalia

Dayton Met. Area

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Englewood - GTE /1/ Liberty - GTE Tipp City - GTE\* Trotwood - GTE Troy - GTE\*

OTHER TEL COS

Donneisville Enon Medway New Carlisle Spring Valley

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Victory	Cleveland Met. Aurora - Area	Western Reserve
	Bambridge -	Western Reserve
	Chesterland Brunswick -	GTE
	Columbia Sta.	Alltel, Ohio
	Elyria -	Alitel/1/
	Hinckley -	Western Reserve
	North Eaton -	GTE/I/
	Northfield -	Western Reserve
	Richfield -	Western Reserve
•	Russell -	Western Reserve
	Twinsburg -	Western Reserve
Vinton	Vinton	(None)
	Cheshire	
	Gallipolis	
	Rio Grande	
Walnut	Walnut	(None)
	Arabia	
	Gallipolis	
	Guyan	
	Rio Grande	
Washington Court	Washington Ct.	(Nane)
House	Hse.	
	Bloomingburg	
	Jeffersonville	
	Milledgeville	
	New Holland	

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EXCHANGE AREA	<u>ACC</u>	OTHER TEL COS
Wellsville	Wellsville Bast Liverpool Lisbon Salineville Toronto	Chester, W. Va C&P of W. Va.
Westerville	Columbus Met. Area	Cheshire Center - GTE Delsware - GTE/1/ Johnstown - Sprint/1/ Kilbourne - GTE/1/ Panskala - Sprint Plain City - GTE Ratisbone - GTE Sunbury - Sprint

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## 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL. COS
West Jefferson	Columbus Met. Area London Plain City - Rathbone - Sunbury Resaca -	Cheshire Center - GTE Pataskala - United GTE GTE United GTE
West Lafayette	West Lafzyette Conesville Coshocton Newcomenstown	(None)
Whitchouse		
Wickliffe	Bainbridge - Wes Chesterland Bran Kirtland Columbi Mentor Hinckley	

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ACC	OTHER TEL COS			
Cieveland Met. Aprora - Western Reserve				
Area	Bainbridge - Western Reserve			
Chosterland B	Brunswick - GTE			
Kirtland Colu	mbia Sta Alltel, Ohio			
Leroy/1/Finckley - Western Reserve				
-	hfield - Western Reserve			
Painesville Pe	rry - Western Reserve/1/			
	Richfield - Western Reserve			
	Russell - Western Reserve			
	Twinsburg - Western Reserve			
Winchester	Sardinia - GTE/1/			
Sugar Tree	Seaman - GTE			
Ridge West	Union - GTE/1/			
Woodsfield (N	[one)			
Beallsville				
Clarington				
Duffy				
Gravsville				
Lewisville				
Somerion				
Columbus Met. Cheshir	e Center - GTB			
Árca	Delaware - GTE/1/			
	Kilbourne - GTE/1/			
	Pataskala - Sprint			
	Plain City - ĜIE			
	Rathbone - GTE			
	Cleveland Me Area Chesterland E Kirtland Colu Leroy/1/Hind Mentor North Painesville Pe Winchester Sugar Tree Ridge West Woodsfield (N Beallsville Clarington Duffy Graysville Lewisville Somerton			

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Sunbury - Sprint

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EXCHANGE AREA

ACC OTHER TEL COS

Xenia

Xenia New Burlington - GTE Beavercreek Port William - GTE/1/ Bellbrook Bowersville Cedarville Jamestown Spring Valley Yeliow Springs -Clifton Dayton

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EXCHANGE AREA	ACC	OTHER TEL COS
Yellow Springs - Clifton	Yellow Springs Clifton Beavercreek Cedarville Dayton Enon Fairborn Pitchin Xenia Springfield*	(None)
Youngstown	Youngstown Canfield Columbiana East Palestine* Girard Hubbard Loetonia* Lowellville Niles* North Jackson North Lime New Waterford* Salem* Sharon*	Loweliville, Pa Pa. Bell Berlin Center - United Cortiand - United* Warren - United*
Zanesville	Zanesville Dresden Fultonham Norwich	Adamsville - United Frazeysburg - United Gratiot - Newark
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AKRON LATA (NPA: 330)

Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Erchange	Access
		Area			Area
208	Akron	В	484	Canton	D
252	Altron	В	488	Canton	D
253	Akron	В	489	Canton	D
255	Akron	В	490	N.Canton	D
258	Akron	B	<b>49</b> 1	N.Canton	a
274	Mantua	D	492	Canton	D
296	Ravenna	D	493	Canton	D
297	Ravenna	D	494	N.Canton	D
305	N.Canton	D	495	Canton	D
325	Rootstown	D	497	N.Canton	D
346	Kent	D	498	N.Canton	D
370	Akron	B	499	N.Canton	D
374	Akron	B	515	Akron	B
375	Airon	В	535	Akron	В
376	Akron	B	543	Akron	В
379	Akron	B B	<i>5</i> 80	Canton	D
384	Akron	B	588	Canton	D
422	Kent	D	615	Akron	B
\$30	Canton	D	626	Kent	D
134	Akron	В	628	Mogadore	D
138	Canton	D	630	Akron	D
50	Canton	D	633	Akron	D
151	Canton	D	634	Akron	D
52	Canton	D	643	Akron	В
53	Canton	D	644	Akron	D
54	Canton	D	645	Akron	D
55	Canton	D	649	Canton	D
56	Canton	D	672	Kent	D
58	Canton	D	673	Kent	D
71	Canton	D	576	Kent	D
77	Canton	D	677	Kent	D
78	Canton	D	678	Kent	D
79	Canton	D			

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Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access
	Area			Area	
<b>68</b> 6	Akron	С	849	Akron	в
688	Akron	С	854	Canal Fulton	D
699	Uniontown	D	860	Akron	D
706	Akron	D	864	Akron	С
724	Akron	С	865	Akron	С
733	Akron	С	866	Magnolia-Wayı	nes D
745	Akron	D	867	Akron	C
753	Akron	D	869	Akton	С
761	Akron	В	871	Louisville	D ·
762	Akron	B	873	Akron	C
773	Akron	C	875	Louisville	D
780	Akron	C	877	Hartville	D
784	Akron	С	879	Navarre	D
785	Akron	С	882	Manchester	D
794	Akron	C	895	Greensburg	D
796	Akron	С	916	Akron	С
798	Akron	С	920	Akron	С
821	Alliance	D	922	Airon	С
823	Alliance	D	923	Alaon	С
825	Akron	D	<b>92</b> 8	Akron	С
828	Dalton	D	929	Akron	С
829	Alliance	D	935	Mariboro	D
830	Massillon	D	938	Sebring	D
832	Massilion	D	940	Alcron	С
833	Massillon	D	945	Akron	С
834	Massillon	D	<b>9</b> 47	Atwater	D
835	Akron	С	966	N.Canton	D
836	Massillon	D	972	Akron	в
848	Akron	D	996	Akton	B

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A. Network Access Area Designations (cont'd)

#### CLEVELAND LATA (NPA: 216)

Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Erchange	Access
	Area	l .		Area	
201	Cleveland	С	360	Terrace	с
206	Cleveland	č	361	Cleveland	B
221	Cieveland	B	362	Cieveland	č
222	Cleveland	B	363	Cleveland	B
226	Cieveland	В	368	Cieveland	B
227	Cleveland	В	371	Cleveland	B
225	Cleveland	B	378	Terrace	С
229	Cleveland	B	381	Cleveland	С
231	Cleveland	B	382	Cieveland	С
241	Cleveland	В	383	Cieveland	С
249	Cleveland	В	391	Cleveland	В
251	Cieveland	С	394	Cleveland	В
252	Cieveland	с с	397	Cleveland	В
<b>2</b> 61	Cleveland	С	398	Cleveland	С
265	Cleveland	C	420	Cleveland	В
26 <del>6</del>	Cieveiand	С	421	Cleveland	В
267	Cleveland	С	429	Cleveland	С
268	Cieveland	в	431	Cleveland	В
<b>27</b> 1	Cieveland	С	432	Cieveland	В
<b>28</b> 1	Cleveland	B	433	Cleveland	С
283	Cleveland	В	436	Cleveland	В
289	Cleveland	С	441	Cleveland	С
291	Cleveland	С	443	Cleveland	B
292	Terrace	С	444	Cleveland	В
295	Cleveland	B	445	Cleveland	В
298	Cleveland	В	447	Independence	С
321	Cleveland	B	451	Cleveland	В
328	Independence	С	459	Cleveland	С
341	Cleveland	С	464	Тетласе	С
344	Cleveland	В	471	Cleveland	B

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#### CLEVELAND LATA (NPA: 216) (cont'd)

Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access
	Area			Arca	
479	Cloveland	в	590	Terrace	С
481	Cleveland	C	591	Terrace	С
485	Cleveland	Ċ	592	Cleveland	B C
486	Cleveland	С	595	Terrace	С
<b>49</b> 1	Cleveland	B	606	Independence	С
514	Tenace	С	615	Cleveland	в
515	Cleveland	в	619	Cleveland	в
518	Montrose	С	621	Cleveland	В
520	Independence	С	622	Cleveland	В
521	Cleveland	B	623	Cieveland	B
522	Cieveland	В	624	Cieveland	В
523	Cleveland	В	631	Cleveland	В
524	Independence	С	634	Cieveland	В
52 <del>9</del>	Cleveland	в	635	Cleveland	С
531	Cleveland	С	636	Cleveland	В
<b>54</b> 1	Cieveland	В	640	Cieveland	С
556	Cleveland	В	<del>64</del> 1	Cleveland	C
561	Cleveland	В	642	Independence	С
563	Cleveland	B	643	Independence	C
566	Cleveland	В	651	Cieveland	В
573	Independence	С	661	Cleveland	С
574	Cleveland	В	662	Montrose	С
575	Cleveland	В	663	Montrose	Ç
578	Cleveland	В	664	Cleveland	В
579	Cleveland	B	671	Cleveland	C .
581	Montrose	С	674	Independence	С
583	Cleveland	В	676	Cieveland	С
586	Cleveland	B	681	Cleveland	B
587	Montrose	С	687	Cleveland	В
589	Cieveland	В	689	Cleveland	B

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## CLEVELAND LATA (NPA: 216) (conf'd)

Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access
,	Are	<u>k</u>		Area	
690	Terrace	С	822	Cieveland	В
691	Cleveland	Ċ	828	Cleveland	В
692	Cleveland	С	830	Cleveland	В
<del>694</del>	Cleveland	В	831	Terrace	С
696	Cleveland	В	839	Terrace	C
707	Cleveland	В	844	Cleveland	в
721	Cleveland	В	851	Cleveland	В
728	Cleveland	B	858	Cleveland	B
731	Cleveland	С	861	Cleveland	В
732	Cleveland	С	875	Cleveland	В
736	Cleveland	В	880	Terrace	С
737	Cleveland	в	851	Cleveland	В
738	Cleveland	C	883	Cleveland	С
739	Cleveland	C	88 <del>9</del>	Cleveland	С
741	Cleveland	CC	901	Independence	С
749	Cleveland	С	902	Cleveland	В
751	Cleveland	В	916	Cieveland	C
752	Cleveland	В	920	Cleveland	В
754	Cleveland	В	921	Cieveland	B
761	Cieveland	В	931	Cleveland	в
765	Terrace	Ċ	932	Cleveland	В
766	Terrace	С	937	Cleveland	В
771	Cieveland	В	939	Cleveland	В
772	Cleveland	В	941	Cleveland	C
774	Cleveland	В	957	Cleveland	C
778	Cleveland	С	961	Cleveland	В
781	Cleveland	В	976	Cleveland	B
787	Cleveland	В	<b>97</b> 7	Cleveland	С
<b>79</b> 1	Cleveland	B	983	Cleveland	B
795	Cleveland	B	986	Independence	C
797	Cleveland	С	987	Cleveland	B
802	Cleveland	В	991	Cleveland	В
813	Cleveland	С	999	Cieveland	B

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## CLEVELAND LATA (NPA: 440)

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Prefix	Krchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange Area	Access
	Area				
205	Mentor	D	442	Hilicrest	C
209	Mentor	D	446	Hillcrest	Ç
230	North Reyalton	D	449	Hillcrest	С
232	Bedford	Đ	456	Hillcrest	С
234	Berea	č	460	Hillcrest	С
235	Olmsted Falls	D	461	Hillcrest	С
235 237	North Royalton	D	473	Hilcrest	С
	Strongsville	D	483	Hillcrest	С
238	Berea	č	498	Chagrin Falls	D
243	Chagrin Falls	D	516	Wickliffe	С
247	Chagrin Falls	Ď	519	Chagrin Falls	D
248		Č	526	Brecksville	D
250	Trinity	D	542	Solon	D
254	Leroy	ס	546	Brecksville	$\boldsymbol{D}$
255	Mentor Kirkland	D	572	Strongsville	D
256		D	582	North Royalton	D
257	Mentor	C D	585	Wickliffe	C .
260	Berea	č	602	Willoughby	С
269	Willoughby	c	603	Hilkcrest	С
331	Cleveland	c	604	Hillerest	Ċ
333	Cleveland	D	605	Hillcrest	С
349	Chagrin Falls	D	627	Brecksville	D
350	Painesville		639	Painesville	D
352	Painesville	D	646	Hillcrest	C
354	Painesville	D	<b>68</b> 6	Trinity	ç
356	Cieveland	ç	716	Trinity	č
357	Painesville	D		Brecksville	D
392	Painesville	D	717	Hillcrest	č
395	Hillcrest	С	720	Chesterland	D
423	Gates Mills	D	729	Trinity	č
439	Bedford	D	734	TIMUY	~

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#### CLEVELAND LATA (NPA: 440) (cont'd)

Prefix	Excitange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access
	Area	L		Área	
735	Bedford	D	885	Victory	С
740	Brecksville	D	886	Victory	С
743	Victory	С	887	Victory	С
746	Brecksville	D	888	Victory	С
77 <b>7</b>	Trinity	С	891	Berea	C
779	Trinity	С	892	Trinity	С
786	Bedford	D	893	Chagrin Falls	D
808	Trinity	С	895	Cleveland	С
816	Berea	C	899	Trinity	C
826	Berea	С	918	Willoughby	С
827	Trinity	С	942	Willoughby	C
833	Wickliffe	С	943	Wickliffe	С
834	Burton	D	944	Wickliffe	С
835	Trinity	С	946	Willoughby	С
836	Chagrin Falls	D	951	Willoughby	С
838	Brecksville	D	953	Willoughby	С
842	Victory	С	954	Willoughby	С
843	Victory	С	962	Trinity	С
845	Victory	C	974	Mentor	D
846	Strongsville	$\mathcal{D}$	975	Willoughby	С
871	Trinity	С	979	Trinity	C
884	Victory	С		-	

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#### COLUMBUS LATA (NPA: 614)

Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access
	Area			Area	
213	Worthington	С	253	Columbus	С
217	Columbus	В	257	Columbus	C
220	Columbus	в	258	Columbus	С С С С
221	Columbus	В	261	Columbus	С
222	Columbus	В	262	Columnus	С
223	Columbus	B	263	Columbus	С
224	Columbus	B	265	Columbus	С
225	Columbus	В	267	Columbus	C C
227	Columbus	B	268	Columbus	С
228	Columbus	в	270	Columbus	С
229	Columbus	в	272	Columbus	С
232	Columbus	B	273	Columbus	00000
233	Columbus	B B	274	Columbus	С
234	Columbus	В	275	Columbus	С
235	Columbus	с с	276	Columbus	С
236	Columbus	С	277	Grove City	D
237	Columbus	С	278	Columbus	С
238	Columbus	С	279	Columbus	С
239	Columbus	С	280	Columbus	В
240	Columbus	B	281	Columbus	B
241	Columbus	В	291	Columbus	С
242	Columbus	В	292	Columbus	С
243	Columbus	В	293	Columbus	С
244	Columbus	В	294	Columbus	00
247	Columbus	в	<b>29</b> 7	Columbus	C
248	Columbus	В	298	Columbus	С
249	Columbus	B	299	Columbus	C
251	Columbus	С	308	Columbus	C C
252	Columbus	Ċ	326	Columbus	С

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## COLUMBUS LATA (NPA: 614) (cont'd)

Prefix	Erchange	Access	Prefix	Erchange Area	Access
k					
337	Gahanna	С	457	Columbus	С
338	Columbus	С	459	Commbus	С
341	Columbus	в	460	Columbus	В
351	Columbus	С	461	Columbus	В
358	Columbus	В	462	Columbus	В
365	Columbus	В	463	Cohumbus	В
367	Reynoldeburg	С	464	Columbus	В
409	Lockborne	D	466	Columbus	B
414	Gahanna	С	469	Columbus	В
415	Gabanna	С	470	Ganama	С
418	Gahanna	С	471	Gahanna	С
421	Columbus	С	473	Gahanna	C
422	Gabanna	С	475	Gahanna	С
424	Columbus	С	476	Gahanna	с с
428	Gahanna	С.	478	Gahama	С
429	Columbus	С	479	Gahanna	С
430	Worthington	С	480	Columbas	в
431	Worthington	C	485	Columbus	C
436	Worthington	С	486	Columbus	С
438	Worthington	С	487	Cohumbus	С
442	Çohumbus	С	488	Columbus	С
443	Columbus	С	490	Gahanna	С
444	Columbus	С	491	Lockbourne	D
445	Columbus	Ċ	492	Lookbourne	D
447	Cohmhus	Ċ	497	Lockbourne	Ð
449	Columbus	Ċ	501	Reynoldsburg	C
451	Columbus	Ċ	523	Westerville	С

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## COLUMBUS LATA (NPA: 614) (cont'd)

Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access
	Area			Area	
526	Dublin	с	728	Columbus	в
527	Hilliard	Ď	744	Columbus	В
529	Hilliard	D	751	Reynoldsburg	С
538	Columbus	С	752	Columbus	В
539	Grove City	D	755	Reynoldsburg	С
544	Columbus	в	759	Reynoldsburg	С
546	Columbus	B	<b>76</b> 0	Dublin	С
564	Columbus	В	761	Dublin	С
566	Columbus	В	764	Dublin	С
575	Reynoldsburg	С	766	Dublin	С
577	Reynoldsburg	С	771	Hilliard	D
621	Columbus	B	<b>77</b> 7	Hilliard	D
624	Columbus	В	780	Worthington	С
627	Columbus	B	781	Worthington	С
628	Columbus	В	784	Columbus	С
629	Columbus	в	785	Worthington	С
644	Columbus	в	786	Worthington	С
645	Columbus	В	789	Dublin	С
659	Dublin	С	790	Dublin	С
677	Columbus	в	791	Dublin	С
684	Hillierd	D	792	Dublin	С
688	Columbus	B	793	Dublin	С
692	Columbus	С	794	Westerville	С
693	Columbus	C	798	Dublin	C
717	Dublin	C	799	Dublin	C
718	Dublin	C.	801	Grove City	D
719	Columbus	B	818	Westerville	C
722	Columbus	B	821	Columbus	В
723	Columbus	В	823	Westerville	C
724	Columbus	В	<b>8</b> 25	Worthington	С

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#### COLUMBUS LATA (NPA: 614) (cont'd)

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Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access
	Area			Area	
830	Groveport	D	866	Reynoldsburg	С
833	Canal Winches	ster D	868	Reynoldsburg	С
834	Canal Winches	iter D	870	Alton	D
835	Groveport	D	871	Grove City	D
836	Groveport	D	875	Grove City	D
837	Canal Winches	ter D	876	Hilliard	D
840	Worthington	С	877	Harrisburg	D
<b>84</b> 1	Worthington	С	878	Alton	D
842	Worthington	С	879	West Jefferson	D
844	Worthington	С	880	Worthington	C
846	Worthington	С	882	Westerville	С
847	Worthington	С	88 <i>5</i>	Worthington	С
848	Worthington	С	888	Worthington	С
849	Columbus	B	889	Dublin	С
850	Hilliard	D	890	Westerville	C
851	adla	a	891	Westerville	C
853	Alton	D	895	Westerville	С
854	Worthington	С	898	Westerville	С
855	New Albany	D	899	Westerville	С
856	Reynoldsburg	С	920	Canal Wincheste	r D
857	Columbus	В	932	Dublin	С
860	Reynoldsburg	С	933	New Albany	D
861	Reynoldsburg	Ċ	939	New Albany	D
863	Reynoldsburg	C	976	Columbus	B
864	Reynoldsburg	С	985	Worthington	С
865	Westerville	С	995	Columbus	B

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COLUMBUS LATA (NPA: 740)

