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#### VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

Ms. Renee J. Jenkins Director of Administration Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street, 10th Floor Columbus, OH 43215-3793

RE: Verizon Access Transmission Services: Tariff No. 2 Introduction of Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic Service; and Textual Revisions

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services ("Verizon Access") is filing with your office an original and ten (10) copies of revisions to its P.U.C.O. Tariff No. 2.

Verizon Access proposes to introduce Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic Service and make various textual revisions. Verizon Access respectfully requests an effective date of May 8, 2008.

Please