Prefx	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access
	Area			Area	
232	St Clairsville	D	437	Bloomingburg	D
245	Rio Grande	D	441	Gallipolis	D
246	Thornville	D	446	Gallipolis	D
254	Gnadenhutten	D	450	Zanesville	D
256	Guyan	D	452	Zanesville	D
264	Steubenville	D	453	Zanesville	D
266	Steubenville	D	454	Zanesville	D
282	Steubenville	D	455	Zancsville	Ď
283	Steubenville	D	458	Clarington	D
284	Steubenville	D	472	Woodsfield	D
295	Coshocton	D	473	Newport	D
333	Washington CH	D	483	Duffy	D
335	Washington CH	D	484	Bethesda	D
339	Gallipolis	D	495	New Holland	D
342	New Lexington	D	498	Newcomerstown	D
343	New Lexington	D	532	Ironton	D
346	Steubenville	D	533	Ironton	D
347	Corning	D	534	Ironton	D
367	Cheshire	D	535	Mingo Junction	D
373	Marietta	D	536	Rnshville	D
374	Marietta	D	537	Toronto	D
376	Marietta	D	545	West Lafayette	D
377	Ironton	D	567	Lewisville	D
379	Walnut	D	568	Mariette	D
388	Vinton	D	586	Zanesville	D
394	Shawnee	D.	609	Martins Ferry-Br	D
401	Belpre	D	622	Coshocton	D
423	Belpre	D	623	Coshocton	D
425	Barnesville	D	633	Martins Ferry-Br	D
426	Jeffersonville	D	635	Martins Ferry-Br	D

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## 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

#### COLUMBUS LATA (NPA: 740) (cont'd)

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Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Enchange	Access
	Area			Area	
636	Washington Cl	НD	753	Nelsonville	D
643	Arabia	D	754	Dresden	D
652	Lancaster	D	756	Carroll	D
653	Lancaster	D	<b>7</b> 57	Sometion	D
654	Lancaster	D	762	Murray City	D
659	Gienford	D	829	Conesville	D
671	Belleire	D	845	London	D
674	Philo	D	849	Fultonham	D
676	Bellaire	D	852	London	D
681	Lancaster	D	865	New Matamoras	D
687	Lancaster	D	872	Norwich	D
689	Lancaster	D	874	Sedalia	D
695	St Clairsville	D	922	Ubrichsville	D
6 <del>9</del> 7	Roseville	D	92 <del>6</del>	Bealisville	D
6 <b>99</b>	St Clairsville	D	934	Graysville	D
743	Somerset	D	948	Milledgeville	D
746	Sugar Grove	D		_	

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#### DAYTON LATA (NPA: 513)

Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access	
Area				Area	Area	
420	Middletown	D	727	Middletown	D	
422	Middletown	D	743	<b>Franklin</b>	D	
423	Middletown	D	746	Franklin	D	
424	Middletown	Ð	748	Franklin	D	
425	Middletown	D	988	Treaton	D	
539	Monroe	D				

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## DAYTON LATA (NPA: 937)

Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange Area	Access
	Area	2		Area	
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208	Dayton	в	275	Dayton	C
220	Dayton	в	276	Dayton	C
221	Dayton	В	277	Dayton	C
222	Dayton	в	278	Dayton	C
223	Dayton	В	279	Dayton	C
224	Dayton	В	285	Dayton	B
225	Dayton	в	288	Danville-H	D
226	Dayton	B	290	Dayton	С
227	Dayton	в	291	Dayton	С
228	Dayton	В	293	Dayton	С
2.29	Dayton	В	294	Deyton	С
233	Dayton	D	296	Dayton	00000
234	Dayton	В	297	Dayton	С
235	Dayton	D	298	Dayton	С
236	Dayton	D	299	Dayton	С
237	Dayton	D	320	Beavercreek	D
252	Dayton	С	322	Springfield	D
253	Dayton	00000 ,	323	Springfield	D
254	Dayton	C	324	Springfield	D ·
255	Dayton	С	325	Springfield	D
256	Dayton	С	-327	Springfield	Ð
257	Dayton	С	328	Springfield	D
258	Dayton	С	331	Dayton	В
259	Dayton	С	333	Dayton	в
262	Dayton	С	341	Dayton	В
263	Dayton	č	342	Springfield	D .
264	Vandalia	Ď	356	Dayton	В
265	Pitchin	D ·	365	Rainsboro	Ð
267	Dayton	č	368	Fletcher-Lens	D
268	Dayton	č	372	Xenia	D
274	Dayton	č	374	Xenia	D
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## DAYTON LATA (NPA: 937) (cont'd)

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Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access
Frenz	Area			Area	
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376	Xenia	D	485	Dayton	B
384	Miamisburg-W C	ar D	495	Dayton	B
390	Springfield	D	496	Dayton	B
392	Ripley	D	499	Dayton	C
	Hillsboro	D	512	Dayton	B
393 399	Springfield	D	525	Springfield	D
415	Vandalia	D	528	Dayton	C
415	Beavercreek	D	534	Dayton	C
	Beavercreek	Ď	542	Dayton	B
427	Dayton	Ċ.	567	Dayton	С
428	Beavercreek	D.	568	South Vienna	D
429	Beavercreek	Ď	586	Dayton	В
431	Dayton		615	Piqua	D
432		с с	629	Springfield	D
433	Dayton	č	630	Dayton	B
434	Dayton	C C C C C	640	Dayton	В
435	Dayton	Č	641	Dayton	B
436	Dayton	Ċ	643	Dayton	С
438	Dayton	C .	656	Dayton	C
439	Dayton	В	675	Jamestown	D
443	Dayton	B	695	Winchester	D
445	Dayton	B	754	Fairborn	D
449	Dayton	D	764	Belfast	D
453	Bowersville	D	766	Cedarville	D
<b>4</b> 54	Vandalia	B	767	Yellow Spr-Cli	D
455	Dayton	B	769	Yellow Spr-Cli	D
457	Dayton	B	773	Piqua	D
<b>4</b> 61	Dayton		775	Fairborn	D
<b>4</b> 62	South Charleston		778	Pique	D
463	Dayton	B	781	Dayton	С
466	Marshall	D	795	Aberdeon	D
476	Dayton	С	120	A 14 44 10 5 5 5	

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#### DAYTON LATA (NPA: 937) (cont'd)

Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange Ace	<b>68</b> 5
Area			Area		
824	Dayton	В	873	Fairborn D	
845	New Carlisle	Ď	878	Fairbarn D	
846	New Carlisle	ā	879	Fairborn D	
847	Miamisburg-W	D	882	Donnelsville D	
848	Bellbrook	D	883	South Solon D	
849	Medway	D	885	Centerville D	
857	Christiansburg	D	886	Centerville D	
859	Miamisburg-W	D	890	Vandalia D	
862	Spring Valley	D	898	Vandalia D	
863	Enon	D	927	Sugar Tree Ridge D	
864	Enon	D	964	North Hampton D	
865	Miamisburg-W	D	969	Tremont City D	
866	Miamisburg-W	D	976	Dayton B	

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## TOLEDO LATA (NPA: 419)

Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access
	Area			Area	
209	Upper Sandusky	7 D	380	Toledo	С
213	Toledo	B	381	Toledo	Ċ
240	Toledo	В	382	Toledo	С
241	Toledo	В	385	Toledo	С
242	Toledo	В	386	Taiedo	С
243	Toledo	В	389	Toledo	С
244	Toledo	B	407	Toledo	C
245	Toledo	В	418	Toledo	B
246	Toledo	B	420	Findlay	D
247	Toledo	В	<b>42</b> 1	Findlay	D
248	Toledo	В	422	Findlay	D
249	Toledo	В	423	Findlay	D
251	Toledo	В	424	Findley	D
<b>2</b> 52	Toledo	В	<b>42</b> 5	Findiay	D
254	Toledo	В	427	Findley	D
255	Toledo	B	429	Findley	D
259	Toledo	B	435	Fostoria	D
269	Toledo	С	436	Fostoria	D
291	Toledo	С	<del>44</del> 2	Toicio	В
292	Toledo	С	443	Tiffin	D
294	Upper Sandusky	D	447	Tiffin	D
321	Toledo	B	448	Tiffin	Ď
322	Toledo	С	<b>4</b> 64	Toledo	С
325	Toledo	В	470	Toledo	C
327	Toledo	B	471	Toledo	C
329	Toledo	C	472	Toledo	С
332	Fremont	D	473	Toledo	С
333	Fremont	D	474	Toledo	С
334	Fremont	D.	475	Toledo	С
355	Fremont	D	476	Toledo	С
359	Bloomingville	D			

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Prefix	Exchange Area	ALCOBSI	Prefix	Exchange Area	Access
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478	Toledo	С	690	Toledo	D
479	Toledo	С	691	Toledo	D
480	Toledo	С	693	Toledo	D
482	Mannee	D	696	Toledo	D
486	Tojedo	С	697	Toledo	D
530	Toledo	С	698	Toledo	D
531	Toledo	С	726	Toledo	С
534	Toledo	С	727	Toledo	С
535	Toledo	С	729	Toledo	С
536	Toledo	С	861	Holland	D
537	Toledo	С	865	Holland	D
539	Toledo	С	866	Holland	D
578	Toledo	С	867	Holland	D
<b>5</b> 95	New Riegel	D	868	Holland	D
609	Sandusky	D	872	Perrysburg	D
621	Sandualcy	D	873	Perrysburg	D
624	Sandusky	D	874	Perrysburg	D
625	Sandusky	D	877	Whitehouse	D
<b>62</b> 6	Sandnsky	D	887	Maumee	D
627	Sandusky	D	891	Maumee	D
661	Toledo	D	893	Manmee	D
665	Lindsey	D	897	Mannee	D
665	Toledo	D	936	Toledo	в
684	Castalia	D	976	Toledo	В

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## 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

#### YOUNGSTOWN LATA (NPA: 330)

Prefix	Exchange	Access	Prefix	Exchange	Access
Area		Area			
227	Rogers	D	629	Youngstown	D
270	Youngstown	D	652	Niles	D
332	Salem	D	679	Salineville	D
337	Salem	D	702	Canfield	D
385	East Liverpool	D	707	Youngstown	D
386	East Liverpool	D	726	Youngstown	D
424	Lisbon	D	729	Youngstown	D
426	East Palestine	D	740	Youngstown	С
427	Lectonia	D	742	Youngstown	C
448	Sharon	D	743	Youngstown	С
457	New Waterford	D	744	Youngstown	С
480	Youngstown	С	746	Youngstown	С
482	Columbiana	D	747	Youngstown	С
505	Girard	D	750	Youngstown	С
530	Girard	D	755	Youngstown	С
532	Welisville	D	757	Youngstown	D
533	Canfield	D	758	Youngstown	D
534	Hubbard	D	759	Youngstown	D
536	Lowellville	D	782	Youngstown	С
538	North Jackson	D	783	Youngstown	С
539	Girard	D ·	<b>78</b> 8	Youngstown	С
542	North Lima	D	792	Youngstown	D
544	Niles	D	7 <b>9</b> 3	Youngstown	D
545	Girard	D	797	Youngstown	D
549	North Line	D	799	Youngstown	D
568	Hubbard	D	965	Youngstown	Ð

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#### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

B. Exchange Area Boundaries and Maps

- 1. The administration of exchange area boundaries shall be in accordance with Exhibit A, Boundaries, associated with FUCO MTSS Rule 4901;1-3-06 of the Code of Rules and Regulations of The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, in which the Telephone Company concurs.
- 2. Exchange area maps are included in Part 4, Section 6 of this tariff.

#### A. Metropolitan Areas

1. The exchange areas included in the Cleveland Metropolitan Area are as follows:

Cleveland
Bedford
Berea
Brecksville
Chagrin Falls
Gates Mills
Hillcrest
Independence
Montrose

North Royalion OImsted Falls Strongsville Ternace Trinity Victory Wickliffe Willoughby

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

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

3. The exchange areas included in the Dayton Metropolitan Area are as follows:

Dayton Beavercreek Bellbrook Centerville

Fairborn Miamiaburg - West Carrollton Vandalia

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## 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

#### B. Metropolitan Areas (Cont'd)

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

Perrysburg Whitehouse

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#### SECTION 3 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)

#### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

C. Ohio Zones of Wheeling Area Exchange Area

1 Description

The Wheeling Area Exchange Area consists of three zones located in Ohio, and four zones located in West Virginia and operated by the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of West Virginia, as follows:

#### D. Ohio Zones of Wheeling Area Exchange Area (Cont'd)

2. Messages Between Zones

All messages from stations of each of the Ohio zones to other stations of the Wheeling Area Exchange Area are considered to be local messages.

- 2. Foreign Zone Service
  - a. Where exchange service is furnished to a customer located in a zone within Ohio through a central office of a zone within Ohio other than that regularly serving the zone in which the customer is located, the regulations, rates and charges for foreign central office service are applicable.

b. Where exchange service is furnished to a customer in an Ohio zone through a central office in a West Virginia zone or to a customer in a West Virginia zone through a central office in an Ohio zone, the portion of the facilities in Ohio are furnished as covered in 3-a above. For the portion of the facilities located in West Virginia, charges apply as specified in the intrastate tariff of The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of West Virginia.

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## 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

D. Ohio Zones of Wheeling Area Exchange Area (Confd)

- 3. All other circuits and Channels
  - a. Where the terminals of the circuit or channel are located in Ohio and in the same or in different zones, circuit rates apply as specified for circuits or channels "within the same exchange area".

b. Where the terminals of the circuit or channel are located in a zone in Ohio and in a zone in West Virginia, the provisions of 4-a above apply to the portion of the facilities in Ohio. For the portion of the facilities in West Virginia, charges apply as specified in the intrastate tariff of The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of West Virginia.

5. In the application of rates and charges for other items of service included in this tariff or the Private Line Service Tariff and with respect to the application of message toll telephone service rates, or any other matter covered by any other telephone Company tariff, the terms "zone" and "zone area" as used in this paragraph have the same meaning as the terms "exchange" and "exchange area".

1.3 List of Local Access and Transport Areas1.4The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows:

A. Akron LATA

ACC	OTHER TEL. COS	
AKRON	BALTIC	GTE NORTH INC.
ALLIANCE	BEACH CITY	GTE NORTH INC.
ATWATER	BERLIN	GTE NORTH INC.
CANAL	FULTON BOLIVAR	GTE NORTH INC.
CANTON	BREWSTER	GTE NORTH INC.
DALTON	BRUNSWICK	GTE NORTH INC.
GREENSBURG	BURBANK	GTE NORTH INC.
HARTVILLE	CARROLLTON	GTE NORTH INC.
KENT	CHATHAM	GTE NORTH INC.
LOUISVILLE	CRESTON	OTE NORTHINC.
MAGNOLIA-WAYNESBURG	DELLROY	GTE NORTH INC.
MANCHESTER	DOYLESTOWN	DOYLESTOWN
MANTUA	E. ROCHESTER	GTE NORTH INC.

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## SECTION 3 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)

#### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

List of Local Access and Transport Areas (Cont'd)

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd):

## A Akron LATA (Cont'd)

ACC

#### OTHER TEL, COS

MARLBORO	GARRETTSVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
MASSILLON	HANOVERTON	GTE NORTH INC.
MOGADORE	HARLEM SPRINGS	GTE NORTH INC.
NAVARRE	HIRAM	GTE NORTH INC.
NORTH CANTON	HOMERVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
RAVENNA	HUDSON	MID CONTINENT
ROOTSTOWN	LODI	GTE NORTH INC.
SEBRING	MALVERN	GTE NORTH INC.
UNIONTOWN	MECHANICSTOWN	GTE NORTH INC.
	MEDINA	GTE NORTH INC.
	MINERAL CITY	GTE NORTH INC.
	MINERVA	GTE NORTH INC.
	MONTROSE	GTE NORTH INC.
	N. GEORGETOWN	GTE NORTH INC.
	NEW PHILADELPHIA	GTE NORTH INC.
	PARIS	GTE NORTH INC.
	PATTERSONVILLE	PATTERSONVILLE
	PENINSULA	MID CONTINENT
	SEVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
	SHARON CENTER	GTE NORTH INC.
	SPENCER	GTE NORTH INC.
	STRASBURG	GTE NORTH INC.
	SUGARCREEK	GTE NORTH INC.
	VALLEY CITY	GTE NORTH INC.
	WADSWORTH	GTE NORTH INC.
	WESTFIELD CTR.	GTE NORTH INC.
	WILMOT	GTE NORTH INC.
	WINONA	GTE NORTH INC.

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#### SECTION 3 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)

#### Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued) 3.4

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd): B. Cieveland LATA

B. Cisveland LATA		
ACC	OTHER TEL. COS	
BEDFORD	AMHERST	CENTURY
BEREA	ASHTABULA	MID CONTINENT
BRECKSVILLE	AURORA	MID CONTINENT
BURTON	AUSTINBURG	MID CONTINENT
CHAGRIN	FALLS AVON	CENTURY
CHESTERLAND	AVON LAKE	CENTURY
CLEVELAND	BAINBRIDGE	MID CONTINENT
GATES MILLS	BIRMINGHAM	CENTURY
HILLCREST	CHARDON	MID CONTINENT
INDEPENDENCE	COLEBROOK	ORWELL
KIRTLAND	COLUMBIA STA	MID CONTINENT
LEROY	CONNEAUT	CONNEAUT
MENTOR	DORSET	MID CONTINENT
MONTROSE	EAST CLARIDON	MID CONTINENT
NORTH ROYALTON	ELYRIA	MID CONTINENT
OLMSTED FALLS	GENEVA	MID CONTINENT
PAINESVILLE	GRAFTON	GTE NORTH INC.
STRONGSVILLE	HINCKLEY	MID CONTINENT
TERRACE	HUNTSBURG	MID CONTINENT
TRINITY	KINGSVILLE	MID CONTINENT
VICTORY	LORAIN	CENTURY
WICKLIFFE	MADISON	MID CONTINENT
WILLOUGHBY	MESOPOTAMIA	MID CONTINENT
	MIDDLEFIELD	MID CONTINENT
	MONTVILLE	MID CONTINENT
	N. BLOOMFIELD	ORWELL
	NEWBURY	MID CONTINENT
	NORTH BATON	GTE NORTH INC.
	NORTHFIELD	MID CONTINENT
	OBERLIN	GTE NORTH INC.
	ORWELL	ORWELL
	PARKMAN	MID CONTINENT
	PERRY	MID CONTINENT
	PIERPONT	MID CONTINENT
	RICHFIELD	MID CONTINENT
	ROCK CREEK	MID CONTINENT
	RUSSELL	MID CONTINENT

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# 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

List of Local Access and Transport Areas (Cont'd)

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd):

C. Columbus LATA

ACC	· OTHER TEL. COS	
ALTON	ADAMSVILLE	UNITED
ARABIA	ADENA	GTE NORTH INC.
BARNESVILLE	ALBANY	GTE NORTH INC.
BEALLSVILLE	ALEXANDRIA	UNITED
BELLAIRE	AMANDA	GTE NORTH INC.
BETHESDA	AMESVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
BLOOMINGBURG	AMSTERDAM	GTE NORTH INC.
CANAL WINCHESTER	ASFILEY	GTE NORTH INC.
CARROLL	ASHVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
CHESIRE	ATHENS	GTE NORTH INC.
CLARINGTON	BAINBRIDGE(ROSS)	CHILLICOTHE
COLUMBUS	BALTIMORE	GTE NORTH INC.
CONESVILLE	BARLOW	GTE NORTH INC.
CORNING	BARTLETT	UNITED
COSHOCTON	BEAVER	GTE NORTH INC.
DRESDEN	BERGHOLZ	GTE NORTH INC.
DUBLIN	BEVERLY	GTE NORTH INC.
DUFFY	BLOOMINGDALE	MID CONTINENT
FULTONHAM	BOURNEVILLE	CHILLICOTHE
GAHANNA	BOWERSTON	GTE NORTH INC.
GALLIPOLIS	BREMEN	OTE NORTH INC.
GLENFORD	BRILLIANT	GTE NORTH INC.
GNADENHUTTEN	BYESVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
GRAYSVILLE	CADIZ	GTE NORTH INC.
GROVE CITY	CALDWELL	GTE NORTH INC.
GROVEPORT	CAMBRIDGE	GTE NORTH INC.
GUYAN	CENTERVILLE MID O	
HARRISBURG	CHESIRE CENTER	GTE NORTH INC.
HILLIARD	CHESTER	MID CONTINENT
IRONTON	CHESTERHILL	UNITED

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# 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

List of Local Access and Transport Areas (Cont'd)

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd):

#### D. Columbus LATA (Cont'd)

ACC	OTHER TEL. COS	
<b>JEFFERSONVILLE</b>	CHILLICOTHE	CHILLICOTHE
LANCASTER	CIRCLEVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
LEWISVILLE	CLARKSBURG	CHILLICOTHE
LOCKBOURNE	COOLVILLE	MID CONTINENT
LONDON	COOPERDALE	GIE NORTH INC.
MARIEITA	CROOKSVILLE	UNITED
MARTINS	FERRY- CROTON	UNITED
BRIDGEPORT	CUMBERLAND	MID CONTINENT
MILLEDGEVILLE	DELAWARE	GTE NORTH INC.
MINGO JUNCTION	DEXTER CITY	GTE NORTH INC.
MURRAY CITY	DILLONVALE	GTE NORTH INC.
NELSONVILLE	FAIRVIEW	MID CONTINENT
NEW ALBANY	FLUSHING	GTE NORTH INC.
NEW HOLLAND	FRANKFORT	CHILLICOTHE
NEW LEXINGTON	FRAZEYSBURG	
NEW MATAMORA	FREEPORT	UNITED
NEWCOMERSTOWN	GLOUSTER	GTE NORTH INC.
NEWPORT	GRANVILLE	UNITED
NORWICH		MID CONTINENT
PHILO	GRATIOT	MID CONTINENT
	GREEN CAMP	GTE NORTH INC.
REYNOLDSBURG	GUYSVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
RIO GRANDE	HALLSVILLE	CHILLICOTHE
ROSEVILLE	HANOVER MARNE	MID CONTINENT
	HARPSTER	GTE NORTH INC.
	HEBRON	UNITED
	HOPEDALE	MID CONTINENT
	DAHO	GTE NORTH INC.

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#### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

List of Local Access and Transport Areas (Cont'd)

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd):

E. Columbus LATA (Cont'd)

ACC

OTHER TEL. COS

ACC	OTHER TEL. COS	
RUSHVILLE	JACKSON	GTE NORTH INC.
SEDALIA	JEWERT	GTE NORTH INC.
SHAWNEE	JOHNSTOWN	UNITED
SOMERSET	JUNCTION CITY	UNITED
SOMERTON	KILBOURNE	GTE NORTH INC.
ST. CLAIRSVILLE	KINGSTON	CHILLICOTHE
STEUBENVILLE	KNOXVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
SUGAR GROVE	LA RUE	GTE NORTH INC.
THORNVILLE	LAURELVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
TORONTO	LETART FALLS	GTE NORTH INC.
UHRICHSVILLE	LITTLE HOCKING	MID CONTINENT
VINTON	LOGAN	GTE NORTH INC.
WALNUT	LONDONBERRY	CHILLICOTHE
WASHINGTON	COURT LOWELL	GTE NORTH INC.
HOUSE	LOWER SALEM	GTE NORTH INC.
WEST JEFFERSON	MARION	GTE NORTH INC.
WEST LAFAYETTE	MASSIEVILLE	CHILLICOTHE
WESTERVILLE	MC CONNELSVILLE	UNITED
WOODSFIELD	MCARTHUR	GTE NORTH INC.
WORTHINGTON	MILLERSPORT	GTE NORTH INC.
ZANESVILLE	MINFORD-STKDAL.	MINFORD
	MORRAL	GTE NORTH INC.
	MORRISTOWN	MID CONTINENT
	MOUNT STERLING	UNITED
	NEVADA	GTE NORTH INC.
	NEW CONCORD	GTE NORTH INC.
	NEW MARSHFIELD	GTE NORTH INC.
	NEWARK	MID CONTINENT
	OAK HILL	GIE NORTH INC.
	OLD WASHINGTON	MID CONTINENT
	OSTRANDEA	GTE NORTH INC.
	PATASKALA	UNITED
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#### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

List of Local Access and Transport Areas (Cont'd)

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd):

#### F. Columbus LATA (Cont'd)

ACC

OTHER TEL. COS POWHATAN POINT MID CONTINENT GTE NORTH INC. PROSPECT QUAKER CITY MID CONTINENT GTE NORTH INC. RADNOR GTE NORTH INC. RATHBONE REINERSVILLE-HA UNITED GTE NORTH INC. RESACA GTE NORTH INC. RICHMOND CHILLICOTHE RICHMONDALE RICHWOOD GTE NORTH INC. SCIO GTE NORTH INC. SHADE GTE NORTH INC. SMITHFIELD GTE NORTH INC. ST. LOUISVILLE MID CONTINENT STOCKPORT UNITED SUMMERFIELD GTE NORTH INC. SUNBURY UNITED THE PLAINS GTE NORTH INC. TILTONSVILLE GTE NORTH INC. WALDO GTE NORTH INC. WARSAW GTE NORTH INC. WATERTOWN GTE NORTH INC. GTE NORTH INC. WAVERLY GTE NORTH INC. WELLSTON WILKESVILLE GTE NORTHINC. GTE NORTH INC. WILLIAMSPORT

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List of Local Access and Transport Areas (Cont'd)

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd):

D. Dayton LATA

ACC	OTHER TEL. COS	
ABERDEEN	ANSONIA	UNITED
BEAVERCREEK	ARCANUM	UNITED
BELFAST	BLANCHESTER	GTE NORTH INC.
BELLBROOK	BRADFORD	UNITED
BOWERSVILLE	BROOKVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
CEDARVILLE	CAMDEN	UNITED
CENTERVILLE	CATAWBA	GTE NORTH INC.
CHRISTIANSBURG	CLARKSVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
DANVILLE	COVINGTON	MID CONTINENT
DAYTON	DECATUR	GTE NORTH INC.
DONNELSVILLE	EATON	UNITED
ENON	ELDORADO	UNITED
FAIRBORN	ENGLEWOOD	GTE NORTH INC.
FLETCHER-LENA	FARMERSVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
FRANKLIN	GEORGETOWN	GTE NORTH INC.
HILLSBORO	GERMANTOWN	GERMANTOWN
JAMESTOWN	GETTYSBURG	UNITED
MARSHALL	GRATIS	GTE NORTH INC.
MEDWAY	OREENFIELD	GTE NORTH INC.
MIAMISBURG-WEST	GREENVILLE	UNITED
CARROLLTON	HAMERSVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
	HIGGINSPORT	GTE NORTH INC.
	HOLLANSBURG	UNITED
	LAURA	GTE NORTH INC.
	LEESBURG	GTE NORTH INC.
	LEWISBURG	TE NORTH INC.
	LIBERTY	GTE NORTH INC.
	LYNCHBURG	GTE NORTH INC.
	MANCHESTER	GTE NORTH INC.
	MARTINSVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
	MECHANICSBURG	GTE NORTH INC.
	MOUNT ORAB	GTE NORTH INC.

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List of Local Access and Transport Areas (Cont'd)

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd):

A. Dayton LATA (Cont'd)

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List of Local Access and Transport Areas (Cont'd)

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd): B. Toledo LATA

OTHER TEL. COS

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ACC
BLOOMINGVILLE
CASTALIA
FINDLAY
FOSTORIA
FREMONT
HOLLAND
LÍNDSEY
MAUMEE
NEW RIEGEL
PERRYSBURG
SANDUSKY
TIFFIN
TOLEDO
UPPER SANDUSKY
WHITEHOUSE

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#### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

List of Local Access and Transport Areas (Cont'd)

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd):

C. Toledo LATA

ACC

OTHER TEL. COS

GRAND RAPIDS	GTE NORTH INC.
GREEN SPRINGS	UNITED
GREENWICH	GTE NORTH INC.
GRELTON-MALINTA	UNITED
HAMLER	UNITED
HASKINS-TONT.	GTE NORTH INC.
HAYESVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
HELENA	GTE NORTH INC.
HICKSVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
HOLGATE	UNITED
HURON	GIE NORTH INC.
JENERA	GTE NORTH INC.
JEWELL	UNITED
KELLEYS ISLAND	GTE NORTH INC.
KENTON MID	CONTINENT
LAKEVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
LEIPSIC	COMMUNITY
LIBERTY CENTER	UNITED
LOUDOVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
LUCKEY	UNITED
LYONS	UNITED
MARBLEHEAD	GIE NORTH INC.
MARIA STEIN GTE N	
MC COMB	GTE NORTH INC.
MC CUTCHENVILLE	SYCAMORE
MC CLURE	MC CLURE
MELMORE	SYCAMORE
MENDON	GTE NORTH INC.
METAMORA	UNITED
MILAN	GTE NORTH INC.
MILLER CITY	CONTINENTAL
MINSTER	GTE NORTH INC.
MOLINE	UNITED
MONROEVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
MONTPELIER	GTE NORTH INC.
MOUNT BLANCHARD	GTE NORTH INC.
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# SECTION 3 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)

# 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

List of Local Access and Transport Areas (Cont'd)

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd):

D. Toledo LATA

ACC

OTHER TEL. COS

NEW WASHINGTON	GTE NORTH INC.
NEY	GTE NORTH INC.
NORTH BALTIMORE	GTE NORTH INC.
NORTH CREEK	BENTON RIDGE
NORTH STAR	GTE NORTH INC.
NORWALK	GTE NORTH INC.
NOVA	NOVA
OAK HARBOR	GTE NORTH INC.
OKOLONA FARMERS	MUTUAL
OLD FORT	UNITED
PANDORA	COMMUNITY
PAYNE	GTE NORTH INC.
PEMBERVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
PERRYSVILLE	GTE NORTH INC.
PIONEER	GTE NORTH INC.
PLYMOUTH	GTE NORTH INC.
POLK	GTE NORTH INC.
PORT CLINTON	GTE NORTH INC.
PORTAGE	UNITED
PUT-IN-BAY	GTE NORTH INC.
RAWSON	GTE NORTH INC.
REDHAW	GTE NORTH INC.
REPUBLIC	GTE NORTH INC.
RICHFIELD CENTER-	UNITED
BERKEY	
RIDGEVILLE CRN.	RIDGEVILLE
RISINGSUN	UNITED
SAVANNAH	GTE NORTH INC.
SHERWOOD	SHERWOOD MUTUA
ST MARYS	GTE NORTH INC.
STONEY RIDGE	UNITED
STRYKER	UNITED
SULLIVAN	NOVA
SWANTON	UNITED

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### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

List of Local Access and Transport Areas (Cont'd)

The LATA's and the associated exchanges are as follows (Cont'd):

E. Toledo LATA

ACC

OTHER TEL. COS		
WEST UNITY	GTE NORTH INC.	
WESTON	GTE NORTH INC.	
WHARTON	GTE NORTH INC.	
WILLIARD	GTE NORTH INC.	
WOODVILLE	UNITED	
YORKSHIRE	GTE NORTH INC.	

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#### 3.4 Exchange Areas Service and associated Local Calling Areas (Continued)

List of Local Access and Transport Areas (cont'd) The LATAs and the associated exchanges are as follows: (cont'd) F. Youngstown LATA ACC OTHER TEL. COS

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COLUMBIANA EAST LIVERPOOL EAST PALESTINE GIRARD HUBBARD LEETONIA LISBON LOWELLVILLE SALEM SALINEVILLE WELLSVILLE YOUNGSTOWN

CANFIELD

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#### OHIO Telecom, Inc. Local Exchange Services

# SECTION 4 Ohio Telecom, Inc. Current Rates

Service	Residence	Business	
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Service Connection Charge (per line)	\$50.00		
Service Connection Charge (per basic trunk)	\$50.00		j
Service Connection Charge (per digital trunk)	\$150.00		1
Installation Charge			
<ul> <li>Per digital transport facility</li> </ul>	\$300.00		1
<ul> <li>Per DSO channel activated</li> </ul>	\$50.00		1
Per Trunk Group Configured for DID Svc.	\$300.00		
Subsequent Account Changes (Changes, Additions per ordet)	\$40.00		
Presubscription Change (all switched network acc	ces)		D
• 1 <sup>st</sup> line	\$4.00	<b>\$4.00</b>	
• - additional lines per order	\$1.00	\$1.00	

\$28.00

Optional Feature Activation (per order)

NOTE:

Non-Recurring account change charges will not apply during the initial 30 day period following completion of a service order.

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# SECTION 4 Ohio Telecom, Inc. Current Rates (Cont'd)

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Service		Rasidence	Business
Switched Network Acces	s Channels		
Zone A			
	Basic Line, Per Line	\$35.00	\$45.00
	Basic Trank, Per Trank	\$35.00	\$50,00
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$35.00	\$50.00
Zone B			
	Basic Line, Per Line	\$40.00	\$50,00
	Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$40.00	\$50.00
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$40.00	\$50.00
Zone C			
•	Basic Line, Per Line	\$40.00	\$50,00
	Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$40.00	\$50.00
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$40.00	\$50.00
Zone D			
	Basic Line, Per Line	\$40.00	\$50.00
	Basic Trunk, Per Trank	\$40.00	\$50.00
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$40.00	\$50.00

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"Calling Number Delivery Blocking - Per Line Charge is waived if the Customer has a Non-listed or a Non-published number.

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#### SECTION 4 Ohio Telecom, Inc. Current Rates (Cont'd)

#### **Usage Options**

All Local Exchange Service Customers must order one of the following usage options. These rates will apply to all outgoing direct-dialed calls placed to Stations within the caller's local exchange area, as defined herein.

<u>Per Message Rate</u>: The following rates will be applied on a per call basis, regardless of the duration of the call.

Residence

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Per Call \$0.08

Unlimited Local Calling (Residence Customers Only):

<u>Per Month</u> \$20.00

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A Customer may obtain Local Directory Assistance (DA) in determining telephone numbers within its local calling area by calling the Directory Assistance operator. The Customer may request a maximum of two telephone numbers per call to Directory Assistance service without additional charges. Directory Assistance includes the option for call completion to the requested number at an additional charge as specified below. The Call Completion option provides, when selected by the customer, for the automatic dialing of the requested number.

Each call to Directory Assistance will be charged as follows:

DA, Per call \$0.75 DA, with Call Completion \$0.75

A credit will be given for calls to Directory Assistance as follows:

- The Customer experiences poor transmission or is cut-off during the call; or
- The Customer is given an incorrect telephone number

To obtain such a credit, the Customer must notify Company's Customer Service representative.

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#### SECTION 4 Ohio Telecom, Inc. Current Rates (Cont'd)

#### **Operator** Assistance (Traditional)

A Customer may obtain the assistance of a local operator to complete local exchange telephone calls in the following manner.

<u>Third Number Billing</u>: Provides the Customer with the capability 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.

<u>Collect Calls</u>: 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.

<u>Calling Cards</u>: Provides the Customer with the capability to place a call using a calling card with or without the assistance of an operator.

<u>Person to Person</u>: 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.

<u>Station to Station</u>: Calls completed with the assistance of an operator to a particular Station. The call may be billed to the called party.

Operator Assisted (Traditional) Surcharges:

The following surcharges will be applied on a per call basis.

Calling Card/Operator	\$2.00
Calling Card/Automatic	\$2.00
Third Number Billing	\$2.00
Collect Calling	\$2,00
Person to Person	\$2.00
Station to Station	\$2,00

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#### SECTION 4 Ohio Telecom, Inc. Current Rates (Cont'd)

Operator Assisted (Traditional) (Cont'd)

<u>Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service</u>: Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service, which is furnished where and to the extent that facilities permit, provides the Customer with the following options:

<u>Busy Line Verification</u>: Upon request of the calling party, the Company will determine if the line is clear or in use and report to the calling party.

<u>Busy line Verification with Interrupt</u>: The operator will interrupt the call on the called line only if the calling party indicates an emergency and requests interruption. The operator will then interrupt the call, advising the called party the name of the calling party.

<u>Rates</u>: Rates for Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service, as specified below, will apply under the following circumstances:

Per Request

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Busy Line Verification	\$2.00
Busy Line Interrupt	\$2,00

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# SECTION 4 Ohio Telecom, Inc. Current Rates (Cont'd)

3.4 Service Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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# <u>Non-Recurring Charges</u>: Non-Recurring charges associated with Directory Listings are as follows:

#### Per Listing or Per Number Charge

**Primary Listing** 

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# REGULATIONS AND SCHEDULE OF INTRASTATE CHARGES GOVERNING THE PROVISION OF SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICES FOR CONNECTION TO COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES WITHIN THE STATE OF OHIO



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# EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS, REFERENCE MARKS, AND ABBREVIATIONS OF TECHNICAL TERMS USED IN THIS TARIFF

The following symbols shall be used in this tariff for the purpose indicated below:

- C To signify changed regulation or rate structure.
- D To signify discontinued material.
- I To signify a increased rate.
- N To signify a new rate or regulation.
- R To signify a reduced rate.

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#### <u>APPLICATION</u>

This tariff applies to intrastate access service supplied to customers for origination and termination of traffic to and from Central Office codes directly assigned to Company.

This tariff applies only to the extent services provided hereunder are used by a customer for the purpose of originating or terminating intrastate communications. A communication is "intrastate" only if all end user premises at which the communication originates or terminates are located within the State of Ohio.

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#### **DEFINITIONS**

#### Certain terms used generally throughout this tariff are described below.

#### Advance Payment

Part or all of a payment required before the start of service.

#### Access Services

The Company's intrastate telephone services offered pursuant to this tariff.

#### Company

Budget PrePay, Inc. d/b/a Budget Phone ("Budget Phone"), the issuer of this tariff.

#### Constructive Order

Delivery of calls to or acceptance of calls from the Customer's End Users over Company-switched local exchange services constitutes a Constructive Order by the Customer to purchase switched access services as described herein. Similarly the selection of the Customer by an End User as the End User's PIC constitutes a Constructive Order for switched access by the Customer.

#### Customer

Any person, firm, partnership, corporation or other entity which uses service under the terms and conditions of this tariff and is responsible for the payment of charges. In this tariff, the Customer is a common carrier utilizing the Company's Switched or Dedicated Access services described in this tariff to reach its End User customer(s).

#### End Office

With respect to each NPA-NXX code prefix assigned to the Company, the location of the Company's "end office" for purposes of this tariff shall be the point of interconnection associated with that NPA-NXX code in the Local Exchange Routing Guide, issued by Bellcore.

#### End User

A person or entity that subscribes to any Company Exchange Access Service offered under the Company's Tariff Ohio P.S.C. No. 1, Section 5, and that has been assigned one or more telephone number(s) within a central office code (NPA-NXX) directly assigned to the Company.

#### <u>LATA</u>

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.

#### Recurring Charges

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

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#### **DEFINITIONS** (CONT'D)

#### Service Commencement Date

The first 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 or this tariff, in which case the Service Commencement Date is the date of the Customer's acceptance. The Company and the Customer may mutually agree on a substitute Service Commencement Date. If the Company does not have an executed Service Order from a customer, the Service Commencement Date will be the first date on which the service or facility was used by a customer.

#### Service Order

The written request for access 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. Should a customer use the Company's access service without an executed Service Order, the Company will then request the customer to submit a Service Order.

#### Shared

A facility or equipment system or subsystem that can be used simultaneously by several Customers.

#### <u>User</u>

A Customer or any other person authorized by the Customer to use service provided under this tariff.

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#### 2.1 <u>Undertaking of the Company</u>

#### 2.1.1 <u>Scope</u>

The Company undertakes to furnish access services in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in this tariff.

#### 2.1.2 Shortage of Facilities

All service is subject to the availability of suitable facilities. The Company reserves the right to limit the length of communications or to discontinue furnishing services when necessary because of the lack of transmission medium capacity or because of any causes beyond its control.

#### 2.1.3 <u>Terms and Conditions</u>

- (A) Service is provided on the basis of a minimum period of at least one month, 24- hours per day. For the purpose of computing charges in this tariff, a month is considered to have 30 days.
- (B) 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. Customer will also be required to execute any other documents as may be reasonably requested by the Company.
- (C) This tariff shall be interpreted and governed by the laws of the State of Ohio without regard for its choice of laws provision.

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#### 2.1 <u>Undertaking of the Company (cont'd)</u>

#### 2.1.4 Liability of the Company

- (A) Except as stated in this Section 2.1.4, the Company shall have no liability for damages of any kind arising out of or related to events, acts, rights or privileges contemplated in this tariff. This tariff does not limit the liability of the Company for willful misconduct.
- (B) The liability of the Company for damages resulting in whole or in part from or arising in connection with the furnishing of service under this tariff, including but not limited to mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, errors or other defects or misrepresentations shall not exceed an amount equal to five times the initial period charge provided for under this tariff for any call for the period during which the call was affected. No other liability in any event shall attach to the Company.
- (C) The Company shall not be liable for any failure of performance hereunder due to causes beyond its control, fires or other catastrophes; failure of utility services; any law, order, regulation, directive, action or request of the United States Government, or any other government, including state and local governments having jurisdiction over the Company, or of any department, agency, commission, bureau, corporation or other instrumentality of any one or more of said governments, or of any civil or military authority; national emergencies, insurrections, riots, wars or other labor difficulties.

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#### 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (cont'd)

#### 2.1.4 Liability of the Company (cont'd)

- (D) The Company shall not be liable for any act or omission of any other entity furnishing to the Customer facilities, equipment, or services used with the Company's access services. Nor shall the Company be liable for any damages or losses due to unauthorized use or the service or the failure or negligence of the Customer or due to the failure of the Customer-provided equipment, facilities or services.
- (E) Inclusion of early termination liability by the company in its tariff or a contract does not constitute a determination by the Commission that the termination liability imposed by the company is approved or sanctioned by the Commission. Customers shall be free to pursue whatever legal remedies they may have should a dispute arise.

2.1.5 <u>Claims</u>

The Company shall be indemnified and saved harmless by the Customer from and against all loss, liability, damage and expense, including reasonable counsel fees, due to claims of libel, slander, or infringement of copyright in connection with the material transmitted over the Company's facilities; and any other claim resulting from any act or omission of the Customer or patron(s) of the Customer relating to the use of the Company's services or facilities.

## 2.1 <u>Undertaking of the Company (cont'd)</u>

## 2.1.6 Provision of Equipment and Facilities

- (A) Except as otherwise indicated, customer-provided station equipment at the Customer's premises for use in connection with this service shall be so constructed, maintained and operated as to work satisfactorily with the facilities of the Company.
- (B) The company shall not be responsible for the installation, operation or maintenance of any Customer-provided communications equipment. Where such equipment is connected to service furnished pursuant to this tariff, the responsibility of the Company shall be limited to the furnishing of services under this tariff and to the maintenance and operation of such services in the proper manner. Subject to this responsibility, the company shall not be responsible for:
  - (1) the through transmission of signals generated by Customerprovided equipment or for the quality of, or defects in, such transmission; or
  - (2) the reception of signals by Customer-provided equipment; or
  - (3) network control signaling where such signaling is performed by Customer provided network control signaling equipment.

#### 2.1.7 <u>Ownership of Facilities</u>

Title to all facilities provided in accordance with this tariff remains in the Company, its agents, contractors or suppliers.

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# 2.2 <u>Prohibited Uses</u>

- A) The services the Company offers shall not be used for any unlawful purpose or for any use for which the Customer has not obtained all required governmental approvals, authorization, licenses, consents and permits.
- B) The Company may require applicants for service who intend to use the Company's offering for resale and/or for shared use to file a letter with the company confirming that their use of the Company's offerings complies with relevant laws and regulations, policies, orders, and decisions.
- C) The Company may require a Customer to immediately shut down its transmission if such transmission is causing interference to others.
- D) A customer, joint user, or authorized user may not assign, or transfer in any manner, the service or any rights associated with the service without the written consent of the Company. The Company will permit a Customer to transfer its existing service to another entity if the existing Customer has paid all charges owed to the Company for regulated access services. Such a transfer will be treated as a disconnection of existing service and installation of new service, and nonrecurring installation charges as stated in this tariff will apply.

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#### 2.3 Obligations of the Customer

# 2.3.1 Customer Premises Provisions

- A) The Customer shall provide the personnel, power and space required to operate all facilities and associated equipment installed on the premises of the Customer.
- B) The Customer shall be responsible for providing Company personnel access to premises of the Customer at any reasonable hour for the purpose of testing the facilities or equipment of the Company.

#### 2.3.2. Liability of the Customer

The Customer will be liable for damages to the facilities of the Company caused by negligence or willful acts of its officers, employees, agents or contractors of the Customer where such negligence or willful acts is not the direct result of the Company's negligence.

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#### 2.3 Obligations of the Customer (cont'd)

#### 2.3.3 Jurisdictional Report Requirements

(A) For Feature Group B Switched Access Service(s) for both interstate and intrastate use, the projected interstate percentage of use must be provided by the customer in a whole number to the Company. The Company will designate the number obtained by subtracting the projected interstate percentage of use from 100 (100 - projected interstate percentage = intrastate percentage) as the projected intrastate percentage of use. In addition, the projected percentage of intrastate use which is intraLATA must also be provided. When a customer orders Feature Group B Switched Access Service, the customer shall state, in its order, the projected Percent Interstate Usage (PIU) factor for Feature Group B Switched Access Service group ordered.

For Feature Group D Switched Access Service(s), the Company, where jurisdiction can be determined from the call detail, will determine the projected interstate percentage as follows. For originating access minutes, the projected interstate percentage will be developed on a monthly basis by end office when the Feature Group D, Switched Access Service access minutes are measured by dividing the measured interstate originating access minutes (the access minutes where the calling number is in one state and the called number is in another state) by the total originating access minutes when the call detail is adequate to determine the appropriate jurisdiction. For terminating access minutes, the customer has the option to provide the Telephone Company with a projected PIU factor. Customers who provide a PIU factor shall supply the Telephone Company with an interstate percentage of Feature Group D terminating access minutes for each account to which the customer may terminate traffic.

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#### 2.3 Obligations of the Customer (cont'd)

#### Jurisdictional Report Requirements (cont'd) 2.3.3

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> Should the customer not supply a terminating PIU factor, the data used by the Company to develop the projected interstate percentage for originating access minutes will be used to develop projected interstate percentage for such terminating access minutes. When a customer orders Feature Group D Switched Access Service, the customer shall supply a projected interstate percentage of use for each end office involved to be used in the event that originating call details are insufficient to determine the jurisdiction for the call. This percentage shall be used by the Company as the projected interstate percentage for such call detail. For purposes of developing the projected interstate percentage, the customer shall utilize the same considerations as those set forth in Section 2.3.3(B) following.

The Company will designate the number obtained by subtracting the projected interstate percentage for originating and terminating access minutes from 100 (100 - projected interstate percentage = intrastate percentage) as the projected intrastate percentage of use.

If the Customer has no originating traffic within the end office for which sufficient call detail exists to develop a PIU factor, and the Customer has not supplied a PIU factor on either the quarterly update report or the Access Service Request, the Company will designate a PIU factor of the average of actual prior 3 month usage for Feature Group B or Feature Group D terminating access minutes. For originating 800 access minutes, where the call detail is insufficient to determine the jurisdiction f the call, the customer shall provide the Company with a projected PIU factor. If such a PIU has not been provided for 800 access minutes, the Company will designate the default PIU factor of e average of actual prior 3 month usage. This factor will be applied to the next billing cycle and **(T)** continue until the Customer provides a PIU factor. When the Customer does provide the PIU factor, the Company will update the customer's PIU factors within fifteen (15) business days.

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#### 2.3 Obligations of the Customer (cont'd)

#### 2.3.3 Jurisdictional Report Requirements (cont'd)

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Customer provides a PIU factor. When the Customer does provide the PIU factor, the Company will update the customer's PIU factors within fifteen (15) business days.

- (B) For purposes of developing the projected interstate percentage, the customer shall consider every call that enters the customer's network at a point within the same state as the state where the called station is located to be intrastate and every call that enters the customer's network at a point in a state different from the state in which the called station is located to be interstate.
- (C) These whole number percentages will be used by the Company to apportion the use, rates, and/or nonrecurring charges between interstate and intrastate until a revised report is received.
- (D) The projected interstate percentage of use will be used to determine the charges as follows:

The number of access minutes for a group will be multiplied by the projected interstate percentage of use to determine the interstate access minutes. (i.e., number of access minutes x projected interstate percentage of use = interstate access minutes). The number of interstate access minutes so determined will be subtracted from the total number of access minutes (i.e., number of access minutes - interstate access minutes = intrastate access minutes). The interstate access minutes for the group will be billed as set forth in Section 4, following.

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## 2.3 Obligations of the Customer (cont'd)

#### 2.3.3 Jurisdictional Report Requirements (cont'd)

- Effective on the first of January, April, July and October of each year, the **(E)** customer may update the jurisdictional reports that require a projected interstate percentage. The customer shall forward to the Company, to be received no later than 20 calendar days after the first of each such month. a revised report showing the interstate percentage of use for the past three months ending the last day of December, March, June and September, respectively, for each service arranged for interstate and intrastate use. Except as set forth in Section 2.3.3(A) preceding where jurisdiction can be determined from the recorded message detail, the revised report will serve as the basis for the next three months billing and will be effective on the bill date in the following month (i.e., February, May, August, and November) for that service. No prorating or back billing will be done based on the report. If the customer does not supply the report, the Company will assume the percentage to be the same as that provided in the last quarterly report. For those cases in which a quarterly report has never been received from the customer, the Company will assume the percentage to be the same as that provided in the order for service as set forth in Section 2.3.3(A) preceding.
- (F) The customer reported projected interstate percentage of use as set forth in Section 2.3.3(A) preceding will be used for the apportionment of any monthly rates or nonrecurring charges associated with Feature Groups B or D Switched Access Service until the end of the quarter during which the service was activated. Thereafter, a projected interstate percentage for such apportionment will be developed quarterly by the Company based on the data used to develop the projected interstate percentage of use as set forth in Section 2.3.3(A) preceding. Where call detail is insufficient to make such a determination, the customer will be requested to project a interstate percentage of use to be used by the Company for such apportionment.

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## 2.3 Obligations of the Customer (cont'd)

## 2.3.3 Jurisdictional Report Requirements (cont'd)

- (G) The customer shall keep sufficient detail from which the percentage of interstate use can be ascertained and upon request of the Company make the records available for inspection. Such a request will be initiated by the Company no more than once per year. The customer shall supply the data within 30 calendar days of the Company request.
- (H) The customer may provide an additional percentage of interstate use to Entrance Facility and Direct Trunked Transport subject to the reporting requirements previously listed in this section. This percentage of interstate use may be provided per individual facility or at the billing account level. Should the customer not provide a percentage of interstate use, the Company will use the reported Feature Group B or Feature Group D aggregated percentage of interstate use.

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#### 2.4 Customer Equipment and Channels

# 2.4.1 Interconnection of Facilities

In order to protect the Company's facilities and personnel and the services furnished to other customers by the Company from potentially harmful effects, the signals applied to the Company's service shall be such as not to cause damage to the facilities of the Company. Any special interface equipment necessary to achieve the compatibility between facilities of the Company and the channels or facilities of others shall be provided at the Customer's expense.

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## 2.4 <u>Customer Equipment and Channels (cont'd)</u>

#### 2.4.2 Inspections

- (A) The Company may, upon notification to the Customer, at a reasonable time, make such tests and inspections as may be necessary to determine that the requirements regarding the equipment and interconnections are being complied with the installation, operation and maintenance of Customer-provided equipment and in the wiring of the connection of Customer channels to Company-owned facilities.
- (B) If the protective requirements in connections with Customer-provided equipment are not being complied with, the Company may take such action as necessary to protect its facilities and personnel and will promptly notify the Customer by registered mail in writing of the need for protective action. In the event that the Customer fails to advise the Company within 10 days after such notice is received or within the time specified in the notice that corrective action has been taken, the Company may take whatever additional action is deemed necessary, including the suspension of service, to protect its facilities and personnel from harm. The Company will upon request 24 hours in advance provide Customer with a statement of technical parameters that the Customer's equipment must meet.

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#### 2.5 Customer Deposits and Advance Payments

- 2.5.1 Deposits
  - (A) The Company may, in order to safeguard its interests, require a Customer which has a proven history of late payments to the Company or does not have established credit or has a bad credit rating to make a deposit prior to or at any time after the provision of service to the Customer to be held by the Company as a guarantee of the payment of rates and charges. No such deposit will be required of a Customer that has established satisfactory credit and has no history of late payments to the Company.
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- (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 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 Tariff No. 1, Section 1.9.2.

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# 2.5 Customer Deposits and Advance Payments (cont'd.)

## 2.5.2 <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", of telephone service invoices. 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.

## 2.5.3 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 deposits will be consistent with 4901:1-5-06 of the Commission's Minimum Telephone Service Standards.

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#### 2.6 Payment Arrangements

## 2.6.1 Payment for Service

- (A) The Customer is responsible for payment of all charges for facilities and services furnished by the Company. Federal, state and local sales, use and excise taxes, where applicable, shall be added to the charges contained herein. It shall be the responsibility of the Customer to pay these taxes that may subsequently become applicable retroactively.
- (B) Bills are due and payable upon receipt. If the Customer's net bill is not paid (payment received by the Company) within twenty-one (21) days after rendition of the invoice it shall become a delinquent bill and interest at the lesser of (1) the rate of one and one-half percent (1.5%) per month or (2) the highest rate allowed by law per month shall accrue upon any unpaid amount due hereunder.
- (C) The Customer will be assessed a charge of ten dollars (\$10.00) for each check submitted by the Customer to the Company which a financial institution refuses to honor for insufficient funds or a non-existent account.
- (D) The customer shall notify the Company of any disputed items on an invoice within 90 days of receipt of the invoice. If the Customer and the Company are unable to resolve the dispute to their mutual satisfaction, the Customer may file a complaint with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio in accordance with the Commission's rules of procedure. The address of the Commission is as follows:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215-3793 Phone: (614) 466-3292

(E) If service is disconnected by the Company in accordance with section 2.6.3 following and later restored, restoration of service will be subject to all applicable installation charges.

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

#### 2.6.2 <u>Taxes</u>

All federal excise taxes, and state and local sales, use, and similar taxes, as well as federal and state surcharges imposed or collected by the National Exchange Carrier Association, are the responsibility of the user, are billed as separate line items and are not included in the quoted rates.

# 2.6.3 Discontinuance of Service for Cause

- (A) The Company may discontinue or suspend service to Customer upon seven (7) days prior written notice and no sooner than fourteen (14) days from due date on bill without incurring any liability for the following reasons:
  - (i) Upon non-payment of any amounts owing to the Company for local exchange services which is not in dispute; or
  - (ii) Upon failure of the Customer to meet the deposit requirements set out in Section 1.9.3 of this tariff; or
  - (iii) Upon failure of the Customer to provide the Company reasonable access to its equipment and property; or
  - (iv) Upon failure of the Customer to comply with municipal ordinances or other laws pertaining to telecommunications services.
- (B) Upon violation of any of the other material terms or conditions for furnishing service the Company may, by giving 30 days' prior notice in writing to the Customer, discontinue or suspend service without incurring any liability if such violation continues during that period.

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

#### 2.6.4 Notice to Company for Cancellation of Service

If a Customer cancels a services order after seventy-two hours (72) have passed after service has been ordered, or terminates service before the completion of the term for any reason whatsoever other than a service interruption (as defined in Tariff No. 1, Section 1.7), Customer agrees to pay the Company the all special construction fees which shall become due and owing as of the effective date of the cancellation or termination and be payable within the period set forth in Tariff No. 1, Section 1.9.6.

2.6.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved

Provisions on meet point billing arrangements are forthcoming

#### 2.6.6 Changes in Service Requested

If the Customer makes or requests material changes in circuit engineering, equipment specifications, service parameters, premises locations, or otherwise materially modified any provision of the application for service, the Customer's installation fees shall be adjusted according to the type of the Service Order charge.

## 2.6.7 Customer Overpayment

The Company will pay interest on a Customer overpayment. Customer overpayment shall mean a payment to the Company in excess of the correct charges for service when caused by erroneous billing by the Company. The rate of interest shall be at least five per cent per annum, and shall be reimbursed to the customer within two billing periods after the propriety of the reimbursement is confirmed. Interest shall be paid from the date when the Customer overpayment was made, adjusted for any changes in the deposit interest rate or late payment penalty rate, and compounded monthly, until the date when the overpayment is refunded. The overpayment and interest shall be in the form of either a direct payment to the subscriber or, if requested by the Customer, a credit to the subscriber's account within the next two billing periods.

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### 2.7 Allowances for Interruptions in Service

Interruptions in service, which are not due to the negligence of, or noncompliance with the provisions of this tariff by, the Customer or the operation or malfunction of the facilities, power or equipment provided by the Customer, will be credited to the Customer as set forth in 2.7.1 for the part of the service that the interruption affects.

## 2.7.1 Credit for Interruptions

- (A) A credit allowance will be made when an interruption occurs because of a failure of any component furnished by the Company under this tariff. An interruption period begins when the Customer reports a service, facility or circuit to be interrupted and releases it for testing and repair. An interruption period would also begin when it is discovered by the Company. An interruption period ends when the service, facility or circuit is operative. If the Customer reports a service, facility or circuit to be inoperative but declines to release it for testing and repair, it is considered to be impaired, but not interrupted.
- (B) For calculating credit allowances, every month is considered to have 30 days. A credit allowance is applied on a pro rata basis against the rates specified hereunder and is dependent upon the length of the interruption. Only those facilities on the interrupted portion of the circuit will receive a credit.

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- 2.7.1 Credit for Interruptions (cont'd)
  - (B) (cont'd)

A credit allowance will be given for interruptions of 30 minutes or more. Credit allowances shall be calculated as follows:

# Interruptions of 24 Hours or Less

Length of Interruption	Interruption Period To Be Credited
Less than 30 minutes	None
30 minutes up to but not including 3 hours	1/10 Day
3 hours up to but not including 6 hours	1/5 Day
6 hours up to but not including 9 hours	2/5 Day
9 hours up to but not including 12 hours	3/5 Day
12 hours up to but not including 15 hours	4/5 Day
15 hours up to but not including 24 hours	One Day

Two or more interruptions of 15 minutes or more during any one 24-hour period shall be considered as one interruption.

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- 2.7.1 Credit for Interruptions (cont'd)
  - (B) (cont'd)

Interruptions Over 48 Hours and Less Than 72 Hours. Interruptions over 24 hours and less than 72 hours will be credited amount equal to at least one-third of one month's charges for any regulated local services rendered inoperative.

<u>Interruptions Over 72 Hours and Less Than 96 Hours</u>. Interruptions over 72 hours and less than 96 hours will be credited an amount equal to at least two-thirds of one month's charges.

Interruptions Over 96 Hours.

Interruptions over 96 hours will be credited an amount equal to at least one month's charges for any regulated local services rendered inoperative.

(C) The Company may apply for a waiver to paragraphs (A) and (B) in the event of a verifiable act of God. In the event an act of God exception is applied, the provisions of paragraphs (A) and (B) will not apply until forty-eight hours after the onset of the verified act of God. Accordingly, forty-eight hours shall be added to each of the time frames established in paragraph (B) for purposes of determining credits to customer accounts.

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## 2.7 <u>Allowances for Interruptions in Service (cont'd)</u>

2.7.2 Limitations on Allowances

No credit allowance will be made for:

- (i) interruptions due to the negligence of, or non-compliance with the provisions of this Tariff by the Customer; and
- (ii) interruptions that are restored less than 30 minutes after the interruption is reported or discovered by the Company.
- (iii) interruptions that are restored less than 48 hours after a verifiable act of God as referred to in Section 2.7.1(C) and the Commission's MTTS 4901:1-5-16(C).

All requirements for credit allowances for interruptions of service will be consistent with 4901:1-5-16 of the Commission's Minimum Telephone Service Standards.

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#### 2.7 <u>Allowances for Interruptions in Service (cont'd)</u>

## 2.7.3 Cancellation For Service Interruption

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For contract customers only, cancellation or termination for service interruption is permitted only if any circuit experiences a single continuous outage of 8 hours or more or cumulative service credits equaling 16 hours in a continuous 12-month period. The right to cancel service under this provision applies only to the single circuit which has been subject to the outage or cumulative service credits.

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#### 2.8 Application of Rates

The regulations set forth in this section govern the application of rates for services contained in other sections of this tariff.

## 2.8.1 Charges Based on Duration of Use

Customer traffic to end offices will be measured (i.e., recorded or assumed) by the Company at end office switches or access tandem switches. Originating and terminating calls will be measured (i.e., recorded or assumed) by the Company to determine the basis for computing chargeable access minutes. In the event the Customer message detail is not available because the company lost or damages tapes or experienced recording system outages, the Company will estimate the value of lost Customer access minutes of use based on previously known values.

For originating calls over Feature Group B or D, usage measurement begins when the originating Feature Group B or D switch receives the first wink supervisory signal forwarded from the Customer's point of termination.

The measurement of originating call usage ends when the originating Feature Group B or D switch receives disconnect supervision from either the originating end user's end office, indicating the originating end user has disconnected, or the Customer's point of termination, whichever is recognized first by the switch.

For terminating calls over Feature Group B or D, the measurement of access minutes begins when the terminating Feature Group B or D switch receives answer supervision from the terminating end user's end office, indicating the terminating end user has answered. For terminating calls over FGB and FGD Access Service, the measured minutes are chargeable access minutes. Where assumed minutes are used, the assumed minutes are the chargeable access minutes.

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## 2.8 Application of Rates (cont'd)

## 2.8.1 Charges Based on Duration of Use (cont'd)

The measurement of terminating call usage over Feature Group B or D ends when the terminating Feature Group B or D switch receives disconnect supervision from either the terminating end user's end office, indicating the terminating end user has disconnected, or the Customer's point of termination, whichever is recognized first by the switch.

FGB and FGD access minutes or fractions thereof, the exact value of the fraction being a function of the switch technology where the measurement is made, are accumulated over the billing period for each end office, and are then rounded up to the nearest access minutes for each end office.

## 2.8.2 Rates Based Upon Distance

- (A) The airline distance between any two Rate Centers is determined as follows:
  - (1) Obtain the "V" and "H" coordinates for each Rate Center from the above referenced NECS tariff.
  - (2) Compute the difference between the "V" coordinates of the two rate centers; and the difference between the two "H" coordinates.
  - (3) Square each difference obtained in step (2) above.
  - (4) Add the square of the "V" difference and the square of the "H" difference obtained in step (3).
  - (5) Divide the sum of the squares by 10. Round to the next higher whole number if any fraction is obtained.

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# 2.8 Application of Rates (cont'd)

## 2.8.2 <u>Rates Based Upon Distance (cont'd)</u>

- (A) (Cont'd)
  - (6) Obtain the square root of the whole number result obtained above. Round to the next higher whole number if any fraction is obtained. This is the airline mileage.

## 2.8.3 Mileage

The mileage to be used to determine the Local Transport Facility monthly rates are calculated on the airline distance between the end office switch where the call carried by Local Transport originates or terminates and the customer's serving wire center. The V&H coordinates method is used to determine mileage. This method is set forth in Section 2.28.2

The Local Transport Facility mileage rates are shown in Section 4.1.3 in terms of per mile per access minute. To determine the rate to be billed, first compute the mileage. Should the calculation result in a fraction of a mile, always round up to the next whole mile before determining the mileage. Then multiply the mileage by the appropriate Local Transport Facility rate. The amount to be billed shall be the product of this calculation (i.e., the number of miles multiplied by the per mile rate) multiplied by the number of access minutes.

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#### 3.1 Access Services

Switched Access Service, which is available to customers for their use in furnishing their services to end users, provides a two-point communications path between a customer's premises (or a collocated interconnection location) and an end user's premises. It provides for the use of common terminating, switching and trunking facilities. Switched Access Service provides for the ability to originate calls from an end user's premises to a customer's premises (or a collocated interconnection location) and to terminate calls from a customer's premises (or a collocated interconnection location) to an end user's premises in the LATA where it is provided. Switched Access Service must be ordered separately for each LATA in which the Customer desires to originate or terminate calls.

Switched Access Service is provided in the following service categories, which are differentiated by their technical characteristics and the manner in which an end user or customer accesses them when originating or terminating calls.

FGB Access, which is available to all customers, provides trunk side access to Company end office switches with an associated uniform 950-XXXX access code for the customer's use in originating and terminating communications.

FGD Access, which is available to all customers, provides trunk side access to Company end office switches with an associated uniform 10XXX access code for the customer's use in originating and terminating communications. End users may also originate calls to a selected FGD Access customer without dialing the 10XXX access code by using the Company's presubscription service.

Local Access Service, which is available only to customers that are authorized providers of local exchange telephone service, provides trunk side access to Company end office switches in the terminating direction only, for the customer's use in terminating local calls dialed to an NPA-NXX code directly assigned to the Company.

800 Data Base Access Service, which is available to all customers, provides trunk side access to Company end office switches in the originating direction only, for the customer's use in originating calls dialed by an end user to telephone numbers beginning with the prefix "800."

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

# 3.1.1 Access Service Order

An Access Service Order is used by the Company to provide a customer Access Service. When placing an order for Access Service, the customer shall provide, at a minimum, the following information:

(A) For Feature Group B Switched Access Service, the customer shall specify the number of trunks and the end office when direct routing to the end office is desired and the Local Transport and Local Switching options desired. When ordering FGB trunks to an end office, the customer must also provide the Company an estimate of the amount of traffic to be generated to and/or from each end office subtending an access tandem operated by another Exchange Telephone Company to assist the Company in the effort to project further facility requirements.

In addition, the customer shall also specify for terminating only access, whether the trunks are to be arranged in trunk group arrangements or provided as single trunks.

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#### 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

(B) For Feature Group D Switched Access Service, the customer shall specify the number of busy hour minutes of capacity (BHMC) from the customer's premises to the end office by Feature Group and by traffic type. This information is used to determine the number of transmission paths. The customer shall also specify the Local Transport and Local Switching options. Customers may, at their option, order FGD by specifying the number of trunks and the end office when direct routing to the end office is desired and the Local Transport and Local Switching options desired. When ordering by trunk quantities rather than BHMC quantities to an end office, the customer must also provide the Company an estimate of the amount of traffic it will generate to and/or from each end office subtending an access tandem operated by another Exchange Telephone Company to assist the Company in its own efforts to project further facility requirements.

In addition, for Feature Group D with the SS7 signaling option, the customer shall specify the switching point codes and trunk circuit identification codes for trunks with the SS7 signaling option, and the STP point codes, signaling link codes and link type for each Common Channel Signaling Access (CCSA) connection ordered.

When a customer orders FGD in trunks, the customer is responsible to assure that sufficient access facilities have been ordered to handle its traffic.

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## 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

- (C) For 800 Data Base Access Service, the customer shall order the service in accordance with the preceding provisions set forth for Feature Group D. If the customer desires any of the optional features available with 800 Data Base Service, the customer shall so specify on the order for service.
- (D) When a customer orders collocation in an end office with Company provided Switched Access Service(s), the customer must specify the collocated fiber option facilities or microwave interconnection location involved. The customer must also specify the particular end office location involved, which must be the end office in which the Switched Access Service(s) originate or terminate.
- (E) For Local Access Service, the customer shall specify the number of trunks or facilities and the end office when direct routing to the end office is desired and the options desired. When ordering trunks or facilities to an end office, the customer must also provide the Company an estimate of the amount of traffic to be generated to and/or from each end office subtending an access tandem operated by another Exchange Telephone Company to assist the Company in the effort to project further facility requirements. In addition, when the customer orders trunks or facilities, the customer is responsible to assure that sufficient access facilities have been ordered to handle its traffic.

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

# 3.1.1.1 Access Order Service Date Intervals

Access Service is provided with one of the following Service Date Intervals:

-Standard Interval -Negotiated Interval -Advance Order Interval

## (A) <u>Standard interval</u>

A schedule of Standard Intervals applicable for Switched Access . Services and is as follows:

<u>Trunks Groups</u>	Standard Interval
1 to 4 Trunks	28 Days
5 Trunks or Greater	30 Days

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

## 3.1.1.1 Access Order Service Date Intervals (cont'd)

(B) <u>Negotiated Interval</u>

The Company will negotiate a service date interval with the customer when:

- (1) There is no Standard Interval for the service, or;
- (2) The quantity of Access Services orders exceeds the quantities specified in the Standard Intervals, or;
- (3) The customer requests a service date beyond the applicable Standard Interval service date except as set forth in (C) following.

The Company will offer a service date based on the type and quantity of Access Services the customer has requested. The Negotiated Interval may not exceed by more than six months the Standard Interval service date, or, when thee is no Standard Interval, the Company offered service date. All services for which rates are applied on an individual case basis are provided with a Negotiated Interval.

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#### 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

# 3.1.1.1 Access Order Service Date Intervals (cont'd)

(B) <u>Negotiated Interval</u> (cont'd)

Common Channel Signaling Access (CCSA) links will be provided on a Negotiated Interval. New or existing FGD trunks ordered with the SS7 signaling option will be provided on a Negotiated Interval.

The addition and/or deletion of an 800 Access Service six digit customer identification NXX is provided with a Negotiated Interval. The addition of an 800 Access Service ten digit customer identification record to the 800 Access Service data base or the deletion of an 800 Access Service ten digit customer identification record from the 800 Access Service data base is provided with a Negotiated Interval.

Initial establishment of service where customer is:

Maximum Interval

Not yet provided with any
Trunk Group service in the LATA
Provided Trunk Group service
in the LATA

6 months

90 Days

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### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1.1 Access Order Service Date Intervals (cont'd)

(C) <u>Advance Order Interval</u>

When placing an Access order, a customer may request an Advance Order Interval for a service date of 12 to 24 months from the Application Date for the following services:

- A minimum of 24 voice grade equivalent Switched Access Service lines or trunks or 720 BHMCs

Orders for less than the minimum quantities will be accommodated under Standard or Negotiated Interval provision.

Advance Order Interval Access Orders are subject to all ordering conditions of Standard and Negotiated Interval Access Orders except for the following:

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3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

# 3.1.1.1 Access Order Service Date Intervals (cont'd)

- (C) Advance Order Interval (cont'd)
  - (1) Advance Payment

A nonrefundable Advance Payment will be calculated as follows:

Advance Payment (Nonrefundable) The minimum monthly charge for the minimum period plus the applicable Nonrecurring Charges for the services ordered.

This Advance Payment is due 10 working days from the date the Company confirms acceptance of the order, or on the Application Date, whichever date is the later date. If the Advance Payment is not received by such payment date, the order will be canceled.

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

## 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

# 3.1.1.1 Access Order Service Date Intervals (cont'd)

# (C) Advance Order Interval (cont'd)

(1) Advance Payment (cont'd.)

When the Access Services are connected on the service date, the Advance Payment will be applied, as a credit, to the customer's billed service charges. When there has been a decrease in the number of services originally ordered, as set forth in (2) following, only the portion of the Advance Payment for services actually installed will be credited.

(2) <u>Cancellation or Partial Cancellation of an Advance Order</u> <u>Interval Access Order</u>

> When the customer cancels an Access Order, the order will be withdrawn. The Advance Payment will not be credited or refunded.

Any decrease in the number of ordered Access Services will be treated as a partial cancellation, and the portion of the Advance Payment for the services canceled will not be credited or refunded.

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## 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1 <u>Access Service Order (cont'd)</u>

#### 3.1.1.2 Access Order Modifications

The customer may request a modification of its Access Order at any time prior to notification by the Company that service is available for the customer's use or prior to the service date, whichever is later.

Any increase in the number of Switched Access Service lines, trunks or busy hour minutes of capacity for CC SA signaling connections will be treated as a new Access Order (for the increased amount only).

# (A) <u>Service Date Change Charge</u>

Access Order service dates for the installation of new services or rearrangements of existing services may be changed, but the new service date may not exceed the original service date by more than 30 calendar days. When, for any reason, the customer indicates that service cannot be accepted for a period not to exceed 30 calendar days, and the Company accordingly delays the start of service, a Service Date Change Charge will apply. If the customer requested service date is more than 30 calendar days after the original service date, the order will be canceled by the Company and reissued with the appropriate cancellation charges applied.

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## 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

## 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1.2 Access Order Modifications

#### (A) <u>Service Date Change Charge (cont'd)</u>

A Service Date Change Charge will apply, on a per order per occurrence basis, for each service data changed. The applicable charge is found in Section 4.1.1.

## (B) Partial Cancellation Charge

Any decrease in the number of ordered Switched Access Service lines, trunks or busy hour minutes of capacity ordered with a Standard or Negotiated Interval Access order will be treated as a partial cancellation and the charges as set forth in Section 3.1.1.3 following will apply. Partial cancellation charges do not apply to Advance Order Interval Access Orders.

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1.2 Access Order Modifications (cont'd)

## (C) <u>Design Change Charge</u>

The customer may request a design change to the service ordered. A design change is any change to an Access order which requires engineering review. Design changes do not include a change of customer premises, end user premises, end office switch, Feature Group type except for changes to Feature Group D. Changes of this nature will require the issuance of a new order and the cancellation of the original order with appropriate cancellation charges applied.

The Design Change Charge will apply on a per order per occurrence basis, for each order requiring a design change. The applicable charge is found in Section 4.1.1.

If a change of service date is required, the Service Date Change Charge will also apply.

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#### 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1.2 Access Order Modifications (cont'd)

## (D) Expedited Order Charge

When placing an Access Order for service(s) for which Standard Intervals exist, a customer may request a service date that is prior to the Standard Interval service date. A customer may also request an earlier service date on a pending Standard, Negotiated or Advance Order Interval Access Order. If the Company agrees to provide service on an expedited basis, an Expedited Order Charge will apply.

If the Company receives a request for an expedited service date at the time a Standard Interval Access Order is placed, the Expedited order Charge is calculated by summing all the nonrecurring charges associated with the order and then dividing this total by the number of days in the Standard Interval. The charge is then applied on a per day of improvement basis, per order, but in no event shall the charge exceed fifty percent of the total nonrecurring charges associated with the Access Order.

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#### 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1.3 Cancellation of an Access Order

- (A) A customer may cancel an Access order for the installation of service at any time prior to notification by the Company that services available for the customer's use or prior to the service date, whichever is later. The cancellation date is the date the Company receives written or verbal notice from the customer that the order is to be canceled. The verbal notice must be followed by written confirmation within 10 days. If a customer or a customer's end user is unable to accept Access Service within 30 calendar days after the original service date, the customer has the choice of the following options:
  - The Access Order shall be canceled and charges set forth in (B) following will apply, or
  - Billing for the service will commence.

If no cancellation request is received within the specified 30 calendar days, billing for the service will commence. In any event, the cancellation date or the date billing is to commence, as applicable, shall be the 31st day beyond the original service date of the Access Order.

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#### 3.1.1 Access Service Order (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1.3 Cancellation of an Access Order (cont'd)

- (B) When a customer cancels a Standard or Negotiated Interval Access Order for the installation of service, a Cancellation Charge will apply as follows:
  - (1) When the customer cancels an Access Order, a charge equal to the estimated provisioning costs incurred at a particular date for the service ordered by the Company shall apply.
  - (2) If the Company misses a service date for a Standard or Negotiated Interval Access Order by more than 30 days, due to circumstances such as governmental requirements, work stoppages and civil commotions, the customer may cancel the Access Order without incurring cancellation charges.

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

#### 3.1.1 <u>Access Service Order (cont'd)</u>

#### 3.1.1.4 Minimum Period

- (A) The minimum period for which Access Service is provided and for which charges are applicable, is three months.
- (B) The following changes will be treated as a discontinuance of the existing service and an installation of a new service. All associated nonrecurring charges will apply for the new service.

The changes listed below are those which will be treated as a discontinuance and installation of service and for which a new minimum period will be established.

- (1) A move to a different building.
- (2) A change in type of service.
- (3) A change in Switched Access Service Interface Group.
- (4) Change in Switched Access Service traffic type.
- (5) A change in STP Access link.
- (6) A change in STP Port.
- (7) Change in Company-provided Switched Access Service to a Collocated Interconnection arrangement or vice versa.
- (8) Change to an existing Feature Group D Service to include the provision of 64 kbps Clear Channel Capability.

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#### 3.1.1 <u>Access Service Order (cont'd)</u>

#### 3.1.1.4 Minimum Period (cont'd)

When Access Service is disconnected prior to the expiration of the minimum period, charges are applicable for the balance of the minimum period.

The Minimum Period Charge for monthly billed services will be determined as follows:

For Switched Access Service, the charge for a month or fraction thereof is equal to the applicable minimum monthly charge for the capacity.

All applicable nonrecurring charges for the service will be billed in addition to the Minimum Period Charge.

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

#### 3.1.2 Standard Rate Categories

The following rate categories apply to all forms of Switched Access Service, except as stated in 3.1.3:

- Carrier Common Line
- Local Transport
- End Office
- (A) <u>Carrier Common Line</u>

The Common Line rate category established the charges related to the use of Company-provided end user common lines by customers and end users for intrastate access.

#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

- 3.1.2 Standard Rate Categories (cont'd)
  - (A) <u>Carrier Common Line (cont'd)</u>

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

- 3.1.2 Standard Rate Categories (cont'd)
  - (A) <u>Carrier Common Line (cont'd)</u>

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#### (B) Tandem Connect Access

The Tandem Connect Access rate category establishes the charges related to the transmission and Feature Group switching facilities between the Customer's tandem provider and the end office switch(es) where the customer's traffic originates or terminates.

(1) Tandem Switched Transport

Tandem Switched Transport is composed of the following rate elements:

- The Tandem Switched Termination element includes the nondistance sensitive portion of Switched Transport, and is assessed on a per access minute of use basis.
- The Tandem-Switched Facility element includes the distance sensitive portion of Switched Transport and is assessed on a per access minute of use per mile basis.
- The Tandem-Switching element includes the access tandem switching associated with Tandem-Switching Transport traffic and is assessed per access minute through the tandem.

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

- 3.1.2 <u>Standard Rate Categories (cont'd)</u>
  - (B) <u>Tandem Connect Access, (cont'd)</u>
    - 2. Common Multiplexing

Common Multiplexing is provided on a usage sensitive basis in conjunction with Tandem-Switched Transport. Switched access facilities are connected to the tandem as DS1 circuits. Multiplexing is required to convert common switched facilities from an operating speed of 44.736 Mbps to an operating speed of 1.544 Mbps.

3. Common Trunk Port

The Common Trunk Port used by multiple customers provides for the termination of common transport trunks in common end office trunk ports in conjunction with tandem routed traffic. The Common Trunk Port rate is assessed on a usage sensitive basis on tandem routed switched access. This rate will also be assessed on all minutes of use originating or terminating at a RSS/RSM.

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### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

- 3.1.2 Standard Rate Categories (cont'd)
  - (B) <u>Tandem Connect Access, (cont'd)</u> (T)

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

- 3.1.2 <u>Standard Rate Categories (cont'd)</u>
  - $(B) \qquad \underline{\text{Tandem Connect Access, (cont'd)}} \tag{T}$

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

- 3.1.2 Standard Rate Categories (cont'd)
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- 3.1.2 Standard Rate Categories (cont'd)
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- 3.1.2 Standard Rate Categories (cont'd)
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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

### 3.1.2 <u>Standard Rate Categories (cont'd)</u>

(C) End Office Switching

The End Office Switching rate category establishes the charges related to the use of end office switching equipment, the terminations in the end office of end user lines, the terminations of calls at Company Intercept Operators or recordings, the Signaling Transfer Point, (STP) costs, and the SS7 signaling function between the end office and the STP.

1. Local Switching

The Local Switching rate element provides for (1) local end office switching, i.e., the common switching functions associated with the various Switched Access Service arrangements and (2) intercept functions, i.e., the termination of certain calls at a Telephone company intercept operator or recording.

- 2. Host-Remote Transport
  - The Host-Remote Termination rate is assessed at all switched minutes transported between the Host office and a RSM or RSS. Host Remote rates apply to all Feature Groups used to connect to the Host office.
  - The Host-Remote Termination rate applies on a per minute per mile basis to all switched access minutes transported between the Host office and RSM and RSS, regardless of the type of Switched Transport service the customer uses to connect to the Host office.

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### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

- 3.1.3 Other Rate Categories
  - (A) [Reserved for Future Use]

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- 3.1.3 Other Rate Categories (cont'd)
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### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

- 3.1.3 Other Rate Categories (cont'd)
  - (A) [Reserved for Future Use], (cont'd)

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

- 3.1.3 Other Rate Categories (cont'd)
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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

### 3.1.3 Other Rate Categories (cont'd)

#### (B) <u>Toll-Free 8XX Data Base Access Service</u>

The Toll Free 8XX Data Base Access Service is a service offering that utilizes originating trunk side Switched Access Service to deliver Toll Free calls to the Company's Interexchange Carrier Customers. The service provides for the forwarding of end user dialed Toll Free calls to a Company Service Switching Point which will initiate a query to the database to perform the Customer identification and delivery function. The call is forwarded to the appropriate Interexchange Carrier Customer based on the dialed Toll-Free Number. Records exchange, rating and billing for Toll Free Data Base Access Service is subject to the provisions of the Multiple Exchange Carrier Access Billing Guidelines (MECAB).

#### 1) <u>Customer Identification Charge</u>

Toll Free Data Base Access Service Customer Identification Charge applies for the identification of the appropriate Interexchange Carrier Customer. The charge is assessed to the Customer on a per query basis and may include an area of service which may range from a single NPA/NXX to an area consisting of all LATAs and NPAs in the state of Ohio. The per query Customer Identification Charge is set forth in Section 4.

### 2) <u>Customer Delivery Charge</u>

The Toll Free Data Base Access Service Delivery Charge applies for the delivery of the dialed Toll-Free ten digit number. The charge is assessed to the Interexchange Carrier Customer on a per query basis and may include an area of service which may range from a single NPA/NXX to an area consisting of all LATAs and NPAs in the State of Ohio. The per query Customer Delivery Charge is set forth in Section 4.

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#### 3.1 Access Services (cont'd)

#### 3.1.3 Other Rate Categories (cont'd)

(B) Toll-Free 800 Data Base Access Service (cont'd)

### 3) <u>Toll Free Inter-Exchange Delivery Service</u>

The Toll Free Inter-Exchange Delivery Service is an access service in which the Company transports Toll Free traffic originating by a third party who is not an end user or other user of the Company's local exchange or exchange access service through its wire center to an Interexchange Customer. It provides for the use of the Tandem Switching, Tandem Terminating, and Tandem Transport facilities of the Company. In a Toll Free Inter-Exchange Delivery Service call, the Company will not charge Carrier Common Line, Local End Office Switching, or End Office Port charges. The rates for Toll Free Inter-Exchange Delivery Service is set forth in Section 4 are usage sensitive. Records exchange, rating, and billing for Toll Free Inter-Exchange Delivery Service is subject to the provisions of the Multiple Exchange Carrier Access Billing Guidelines (MECAB).

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### SERVICE AND RATE DESCRIPTIONS

### 3.2 <u>Miscellaneous Services</u>

### 3.2.1 Presubscription

- (A) Presubscription is an arrangement whereby an end user may select and designate to the Company an interexchange carrier (IC) to access, without an access code, for intrastate interLATA calls. For the purposes of this tariff, an "IC" includes any entity authorized by the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio to provide or to resell intrastate, intercity communications services. This IC is referred to as the end user's Primary Interexchange Carrier (PIC). The end user may select the Company as its PIC, or may select any other IC that orders originating Feature Group D Switched Access Service either to the Company's end office location or to an authorized local exchange carrier's tandem that sub-tends the Company's end office. After the end user's initial selection of a predesignated IC, for any additional change in selection, a non-recurring charge, as set forth in Section 4, applies.
- (B) At the request of a new or existing end user served by a Feature Group D end office, the Company will provide a list of ICs the end user may select as its PIC. At no additional charge for the initial selection, the customer may choose either of the following options.

- Designate an IC as a PIC and dial 10XXX or 1010XXX to reach other ICs.

- Designate that they do not want to be presubscribed to any IC and choose to dial 10XXX or 1010XXX for all calls to all ICs.

- New end users subscribing to the Company's Exchange Access Service which do not specify a PIC will default to a no PIC choice as their initial PIC selection. Subsequent to the installation of Exchange Access Service, and after the end user's initial selection of a PIC, for any additional change in selection, a non-recurring charge set forth in Section 4.2.1 applies. This charge may be either billed to the end user which is the subscriber to the Exchange Access Service, or upon request by the designated IC, billed to the IC on behalf of the end user.

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#### 3.2 <u>Miscellaneous Services (cont'd)</u>

#### 3.2.2 Unauthorized PIC Changes

If an IC requests a Primary Interexchange Carrier (PIC) change on behalf of a billed party (e.g., an end user), and the billed party subsequently denies requesting the change, and the IC is unable to substantiate the change with a letter of authorization signed by the billed party; then:

- The billed party will be reassigned to their previously selected IC. No charge will apply to the billed party for this reassignment.

- The Unauthorized Presubscription Change Charge as set forth in Section 4.2.1 will apply to the IC that requested the unauthorized PIC change. This charge is applied in addition to the PIC change charge set forth in Section 4.2.1 following.

#### 3.2.3 Expedited PIC Switchback Service

This service provides an expedited method of handling a disputed PIC change on behalf of the end user or its authorized agent.

- If the change has occurred within the past 90 days, the end user or its
- authorized agent will be credited the PIC change charge assessed for the disputed change in PIC, and will be immediately switched back to the former PIC at no charge to the end user.
- The PIC Switchback Charge as set forth in Section 4.2.1 will apply to the IC that requested the PIC Switchback charge to expedite the switchback to the end user's or its authorized agent's former PIC. This charge is applied in addition to the PIC change charge set forth in Section 4.2.1 following.

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#### 3.2 <u>Miscellaneous Services (cont'd)</u>

### 3.2.4 Expanded Interconnection Service

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(A) General

Expanded Interconnection is a service which permits customers to interconnect their transmission facilities to the Company's network through a direct cross-connection within the Company's end office location. The Company will provide expanded interconnection for DS1 (1.544 Mbps) and DS3 (44.736 Mbps) channels.

This service is provided on an optional basis in lieu of Entrance Facility, as described in 3.1.2(b) preceding. All other access service rates and charges for all service elements ordered by the Customer, as set forth in other section of this tariff, continue to apply.

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### SERVICE AND RATE DESCRIPTIONS

### 3.2 <u>Miscellaneous Services (cont'd)</u>

### 3.2.4 Expanded Interconnection Service (cont'd)

### (B) <u>Regulations</u>

Expanded Interconnection Service provides a DS1 or DS3 crossconnection between the Customer's transmission facilities and the Company's equipment at an end office location. The Customer is responsible for installing and maintaining its own transmission facilities and terminating equipment. The Customer's equipment must be compatible with industry-standard digital cross-connect (DSX-1 and DSX-3) parameters.

The Company will be responsible for the installation, maintenance, and operation of its equipment and of the cross-connection cable between the two sets of equipment.

The regulations herein are in addition to the terms and conditions specified in 3.1 preceding, Access Services.

(C) <u>Rate Regulations</u>

Recurring charges for cross-connects are set forth in 4.2.2 following.

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### 4.1 Access Rates

### 4.1.1 Service Orders

	A)	Service Implementation	Nonrecurring Charge Per <u>Line or Trunk</u>	
		(1) Installation Charge	\$75.00	
		(2) Access Order Charge -Per Access Request N/A	\$25.00	
	B)	Service Date Change	\$20.47	
	C)	Design Change	\$59.93	
4.1.2	Carrie	r Common Line		
			Per Access Minute	
	A)	Originating – All Zones	\$0.000000	(T)
	B)	Terminating – All Zones	\$0.000000	(T)

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### 4.1 Access Rates (cont'd)

4.1.3	Acces	<u>ss Servi</u>	<u>ce – AT&amp;T Territory</u>		(T)
	A)	<u>Entra</u>	nce Facility		
		(1)	DS1	Monthly	
			- Per Point of Termination	Zone 1* \$158.00	
				Zone 2* \$161.00	1
				Zone 3* \$163.00 Zone 4* \$168.00	
				Zone 5* \$176.00	
	B)	<u>Swite</u>	hed Transport (cont'd)		
		(1)	Tandem Switched Transport, per Minute		
			Zone 1	\$0.000103	
			Zone 2	\$0.000103	
			Zone 3	\$0.000105	i i
			Zone 4	\$0.000107	(Ť)
			Zone 5	\$0.000109	
		(2)	Tandem Switched Transport, per Minute,	per Mile	(T)(N
			Zone 1	\$0.000013	
			Zone 2	\$0.000014	]
			Zone 3	\$0.000014	
			Zone 4	\$0.000014	
			Zone 5	\$0.000014	 
		(3)	Tandem Switching, per Minute		
			Zone 1	\$0.001118	
			Zone 2	\$0.001151	l l
			Zone 3	\$0.001155	i
			Zone 4	\$0.001291	
			Zone 5	\$0.001856	

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#### 4.1 Access Rates (cont'd)

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	B)	Swite	hed Transport (cont'd)			Ì
		(4)	Common Transport Mu	ultiplexing, per Min	nute	
			Zone 1		\$0.000015	
			Zone 2		\$0.000017	ļ
			Zone 3		\$0.000018	
			Zone 4		\$0.000018	ļ
			Zone 5		\$0.000018	
		(5)	Common Trunk Port			
			Per Minute		\$0.000371	ĺ
		(6.)	Direct Transport			
		<u>Facility</u>	Monthly	Rate/Termination	Ì	
			DS1	Zone 1*	\$32.00	
				Zone 2*	\$32.70	
				Zone 3*	\$33.40	I
				Zone 4*	\$33.85	ļ
				Zone 5*	\$34.24	l
				Mon	thly Rate/Mile	
			DS1	Zone 1*	\$13.55	
				Zone 2*	\$13.89	
				Zone 3*	\$13.89	
				Zone 4*	\$13.89	
				Zone 5*	\$13.96	

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### 4.1 <u>Access Rates(cont'd)</u>

4.1.3	<u>Access Service – AT&amp;T Territory, (Cont'd.)</u>				
	(C)	Local Switching			
		Usage Rate – All Zones	Per Access Minute \$0.003153	   (T)	
	(D)	Host Remote Transport		(N)	
		Host-Remote Termination - All Zones (per host-remote access minute)	\$0.000313		
		Host-Remote Facility - All Zones (per host-remote access minute per mile)	\$0.000016		
		Host-Remote Trunk Port - All Zones (per host-remote access minute)	\$0.000371	   (T)	
	<b>(</b> E)	Toll-Free 8XX Data Base Access Service		(T)	
		Originating Carrier Common Line - All Zones	\$0.0000000	(N)	
		Terminating Carrier Common Line - All Zones	\$0.0000000	(N)	
		800 Database Query. Per Call - All Zones	\$0.00230400	(I)	
		Customer Delivery Charge - All Zones	\$0.00135000	(N)	

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# 4.1 Access Rates (cont'd)

4.1.4	Access Service – Embarq Territory					
	(A)	Service Orders Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u> Service Implementation				
		(1)	Access Order Charge - Per Access Request	\$ 60.00		
		(2)	Installation Charge - Per Trunk	\$ 115.00		
			Date Change cess Order	\$ 25.00		
		Design ( - Per Ac	Change cess Order	\$ 50.00		
		Records - Per Ac	Change ccess Order	\$ 50.00		
	(B)	Switched Transport				
		Entrance Factoria (1) DS	e Facility DS1	Monthly		
			- Per Point of Termination	Zone 1 \$60.25 Zone 2 \$60.25 Zone 3 \$60.25		
		(2)	Installation Charge	<u>Nonrecurring</u> \$ 400.00	 (T)(N)	

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### 4.1 Access Rates (cont'd)

4.1.4	Acce	ss Servic	vice – Embarq Territory, (cont'd)		
	(B)	<u>Switc</u>	hed Transport (cont'd)		
		(1)	Tandem Switched Transport, per N	Ainute	
			Zone 1	\$0.000412	
			Zone 2	\$0.000412	1
			Zone 3	\$0.000412	
		(2)	Tandem Switched Transport, per N	Ainute, per Mile	1
			Zone 1	\$0.000035	
			Zone 2	\$0.000035	
			Zone 3	\$0.000035	
		(3)	Tandem Switching, per Minute		
			Zone 1	\$0.000124	
			Zone 2	\$0.000124	i
			Zone 3	\$0.000124	
		(4)	Common Transport Multiplexing,	per Minute	
			Zone 1	\$0.000405	
			Zone 2	\$0.000405	ļ
			Zone 3	\$0.000405	
		(5)	Common Trunk Port		
			Per Minute	\$0.000405	(T)(N)

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4.1.4	Acces	s Servic	<u>ce – Embarq Territory (c</u>	cont'd)		(T)(N)
	(B)	<u>Switc</u>	ched Transport (cont'd)			
		(6)	Direct Transport			
			Facility	Monthly	Rate/Termination	
			DS1	Zone 1 Zone 2 Zone 3	\$37.40 \$37.40 \$37.40	
				Mont	thly Rate/Mile	
			DS1	Zone 1 Zone 2 Zone 3	\$1.60 \$1.60 \$1.60	
	(C)	End (	Office			
		(1)	Local Switching			
			Usage Rate		Per Access Minute \$0.003644	
	(D)	<u>Host</u>	Remote Transport			
			Remote Termination	nte)	\$0.000412	
			Remote Facility nost-remote access minu	ite per mile)	\$0.000035	
			Remote Access Tanden ninute x 2)	n Switching	\$0.000810	
			Remote Access Tanden		\$0.000405	   (T)(N)

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4.1.4	<u>Acces</u>	<u>s Service – Embarq Territory (cont'd)</u>		
	(E)	Toll-Free 8XX Data Base Access Service		(T)
		Originating Carrier Common Line - All Zones	\$0.0000000	(N)
		Terminating Carrier Common Line - All Zones	\$0.0000000	(N)
		800 Database Query, Per Call - All Zones	\$0.00675500	<b>(I</b> )

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### <u>RATES</u>

### Access Rates (cont'd) 4.1.5 Access Service - Verizon Territory (A) Service Orders Nonrecurring Charge Service Implementation Access Order Charge \$60.00 (1) - Per Access Request (2)Installation Charge - Per Trunk \$115,00 Service Date Change - Per Access Order \$25.00 Design Change - Per Access Order \$ 50.00 **Records Change** - Per Access Order \$ 50.00 (B) Switched Transport Entrance Facility Monthly DS1 (1)- Per Point of Termination \$240.00

Installation Charge

Nonrecurring \$ 400.00

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### 4.1 Access Rates (cont'd)

4.1.5	Acces	<u>s Service – Verizon Territory (cont'd)</u>				
	(B)	Swite	hed Transport (cont'd)			
		(1)	Tandem Switched Tran	nsport, per Minute		
			Entire State		\$0.0000000	
		(2)	Tandem Switched Trai	nsport, per Minute,	, per Mile	
			Entire State		\$0.0000020	ľ
		(3)	Tandem Switching, pe	r Minute		
			Entire State		\$0.0024000	
		(4)	Common Transport M	ultiplexing, per Mi	nute	
			Entire State		\$0.0000000	
		(5)	Common Trunk Port			
			Per Minute		\$0.0015479	
		(6)	Direct Transport			
			<u>Facility</u>	Monthl	y Rate/Termination	
			DS1	Entire State	\$25.62	
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			DS1	Entire State	\$9.54	(T)(N)

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4.1.5	Access Service – Verizon Territory (cont'd)			(T)(N)
	(C)	(C) <u>End Office</u>		
		(1) <u>Local Switching</u>		
		(a.) Usage Rate	Per Access Minute \$0.0022077	
	(D)	Host Remote Transport		
		Host-Remote Termination (per host-remote access minute)	\$0.0000000	
		Host-Remote Facility (per host-remote access minute per mile)	\$0.000002	
		Host-Remote Trunk Port (per host-remote access minute)	\$0.0015479	(T)(N)
	<b>(</b> E)	Toll-Free 8XX Data Base Access Service		<b>(</b> T <b>)</b>
		Originating Carrier Common Line - All Zones	\$0.0000000	(N)
		Terminating Carrier Common Line - All Zones	\$0.0000000	(N)
		800 Database Query, Per Call - All Zones	\$0.00856840	<b>(I)</b>
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#### 4.2 Miscellaneous Services **(T)** 4.2.1 Presubscription If the Customer changes both the InterLATA and intraLATA Presubscribed Interexchange Carrier at the same time, 50% of the otherwise applicable intraLATA Presubscription Change Charge will apply. Manual Processing \$5.50 **Electronic Processing** \$1.25 **(T)**

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TITLE SHEET

## REGULATIONS AND SCHEDULE OF INTRASTATE CHARGES

### APPLYING TO LOCAL AND INTEREXCHANGE SERVICE

### WITHIN THE STATE OF OHIO

This tariff describes the terms, conditions, services and rates applicable to the provision of local and interexchange telecommunications services regulated and tariffed in accordance with Competitive Retail Telephone Rules (Case No. 06-1345-TP-ORD).

The Company provides certain Detariffed/Nonregulated services which are found in the Company's Pricing Guide, available for viewing at the Company's principal place of business at 1325 Barksdale Blvd., Suite 200, Bossier City, LA 71111 or by contacting the Company by calling 888-424-5588 or via email at info@budgetprepay.com.

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# EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS AND REFERENCE MARKS

The following symbols shall be used in this tariff for the purpose 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
- T To indicate a change in text but no change in rate or regulation

## APPLICATION OF TARIFF

This tariff sets forth the service offering, rates, terms and conditions applicable to the furnishing local exchange and interexchange services by Budget PrePay, Inc. d/b/a Budget Phone to customers within the State of Ohio. This tariff is effective only where an approved interconnection agreement exists with the incumbent LEC currently serving such area.

The tariff describes the Company's terms, conditions, services and rates applicable to the provision of local and interexchange telecommunications services regulated in accordance with Competitive Retail Telephone Rules (Case No. 06-1345-TP-ORD).

Descriptions and rates for detariffed service offerings are found in the Company's Price Guide, available for viewing at the Company's principal place of business at 1325 Barksdale Blvd., Suite 200, Bossier City, LA 71111 or by contacting the Company by calling 888-424-5588 or via email at info@budgetprepay.com.

The Company is subject to the Commission's rules for Minimum Telephone Service Standards (MTSS) found in Chapter 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code. Customers have certain rights and responsibilities under the MTSS and these safeguards can be found in the appendix to rule 4901:1-5-03 of the Ohio Administrative Code.

## SECTION I - DEFINITIONS

Account Number: Customer's telephone number is the account number

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

Application for Service: A standard order form that includes all pertinent billing, technical, and other descriptive information that will enable Company to provide telecommunication service.

Authorized User: A person that either is authorized by the Customer to use local exchange telephone service at Customer's residence or other location, or is placed in a position by the Customer, either through acts or omissions, to use local exchange telephone service.

Basic Local Service Charge: The charge to provide local dial tone service, without taxes, fees or toll calls included.

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

Commission: Ohio Public Utilities Commission, unless specifically stated otherwise.

Company: Budget Phone, Inc, which is the issuer of this tariff.

Competitive Local Carrier (CLC): Denotes a common carrier that is issued the appropriate Certificate to provide local exchange telecommunications service.

Customer: The person, firm, corporation or entity that orders service, uses and/or is responsible for the payment of charges and for compliance with the Company's tariff regulations.

## SECTION I – DEFINITIONS (CONT'D.)

Customer-Provided Equipment: Terminal equipment, as defined herein, provided by Customer.

Demarcation Point: The premises wire demarcation point begins where the Customer's inside wire connects to the intrabuilding network cable (INC). Where there is no INC, the demarcation point is the point of entry at Company's entrance facility. This demarcation point separates the responsibility of the end user from that of a vendor or Company's vendor of choice for premises wire repair and Customer Provided Equipment trouble isolation.

Disconnection: The disconnection of a circuit, dedicated access line, or pod connection being used for existing service.

End-User: Any person, firm, corporation, partnership, or other entity that uses the services of the Company under the provisions and regulations of this tariff. The End User is responsible for payment unless the charges for the services utilized are accepted and paid by another Customer.

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.

Exchange Carrier: Any individual, partnership, association, joint-stock company, trust, governmental entity or corporation engaged in the provision of local exchange telephone service.

Exchange Service: The furnishing of service for telephone communication within local service areas in accordance with the provisions of this Tariff.

Holidays: Holidays observed by the Company as specified on this tariff.

Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier (ILEC): A local exchange carrier, including successors and assigns that is certified by the commission and was providing basic local exchange service on February 8, 1996.

Individual Case Basis: A service arrangement in which the regulations, rates and charges are developed based on the specific circumstances of the Customer's situation.

### SECTION I – DEFINITIONS (CONT'D.)

LATA: A local access and transport area established pursuant to the Modification of Final Judgment entered by the Unites States District Court for the District of Columbia in Civil Action No.82-0192 for the provision and administration of communications services.

Local Calling: A completed call or telephone communication between a calling Station and any other Station within the local service area of the calling Station.

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 Service: Service that provides for exchange telephone communication within the local service area at rates and under regulations as provided in this Tariff

Local Service Area: That area within which a Customer to exchange service can make telephone calls at exchange rates. A local service area may be made up of one or more central office areas or exchange areas.

Non-Recurring Charges: The one-time initial charges for services or facilities, including but not limited to charges for processing and installation, for which the Customer becomes liable at the time dial tone is achieved.

Premises: Customer premises are all space in the same building occupied by a Customer and all space occupied by the same Customer in different buildings or continuous property.

(Premises) Inside Wire: Inside (premises) wire (simple wire) refers to all non system inside (premises) telephone wire on the Customer's side of the inside wire demarcation point but does not include Customer premises equipment.

## SECTION I – DEFINITIONS (CONT'D.)

Prepaid Account: An inventory of 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, which enable 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).

Recurring Charges: The monthly charges to the Customer for services, facilities and/or 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 or this tariff, in which case the Service Commencement Date is the date of the Customer's acceptance of service. 'Me parties may mutually agree on a substitute Service Commencement Date.

Service Order: The written or verbal request for local exchange services requested by the Customer and the Company in a format specified by the Company. The acceptance of the Customer and the Company of a verbal service order and/or the signing of a written Service Order by the Customer and acceptance thereof 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. Service Order may also be referred to as Customer Service Agreement.

Services: The Company's local telecommunications services offered to the Customer.

Station: Telephone equipment from or to which calls are placed.

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

Trunk: A communications path connecting two switching systems in a network, used in the establishment of an end-to-end connection.

## SECTION 2 – REGULATIONS

#### 2.1 Undertaking of the Company

#### 2.1.1 Scope

The Company undertakes to furnish communications service pursuant to the terms of this tariff in connection with one-way and/or two-way information transmission between points within the state of Ohio.

Customers may use services and facilities provided under this tariff to obtain access to services offered by other service providers. The Company is responsible under this tariff only for the services and facilities provided herein, and it assumes no responsibility for any service provided by any other entity that purchases access to the Company network in order to originate or terminate its own services, or to communicate with its own customers.

### 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)

- 2.1.2 Terms and Conditions
  - (A) An application for services, whether made orally or in writing, establishes the contract between the customer and the Company on the terms and conditions set forth in this tariff. The Company does not foresee any reason it would deny a customer service so long as the customer complied with Section 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
  - (B) The Company reserves the right to limit or to allocate the use of existing facilities, or of additional facilities offered by the Company, when necessary because of lack of facilities, or due to some other cause beyond the Company's control.
  - (C) The furnishing of service under this tariff is subject to the availability on a continuing basis of all the necessary facilities and is limited to the capacity of the Company's fiber optic cable facilities as well as facilities the company may obtain from other carriers, from time to time, to furnish service as required at the sole discretion of the Company.

- 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)
  - 2.1.2 Terms and Conditions (Cont'd.)
    - (D) Customers may be required to enter into written service orders that 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. Customers may also be required to provide and/or execute other documents as may be reasonably requested by the Company such as medical expedites and Safe \*way eligibility forms.
    - (E) At the expiration of the initial month, service shall continue on a month-to-month basis at the then current rates unless terminated by either party. Customers may request disconnection verbally or in writing. The company will provide written notice in compliance with Chapter 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code to the customer prior to the disconnection of service. Such disconnection shall not relieve the customer of the obligation to pay any charges incurred under the service order and this tariff prior to termination. The rights and obligations that by their nature extend beyond the termination of the term of the service order shall survive such termination which would include any past due bills, plus the pro rated amount due for service provided to date, any toll charges and directory assistance charges.
    - (F) Service is provided on a monthly basis. All calculations of dates set forth in this tariff shall be based on calendar days, unless otherwise specified herein. The prorating of bills for partial monthly service will be calculated on this basis.

- 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)
  - 2.1.2 Terms and Conditions (Cont'd.)
    - (G) This tariff shall be interpreted and governed by the laws of the State of Ohio without regard for its choice of laws provisions.
    - (H) 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.
    - (I) The Customer agrees to operate any Company-provided equipment in accordance with instructions of the Company or the Company's agent. Failure to do so will void Company liability for interruption of service and may make the Customer responsible for damage to equipment.
    - (J) Service may be terminated in accordance with Chapter 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code
    - (K) No other telecommunications provider may interfere with the right of any person or entity to obtain service directly for the Company. No person or entity shall be required to make any payment, incur any penalty, monetary of otherwise, or purchase any services in order to have the right to obtain service directly from the Company.

## 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)

### 2.1.3 Liability of the Company

- (A) The liability of the Company for damages arising out of the furnishing of its services, including but not limited to mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, or errors, or other defects, representations, or use of these services or damages arising out of the failure to furnish its service, whether caused by acts or omission, shall be limited to the extension of allowances for interruptions in service as set forth below. The extension of such allowances for interruption shall be the sole remedy of the Customer and the sole liability of the Company. The Company will not be liable for any direct, indirect, special, incidental, consequential, exemplary or punitive damages to Customer as a result of any Company service, equipment or facilities, or acts or omissions or negligence of the Company's employees or agents. The limitation of liability contained herein will be in compliance with the Minimum Telephone Service Standards as codified in Chapter 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code
- (B) The Company's liability for willful misconduct, if established as a result of judicial or administrative proceedings, is not limited by this tariff. With respect to any other claim or suit, by a Customer or by any others, for damages associated with the ordering (including the reservation of any specific number for use with a service) installation (including delays thereof), provision, termination, maintenance, repair, interruption or restoration of any service offered under this tariff, if any, shall be limited as provided herein. The limitation of liability contained herein will be in compliance with Chapter 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code.

- 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)
  - 2.1.3 Liability of the Company, (Cont'd.)
    - (C) The Company shall be indemnified and saved harmless by the Customer from and against any claim, loss, or damage arising from the use of service offered under this tariff, involving:
      - .1 claims for libel, slander, invasions of privacy or infringement of copyright arising from any communication;
      - .2 claims for patent infringement arising from combining or using the service furnished by the Company in connection with facilities or equipment furnished by others; or
      - .3 claims for loss of profit; or;
      - .4 all other claims arising out of any act or omission of others in the course of using services provided pursuant to this tariff.

- 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)
  - 2.1.3 Liability of the Company, (Cont'd.)
    - (D) The Company shall not be liable for the Customer's failure to fulfill its obligations to take all necessary steps including, without limitation, obtaining, installing and maintaining all necessary equipment, materials and supplies for interconnecting the terminal equipment or communications system of the Customer, or any third party acting as its agent, to the Company's exchange access lines. If the Customer or its agent fails to maintain and operate its equipment and/or system or that of its agent properly, with resulting imminent harm to Company personnel, or the quality of service to other Customer, the Customer's expense. If this fails to produce satisfactory quality and safety, the company may, upon written notice, terminate the Customer's service without liability..

- 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)
  - 2.1.3 Liability of the Company, (Cont'd.)
    - (E) THE COMPANY MAKES NOT WARRANTIES OR REPRESENTATIONS, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED EITHER IN FACT OR BY OPERATION OF LAW, STATUTORY OR OTHERWISE, INCLUDING WARRANTIES OR MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR USE, EXCEPT THOSE EXPRESSLY SET FORTH HEREIN.
    - (F) With respect to Emergency Telephone Number Service (911, E911):

The Company is not responsible for any infringement or invasion of the right of privacy of any person or persons, caused or claimed to have been caused, directly or indirectly, by the use of 911 Service. Under the terms of this tariff the Public Safety Agency must agree, (except where the events, incidents, or eventualities set forth in this sentence are the result of the Company's gross negligence or willful misconduct), to release, indemnify, defend and hold the Company harmless from any and all losses or claims whatsoever, whether suffered, made instituted, or asserted by the Public Safety Agency or by any other party or person, for any personal injury to or death of any person or persons, or for any loss, damage, or destruction of any property, whether owned by the customer or others. Under the terms of this tariff, the Public Safety Agency must also agree to release, indemnify, defend and hold the Company harmless for any infringement of invasion of the right of privacy of any person or persons, caused or claimed to have been caused, directly or indirectly, by the installation, operation, failure to operate, maintenance, removal, presence, condition, occasion or use of 911 service features and the equipment associated therewith, or by any services furnished by the Company including, but not limited to, the identification of the telephone number, address or name associated with the telephone used by the party or parties accessing 911 service hereunder, and which arise out of the negligence or other wrongful act of the Public Safety Agency, its users, agencies or municipalities, or the employees or agents of a one of them, or which arise out of the negligence, other than gross negligence or willful misconduct, of the Company, its employees or agents.

#### 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)

- 2.1.3 Liability of the Company, (Cont'd.)
  - (G) With Respect to Directory Listings

The Company will comply with Chapter 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code.

- 1. In the absence of gross negligence or willful misconduct, and except for any allowances stated below, no liability for damages arising from errors or mistakes in or omissions of directory listings, or errors or mistakes in or omissions of listing obtainable from the directory assistance operator, including errors in the reporting thereof, shall attach to the Company.
- 2. An allowance for errors or mistakes in or omissions of published directory listings or for errors or mistakes in or omissions of listings obtainable from the directory assistance operator shall be given as follows:
  - a. Free Listings: For free or non-charged published directory listings credit shall be given at the rate of three (3) times the monthly local service charge for an additional or charge listing affected for the life of the directory or the charge period during which the error, mistake or omission occurs.
  - b. Charge Listings: For each additional or charge published directory listings, credit shall be give at the monthly tariff rate for each such listing for the life of the directory or the charge period during which the error, mistake or omission occurs.
  - c. Operator Records: For free or charge listings obtainable form records used by the directory assistance operator, upon notification to the Company of the error, mistake or omission in such records by the subscriber, the corrected information shall be placed in the files of directory assistance and intercept operators within two business days of discovery.

- 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)
  - 2.1.3 Liability of the Company, (Cont'd.)
    - (G) With Respect to Directory Listings, (Cont'd)
      - 2. (Cont'd)
        - d. Definitions: As used in paragraphs a, b and c. above, the terms "error," "mistake," or "omission" shall refer to a discrepancy in the directory listing or directory assistance records which the Company has failed to correct and where the error affects the ability to locate a particular subscriber's correct telephone number. The terms shall refer to addresses only to the extent that an error, mistake or omission of an address places the subscriber on a street or community different from the one provided to the Company.
        - e. Notice: Such allowances or credits as specified in paragraphs a. and b. above, shall be given notice to the Company by the subscriber that such error, mistake or omission has occurred; provided, however, that when it was administratively feasible for the Company to have knowledge of such error, mistake or omission, the Company shall give credit without the requirement of notification by the subscribers.
    - (H) Approval of limitation of liability language by the PUCO does not constitute a determination by the Commission that the limitation of liability imposed by the Company should be upheld in a court of law. Approval by the Commission merely recognizes that since it is a court's responsibility to adjudicate negligence and consequent damage claims, it is also the court's responsibility to determine the validity of the exculpatory clause.
    - (I) Inclusion of early termination liability by the Company in its tariff or a contract does not constitute a determination by the Commission that the termination liability imposed by the company is approved or sanctioned by the Commission. Customers shall be free to pursue whatever legal remedies they may have, should a dispute arise.

- 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)
  - 2.1.4 Provision of Equipment and Facilities
    - (A) The Company shall use 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 and shall install service in accordance with Rule 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
    - (B) The Company shall use reasonable efforts to maintain only facilities and/or equipment that it furnishes to the Customer, The customer may not, nor may the Customer permit others to, rearrange, disconnect, remove, attempt to repair or otherwise interfere with any of the facilities or equipment installed by the Company, except upon the written consent of the Company.
    - (C) The Company may substitute, change or rearrange any equipment or facility at any time and from time to time, but shall not thereby alter the technical parameters of the service provided by the Company.
    - (D) Equipment that the Company provides or installs at the customer premises for use in connection with the services offered by the Company shall not be used for any purpose other than that for which it was provided by the Company.
    - (E) The Company shall not be responsible for the installation, operation, or maintenance of any Customer-provided communications equipment. Where such equipment its connected to the facilities furnished pursuant to this tariff, the responsibility of the Company shall be limited to the furnishing of facilities offered under this tariff and to the maintenance and operation of such facilities. Beyond this responsibility, the Company shall not be responsible for:
      - 1. The transmission of signals by Customer provided equipment or for the quality of, or defects in, such transmission; or
      - 2. The reception of signals by Customer provided equipment; or
      - 3. Network control signaling where such signaling is performed by Customer-provided network control signaling equipment.

#### 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)

2.1.5 Service Affecting Activities

The Company will provide the Customer reasonable notification of service affecting activities that may occur in normal operation of its business. Such activity may include, but are not limited to, equipment or facilities additions, removals or rearrangements and routine preventative maintenance.

- 2.1.6 Universal Emergency Telephone Number Service (911, E911)
  - (A) This tariff does not provide for the inspection or constant monitoring of facilities to discover errors, defects, or malfunctions in the service, nor does the Company undertake such responsibility.
  - (B) 911 information consisting of the name, address and telephone number(s) of customers is confidential. The Company will release such information only after a 911 call has been received, on a call-by-call basis, only for the purpose of responding to an emergency call in progress.
  - (C) The 911 calling party, by dialing 911, waives the privacy afforded by unlisted and nonpublished service to the extent that the telephone number, name and address associated with the originating station location are furnished to the Public Safety Answering Point.
  - (D) After the establishment of service, it is the Public Safety Agency's responsibility to continue to verify die accuracy of and to advise the Company of any changes as they occur in street names, establishment of new streets, changes in address numbers used on existing streets, closing and abandonment of streets, changes in police, fire, ambulance or other appropriate agencies' jurisdiction over any address, annexations and other changes in municipal and county boundaries, incorporation of new cities or any other similar matter that may affect the routing of 911 calls to the proper Public Safety Answering Point,

### 2.1 Undertaking of the Company (Cont'd.)

2.1.7 Non-routine Installation

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 Customers request, extends beyond regular business hours into time periods including, but not limited to, weekends, holidays, and/or night hours, additional charges may apply. If such service is requested a good faith estimate of the charges will be provided.

### 2.1.8 Ownership of Facilities

Title to any facilities or equipment provided in accordance with this tariff remains with the provider of such facilities or equipment, whether it is the Company, the underlying carrier, or their agents or contractors.

#### 2.2 Prohibited Uses

- 2.2.1 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.
- 2.2.2 The Company may require applicants for service who intend to use the Company's offerings for resale and/or for shared use to file a letter with the Company confirming that their use of the Company's offerings complies with relevant laws and the Commission's regulations, policies, orders, and decisions.
- 2.2.3 The Company may require a Customer to immediately shut down its transmission of signals if said transmission is causing interference to others.
- 2.2.4 A customer, joint user, or authorized user may not assign, or transfer in any manner, the service or any rights associated with the service without the written consent of the Company. The Company will permit a customer to transfer its existing service to another entity if the existing customer has paid all charges owed to the Company for regulated communications services. Such a transfer will be treated as a disconnection of existing service and installation of new service, and nonrecurring installation charges as stated in this tariff will apply.

#### 2.3 Obligations of the Customer

- 2.3.1 The Customer shall be responsible for:
  - (A) The payment of all applicable charges pursuant to this tariff;
  - (B) Reimbursing the Company for damage to, or loss of, the Company's facilities or equipment caused by die acts or omissions of the Customer, or the noncompliance by the Customer, with these regulations; or by fire or theft or other casualty on the Customer's premises, unless caused by the negligence or willful misconduct of the employees or agents of the Company.
  - (C) Providing at no charge, as specified from time to time by the Company, any needed personnel, equipment, space and power to operate Company facilities and equipment installed on the premises of the Customer, and the level of heating and air conditioning necessary to maintain the proper operating environment on such premises;
  - (D) Obtaining, maintaining, and otherwise having full responsibility for all rights-ofway and conduit necessary for installation of fiber optic cable and associated equipment used to provide local exchange service to the Customer from the cablebuilding entrance or property line to the location of the equipment space described in 2.3.1(C). Any and all costs associated with obtaining and maintaining the rights-of-way described herein, including the costs of altering the structure to permit installation of the Company-provided facilities, shall be borne entirely by, or may be charged by the Company to, the Customer. The Company may require the Customer to demonstrate its compliance with this section prior to accepting an order for service;
  - (E) 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 facilities and equipment. The Customer may be required to install and maintain Company facilities and equipment within a hazardous area if in the Company's opinion, injury or damage to the Company's employees or property might result from installation or maintenance by the Company. The Customer shall be responsible for identifying, monitoring, removing and disposing of any hazardous material (e.g. friable asbestos) prior to any construction or installation work;

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#### 2.3 Obligations of the Customer

- 2.3.1 The Customer shall be responsible for:
  - (F) complying with all laws and regulations applicable to, and obtaining all consents, approvals, licenses and permits as may be required with respect to, the location of Company facilities and equipment in any Customer premises or the rights-of-way for which Customer is responsible under Section 2.3.1 (D) above; and granting or obtaining permission for Company agents or employees to enter the premises of the Customer at any time for the purpose of installing, inspecting, maintaining, repairing, or upon termination of service as stated herein, removing the facilities or equipment of the Company;
  - (G) not creating or allowing to be placed or maintained any liens or other encumbrances on the Company's equipment or facilities; and
  - (H) making Company facilities and equipment available periodically for maintenance purposes at a time agreeable to both the Company and the Customer. No allowance for interruptions in service will be made for the period during which service is interrupted for such purposes.
- 2.3.2 Indemnification of the Company by Customer(s)

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

- (A) any loss, destruction or damage to property of the Company or any third party, or the death of or injury to persons, including, but not limited to, employees or invitees of either the Company or the Customer, 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
- (B) 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 the Customer, including, without limitation use of the Company's services and facilities in a manner not contemplated by the agreement between the Customer and the Company.

#### 2.4 Customer Equipment and Channels

2.4.1 General

A Customer or user may transmit or receive information or signals via the facilities of the Company. The Company's services are designed primarily for the transmission of voice-grade telephonic signals, except as otherwise stated in this tariff. A user may transmit any form of signal that is compatible with the Company's equipment, but the Company does not guarantee that its service will be suitable for purposes other than voice-grade telephonic communications except as specifically stated in this tariff.

#### 2.4.2 Station Equipment

- 2.4.2. 1 The user is responsible for providing and maintaining any terminal equipment on the user's premises. The electric power consumed by such equipment shall be provided by, and maintained at the expense of, the user. 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.
- 2.4.2.2 The Customer is responsible for ensuring that Customer-provided equipment connected to Company equipment and facilities is compatible with such equipment and facilities, Any additional protective equipment required to prevent such damage or injury shall be provided by the Company at the Customer's expense.

#### 2.4 Customer Equipment and Channels (Cont'd.)

- 2.4.3 Interconnection of Facilities
  - (A) Any special interface equipment necessary to achieve compatibility between the facilities and equipment of the Company used for furnishing communications services and the channels, facilities, or equipment of others may be provided at the Customer's expense.
  - (B) Communications services may be connected to the services or facilities of other communications carriers only when authorized by, and in accordance with, the terms and conditions of the tariffs of the other communications carriers that are applicable to such connections.
  - (C) Facilities furnished under this tariff may be connected to customer provided terminal equipment in accordance with the provisions of this tariff. 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.
  - (D) Users may interconnect communications facilities that are used in whole or in part for interstate communications to services provided under this tariff only to the extent that the user is an "End User" as defined in Section 69.2(m), Title 47, Code of Federal Regulations (1992 edition).

### 2.4 Customer Equipment and Channels (Cont'd.)

- 2.4.4 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 2.4.2.2 for the installation, operation, and maintenance of Customer-provided facilities and equipment and wiring in the connection of Customer-provided facilities and equipment to Company-owned facilities and equipment. No credit will be allowed for any interruptions occurring during such inspections.
  - (B) If the protective requirements for Customer-provided equipment are not being complied with, the Company may take such action as it deems necessary to protect its facilities, equipment, 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 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 facilities, equipment and personnel from harm. The Company will comply with MTSS Rule 17 in reference to disconnection.

#### 2.5 Payment Arrangements

The following provisions shall apply to the extent that these provisions do not conflict with the Commission's Rules in which event the Commission's Rules win govern.

#### 2.5.1 Payment for Service

The Customer is responsible for payment of all charges for service or facilities furnished by the Company to the Customer and to all users authorized by the customer, regardless of whether those services are used by the customer itself or are resold to or shared with other persons.

#### 2.5.2 Billing and Collection of Charges

Bills will be rendered monthly to Customer. The Company will comply with Section 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code in reference to the billing and collection of charges.

(A) All service, monthly recurring charges and nonrecurring charges are due and payable upon receipt but no sooner than 14 days from the postmark on the bill.
 Prompt payment discount will be lost five days after the due date on the invoice. (C)

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- (B) The Company shall present bills for recurring charges monthly to the customer, in advance of the month which service is provided. Usage charges will be billed in arrears.
- (C) Once service is established, Customer forfeits all prepaid monthly recurring (C) charges upon cancellation of service by Customer. (C)
- (D) Amounts not paid by the due date on the bill are considered past due. (T)
- (E) Checks with insufficient funds or non-existing accounts will be assessed an additional fee as outlined in the Services and Rates sections of this tariff.

#### 2.5 Payment Arrangements (Cont'd.)

2.5.2 Billing and Collection of Charges (Cont'd)

Before restoring service, the Company at its option may require one or more of the following: (a) Payment of the total amount due on all of the customer's delinquent and shutoff accounts for basic local exchange service owed to the provider; or (b) An arrangement or settlement agreement requiring the payment of all amounts owed to the provider for basic local exchange service.

(A) If a customer has an outstanding balance for toll services the Company may refuse to allow access to such services until the outstanding balance has been paid or another carrier has agreed to acquire the customer as a client. The Company will comply with Section 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative code with reference to this topic.

#### 2.5 Payment Arrangements (Cont'd.)

- 2.5.3 Disputed Bills
  - (A) All bills are presumed accurate, and shall be binding upon the customer, unless the Company receives written or oral notice of the disputed charge.
  - (B) Late Payment Charge
    - 1. The Company does not bill a late fee as service is provided on a prepaid (C) basis.
    - 2. The Prompt Payment Discount will be lost if bill remains unpaid five (5) days after the due date on the invoice. (C)
  - (C) Adjustments or Refunds to the Customer

Subscriber billing adjustments for service will local exchange service will be in accordance with Chapter 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code

#### 2.5 Payment Arrangements (Cont'd.)

- 2.5.3 Disputed Bills (Cont'd.)
  - (D) Unresolved Billing Disputes

In the case of a billing dispute between the customer and the Company for service furnished to the customer, which cannot be settled to the mutual satisfaction of the customer and the Company, the customer can take the following course of action:

1. First, the customer may request and the Company will provide an indepth review of the disputed amount by making an oral or written request to the address below:

Budget Phone, Inc. Attn: Customer Service 1325 Barksdale Blvd., Suite 200 Bossier City, LA 71111 Toll Free (888) 424-5588

2. Second, if after investigation and review by the Company, a disagreement remains as to the disputed amount, the customer may file an appropriate complaint with the Ohio Public Utility Commission (PUCO). in accordance with the Commission's rules of procedure. The address of the Commission is as follows:

Service Monitoring and Enforcement Department Public Utility Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, Tenth Floor Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793 Toll Free Telephone: 800-686-7826 TTY Toll Free Telephone: 800-686-1570

From 8:00 AM to 5:30 PM (EST) weekdays or at www.PUCO.ohio.gov

Residential Customers may also contact the Ohio Consumers' Counsel for assistance with complaints and utility issues at:

Toll Free Telephone: 877-742-5622

From 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM (EST) weekdays or at www.pickocc.org

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### 2.5 Payment Arrangements (Cont'd.)

2.5.4 Denial or Disconnection of local and toll service

Discontinuance of Service will be made in accordance with Chapter 4901:1-5-of the Ohio Administrative Code.

2.5.5 Cancellation of Application for Service

When a customer cancels an application for service prior to the start of service or prior to any special construction, no charges will be imposed except for those specified below:

Where the Company has notified a customer or prospective customer of die possibility that special expenses may be incurred in connection with provisioning their service, and then the Company does incur such expenses. Expenses could include special construction, or where special arrangements of facilities or equipment have begun before the Company received a cancellation notice. The charge will be equal to the costs actually incurred, less net salvage.

- 2.6 Allowances for Interruptions in Service will be made in accordance with Chapter 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code.
- 2.7 Customer Liability for Unauthorized Use of the Network shall be in accordance with Chapter 4901:1-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code.

### 2.8 Transfer and Assignments

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 consent of the other party, except that the Company may assign its rights and duties (a) to any subsidiary, parent company or affiliate of the Company; (b) pursuant to any sale or transfer of substantially all the assets of the Company; or (c) pursuant to any financing, merger or reorganization of the Company.

Assignment of or transfer of service from one individual to another:

- charges for this are outlined in Services and Rates Sections of this Tariff.
- charges do not apply when transferring service to another individual who is a member of the same family
- 2.9 Notices and Communications
  - 2.9.1 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.
  - 2.9.2 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 a separate address on each bill for service to which the Customer shall mail payment on that bill,
  - 2.9.3 All notices or other communications required to be given pursuant to this tariff will be in writing. Notices and other communications of either party, and all bills mailed by the Company, shall be presumed to have been delivered to the other party on the third business day following 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 occurs first.
  - 2.9.4 The Company or the 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 notice set forth herein.
  - 2.9.5 The Company shall notify the Commission of any special promotions it plans to offer,

## SECTION 3 - RESIDENTIAL LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES AND RATES

### 3.1. Type of Service Offered

- 3.1.1 The Company provides switched, telephonic quality voice and data transmission services that enable Users to communicate on a real time basis between points within local calling areas in the State of Ohio, as well as ancillary services that facilitate the use or expand the capabilities of switched communications services. Services may be performed by resale of services provided by other telephone companies.
- 3.1.2 Local Exchange Service provides the Customer with a single, touchtone, voice-grade telephone communications channel that can be used to place or receive one call at a time. Standard Local Exchange Service lines are provided for the connection of Customer-provided wiring, telephones, facsimile machines or other station equipment. This service requires no customer depositor credit check and does not require all payments to be made in cash.
- 3.1.3 Most charges for Local Exchange Service are billed monthly in advance. Usage charges, if applicable, are billed in arrears. Usage charges may apply for calls placed from the Customer's line. No usage charges will apply to calls received by the Customer.

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The Company's local exchange telephone switching network which has the capability of providing:

- place or receive calls to any calling Station in the local calling area, as defined herein;
- access basic 911 Emergency Service;
- access 'Telecommunication Relay Service;
- access to operator services
- access directory assistance
- place or receive 800/888 telephone calls
- access the interchanges carrier of choice that provides direct billing to the enduser for interLATA, intraLATA, interstate or international calling

- 3.2 Prepaid Local Exchange Services
  - 3.2.1 Terms and Conditions
    - (A) Budget Phone, Inc. provides prepaid service in the state of Ohio and requires that the Customer pay the first month's basic local service plus the Federal Line Charge in advance of the provisioning of dial tone. No customer deposits will be required at this time.
    - (B) Before a new customer can receive dial-tone, they must first pay for the first month's service for each access line and the activation fee.
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- 3.2 Prepaid Local Exchange Services, (Cont'd.)
  - 3.2.2 Customer Eligibility Criteria\*

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New customers are eligible for Company plans if they meet the following requirements: (T)

- A. Where applicable, Customers must subscribe to Budget Phone Local and Long **(T)** Distance service for both intra and interstate long distance service
- B. Plans are for voice service only and cannot be used for any use deemed (T) inconsistent with residential use by Budget Phone as outlined in E below.
- C. Plans are not available to customers with an account that bills to another number **(T)** or is the recipient of charges billed from another number.
- D. Customer lines associated with educational institutions (colleges, universities, **(T)** etc) or businesses are not eligible for these plans. **(T)**

\* Service can only be purchased in conjunction with Unregulated and/or Detariffed Services. Full descriptions and rates for these services are available in the Company's Pricing Guide.

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- 3.2 Prepaid Local Exchange Services, (Cont'd.)
  - 3.2.2 Customer Eligibility Criteria\*, (Cont'd.)
    - E. If Budget Phone determines that usage is not consistent with typical residential (T) customer usage, the customer, at the sole discretion of the Company, may be subject to additional charges, loss of unlimited access to long distance service, or to an alternate plan. Budget Phone will provide notification of pending changes in a manner consistent with the requirements of the Commission. Notification will include contact information and will inform the customer of the steps necessary to move to an alternate service arrangement.

F. Budget Phone reserves the right to verify that the customer meets the eligibility requirements. Customers who do not or no longer meet the eligibility requirements will not be eligible for these plans. (T)

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- 3.2 Prepaid Local Exchange Services, (Cont'd.)
  - 3.2.3 Budget Phone Deluxe Prepaid Plan\*

The Budget Phone Deluxe Prepaid Package is a bundled pre-paid plan offered to all residential customers in the AT&T and Verizon exchanges of Ohio as defined by the Incumbents tariff on file with the Commission and includes: a) a residence dial tone line on a flat rate basis, (b) the following two (2) Custom Calling Features: Caller ID and Call Waiting <sup>1</sup>.

<sup>1</sup> Customers subscribed to service prior to April 30, 2010 receive Caller ID, Call Waiting and (N) Three Way Calling. Custom Calling Features are offered where facilities and equipment allow. (N) All features may not be available in all central office switches.

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#### 3.2 Prepaid Local Exchange Services, (Cont'd.)

3.2.4 Budget Phone Basic Plan \*

Basic Plan is a bundled pre-paid plan available to all residential customers residing in the (T) AT&T and Verizon North exchanges of Ohio. The Monthly Access Fee for Basic Plan provides a Customer with a single, voice grade dial tone line which allows unlimited calls to the customer's home exchange. Basic calls outside of the home exchange may incur usage charges, which will be billed in arrears. Service is provided with touch-tone as a standard feature. (D)

#### 3.2.5 Budget Phone Double Feature Plan\*

Budget Phone Double Feature Plan is bundled pre-paid plan available to all residential (T) customers residing in the AT&T exchanges of Ohio as defined by the Incumbent's tariff on file with the Commission. The Budget Phone Double Feature Plan is a bundled pre-paid residential service that provides the Customer with a single voice grade dial tone line and unlimited local calling on a flat rate basis. The Double Feature Plan, along with its individual components, is available on a where offered basis. (T)

The Double Feature Plan includes the following (available on a where offered basis):

- (1) Local dial-tone line
- (2) Call Waiting Deluxe
- (3) Caller ID Deluxe
- \* Service can only be purchased in conjunction with Unregulated and/or Detariffed Services. Full description and rates for this service is available in the Company's Pricing Guide.

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- 3.5 Miscellaneous Service Charges
  - 3.5.1 Return Check Charge

	Per Returned Check:	<u>Maximum</u> \$50.00	<u>Current</u> \$25.00
3.5.2	Late Payment Charge		
	See Section 2.5.3 (B) of this tariff.		

3.5.3 Assignment or Transfer of Service

Charges do not apply when transferring service to another individual who is a member of the same family

	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Current</u>
Per Assignment or Transfer:	n/a	\$39.95

3.5.4 Reconnection Charge

A reconnection charge will be applied to each number restored after a disconnection. If disconnected service is reconnected, there will be no guarantee that the same number can be retained.

	<u>Maximum</u>	Current
Per occurrence::	\$60.00	\$25.00

3.5.5 Number or Name Change

	<u>Maximum</u>	Current
Per line:	\$45.00	\$30.00

### SECTION 3 – RESIDENTIAL LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES AND RATES, (CONT'D.)

3.6 Directory Assistance

Local:	\$1.00
National:	\$1.75

### 3.7 Directory Listings

The Company shall provide for a single directory listing, termed the primary listing, in the telephone directory published by the dominant exchange service provider in the customer's exchange area of the Station number which is designated as the customer's main billing number. A primary listing contains the name of the customer as well as the address and telephone number of the customer. This listing is provided at no additional charge.

### 3.8 Service Assistance Programs

Budget Phone will resell the service assistance programs offered by the LEC in the area. The Company will mirror the provision of these programs as provided by the LEC,

3.9 Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS)

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

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#### 3.11 Promotional Offerings

The Company may make promotional offerings of its services that may include reducing or waiving applicable charges for the promoted service. The Commission will be notified of all such promotional offers. No individual promotional offering will exceed ninety days in duration, and any promotional offering will be extended on a nondiscriminatory basis to any customer similarly situated who requests the specific offer.

#### 3.11.1 Double Feature Plan Promotion

New Customers and Customers transferring service to Budget Phone from an ILEC or another CLEC, who reside in AT&T service areas and subscribe to the Budget Phone Double Feature Plan will receive a one-time promotional discount on their first month of service. A one-time Activation Fee applies. Customers may subscribe to the Unlimited LD option for an additional monthly charge.

Promotional Discount, initial month:	\$20.00
Activation Fee:	\$20.00
Unlimited LD Option, per month:	\$9.95

All other terms and conditions of service apply as tariffed.

This promotion is available from October 5, 2009 through November 30, 2009.

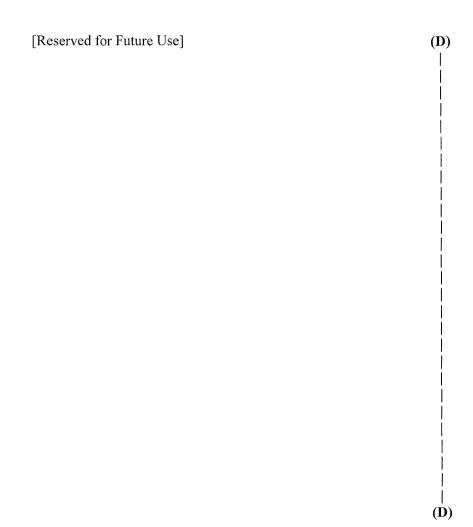
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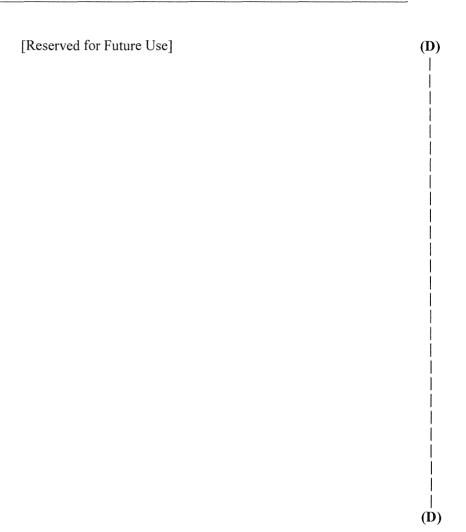
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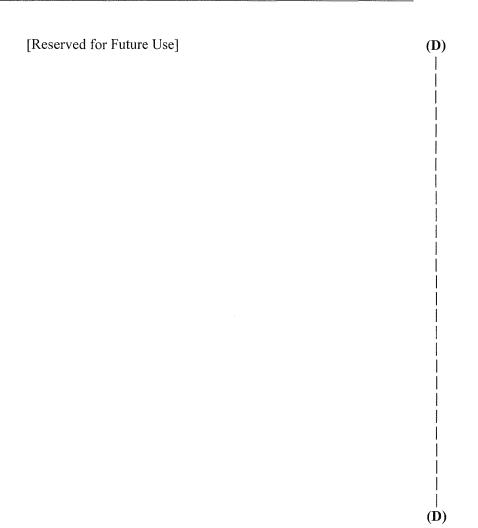
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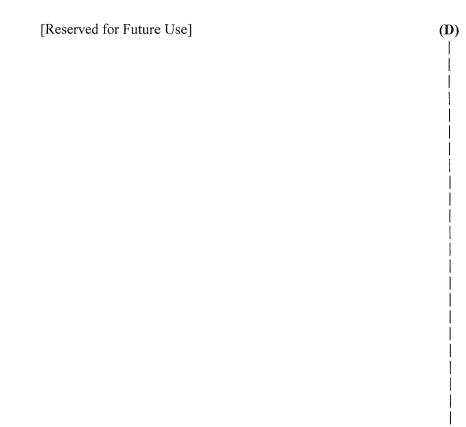
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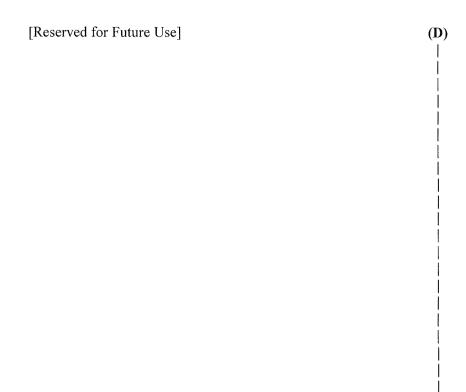






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### SECTION 5 – TOLL SERVICES

### 5.1 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.



### SECTION 6 – SERVICE AREAS

#### 6.1 Local Service Areas

The Company will provide Local Exchange Service throughout the geographic area serviced by its underlying carriers, AT&T and Verizon North, within the state of Ohio. The local service area **(T)** will correspond to those listed in the tariffs of the individual companies.

### SECTION 7 – PROMOTIONS

7.1 Budget Phone Deluxe Prepaid and Double Feature Activation Promotion

New Budget Phone Customers who subscribe to the Budget Phone Deluxe Prepaid Plan or the Budget Phone Double Feature Plan will receive the first month of service free of charge. Service Initiation charges apply as tariffed.

This promotion is available beginning April 30, 2010.

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#### 3.2 Service Offerings

The following Company Services for residence/business Customers and for carriers certificated by the Commission are offered in this tariff:

Standard Residence Line

Directory Assistance <u>Operator</u> Service Local Calling Service

### Directory Listings Emergency Services Calling

All services offered in this tariff are subject to service order and service change charges where the Customer requests new services or changes in existing services, as well as indicated Non-Recurring and Monthly Recurring Charges. Charges for Local Calling Service are assessed on a measured rate basis and are additional to the charges shown for Standard Residence, as are other service charges.

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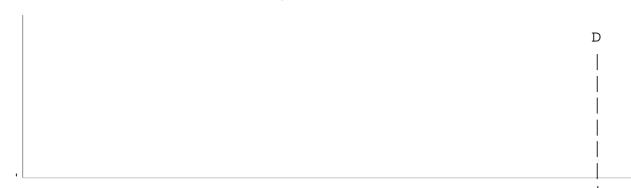
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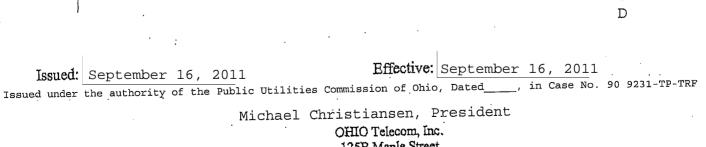
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### 3.2 Service Offerings (Cont'd)

### 3.2.13 Directory Listings

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For each Customer of Company-provided Exchange Service(s), the Company shall arrange for the listing of the Customer's main billing telephone number in the directory(ies) published by the dominant Local Exchange Carrier in the area at no additional charge. At a Customer's option, the Company will arrange for additional listings for an additional charge.

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#### Service Rates and Charges 3.3

### 3.3.1 Local Exchange Service - Rates and Charges

A Local Exchange Service Customer will be charged applicable Non-Recurring Charges, monthly Recurring Charges and Message charges.

3.3.1.1 Non-Recurring Charges

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			<u>Min.</u>	<u>Max,</u>	.
	Service (	Connection Charge (per line) Connection Charge (per basic trunk) Connection Charge (per digital trunk)	\$5.00	\$75.00 \$75.00 \$300.00	
	٠	on Charge Per digital transport facility Per DSO channel activated	-	\$600.00 \$75.00	
	Per Trur	k Group Configured for DID Svc.	\$100.00	\$500.00	
	Subsequ	ent Account Changes (Changes, Additions per order)	\$5.00	\$75.00	
	Presubso	ription Change (all switched network access	)		
1	•	1 <sup>st</sup> line additional lines per order	\$1.00 \$1.00	\$5.00 \$1.50	   D

#### NOTE:

Non-Recurring account change charges will not apply during the initial 30 day period following completion of a service order.

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### 3.3 Service Rates and Charges

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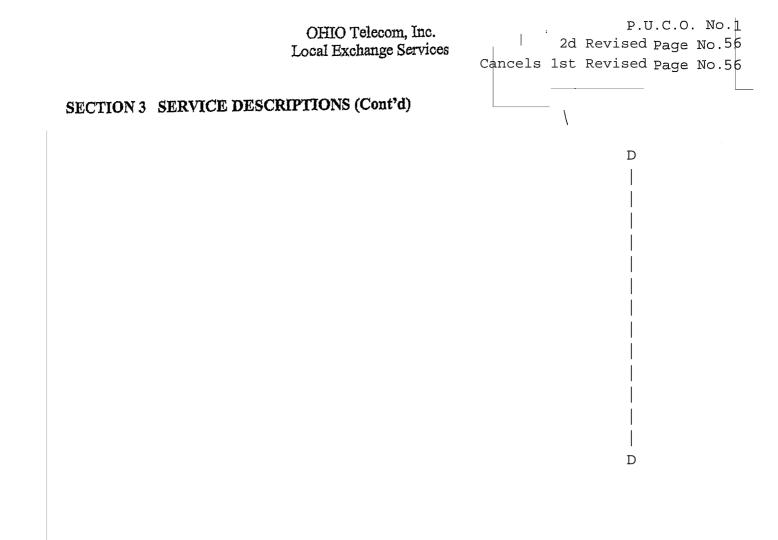
### 3.3.1.2 Monthly Recurring Charges

Service		Reside	nce		D
		<u>Min.</u>	<u>Max.</u>		
Switched Network Access	s Channels				Ì
Zone A		<b>6</b> 5 00			
	Basic Line, Per Line	\$5.00	\$45.00		
	Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$5.00	\$45.00		
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$5.00	\$45.00		i
Zone B					
	Basic Line, Per Line	\$5.00	\$45.00		1
	Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$5.00	\$45.00		
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$5.00	\$45.00		
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Zone C					
	Basic Line, Per Line	\$5.00	\$45.00		
	Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$5.00	\$45.00		
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$5.00	\$45.00		
Zone D					
	Basic Line, Per Line	\$5.00	\$45.00		1
	Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$5.00	\$45.00		
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$5.00	\$45.00		
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### SECTION 3 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)

### 3.3 Service Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

### 3.3.3 Operator Assistance (Traditional)

A Customer may obtain the assistance of a local operator to complete local exchange telephone calls in the following manner.

<u>Third Number Billing</u>: Provides the Customer with the capability 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.

<u>Collect Calls</u>: 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.

<u>Calling Cards</u>: Provides the Customer with the capability to place a call using a calling card with or without the assistance of an operator.

<u>Person to Person</u>: 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.

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### SECTION 3 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)

3.4 Service Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

### 3.3.3 Operator Assisted (Traditional) (Contn'd)

- <u>3.3.3.2</u> Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service: Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service, which is furnished where and to the extent that facilities permit, provides the Customer with the following options:
- <u>3.3.3.3 Busy Line Verification</u>: Upon request of the calling party, the Company will determine if the line is clear or in use and report to the calling party.
- <u>3.3.3.4 Busy line Verification with Interrupt</u>: The operator will interrupt the call on the called line only if the calling party indicates an emergency and requests interruption. The operator will then interrupt the call, advising the called party the name of the calling party.

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### SECTION 3 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)

#### Service Rates and Charges (Cont'd) 3.3

#### Directory Listings (Cont'd) 3.3.4

#### Non-Recurring Charges: Non-Recurring charges associated with 3.3.4.5.9 Directory Listings are as follows:

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Local Exchange Services

	Per Listing <u>Min.</u>	g or Per Number Charge <u>Max.</u>
Primary Listing	N/C	N/C
Additional Listing	\$0.01	\$15.00
Foreign, Alternate, and Reference Listing	<b>s \$0.</b> 01	\$15.00
Non-Listed Number	\$0.01	\$15.00
Non-Published Number	\$0.01	\$15.00

Emergency Services (Enhanced 911): Allows Customers to reach appropriate 3.3.5 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 displayed to the primary E911 provider for display at the Public Service Answering Point (PSAP). Charges for Enhanced 9-1-1 will be a pass through of the charge imposed by the ILEC.

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### SECTION 4 Ohio Telecom, Inc. Current Rates

Service	Residence	
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Service Connection Charge (per line) Service Connection Charge (per basic trunk) Service Connection Charge (per digital trunk)	\$50.00 \$50.00 \$150.00	
Installation Charge		
<ul> <li>Per digital transport facility</li> </ul>	\$300.00	1
<ul> <li>Per DSO channel activated</li> </ul>	\$50.00	
Per Trunk Group Configured for DID Svc.	\$300.00	
Subsequent Account Changes (Changes, Additions per order)	\$40.00	
Presubscription Change (all switched network ac	C683)	
• 1 <sup>st</sup> line	\$4.00	
<ul> <li>– additional lines per order</li> </ul>	\$1.00	
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NOTE:

Non-Recurring account change charges will not apply during the initial 30 day period following completion of a service order.

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### SECTION 4 Ohio Telecom, Inc. Current Rates (Cont'd)

Service		Residence	
Switched Network Access	s Channels		
Zone A			
	Basic Line, Per Line	\$35.00	
	Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$35.00	
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$35.00	
Zone B		<b>*</b> 40.00	
	Basic Line, Per Line	\$40.00	
	Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$40.00	
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$40.00	
Zone C			
	Basic Line, Per Line	\$40.00	
	Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$40.00	
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$40.00	
Zone D			
	Basic Line, Per Line	\$40.00	
	Basic Trunk, Per Trunk	\$40.00	
	Digital Trunk, Per Trunk	\$40.00	

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### SECTION 4 Ohio Telecom, Inc. Current Rates (Cont'd)

### **Operator Assistance (Traditional)**

A Customer may obtain the assistance of a local operator to complete local exchange telephone calls in the following manner.

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Operator Assisted (Traditional) (Cont'd)

<u>Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service</u>: Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service, which is furnished where and to the extent that facilities permit, provides the Customer with the following options:

Busy Line Verification: Upon request of the calling party, the Company will determine if the line is clear or in use and report to the calling party.

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# **EXHIBIT C** (Summary of Changes)

Ohio Telecom, Inc. hereby cancels PUCO Tariff 4 in its entirety pursuant to the PUCO's January 19, 2011, Entry in Case No. 10-1010-TP-ORD, as that tariff does not describe any services that are to be tariffed under Ohio Administrative Code Section 4901:1-11-6.

Ohio Telecom, Inc.'s PUCO Tariff 3 remains in effect, unchanged from that tariff currently on file with the PUCO.

Ohio Telecom, Inc. has deleted those portions of its PUCO Tariff 1 that are no longer to be tariffed and has changed the language of its tariff to reflect the reconfiguration of MTSS to the BLES service requirements at OAC 4901:1-6-12.

# **EXHIBIT D**

(Customer Notices)

# **EXHIBIT E**

(Customer Notice Affidavit)

### CUSTOMER NOTICE AFFIDAVIT

#### <u>AFFIDAVIT</u>

I, <u>Michael Christiansen</u>, am an authorized agent of the applicant corporation, (Name) <u>Ohio Telecom, Inc.</u>, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf. I attest (Company Name)

that the customer notice(s) accompanying this affidavit were sent to affected customers through Direct Mailing on September 15, 2011 , in accordance with

(Type of Notice) (Date/Time Frame)

Rule 4901:1-6-07, Ohio Administrative Code. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature /s/ Michael Christiansen

(Date)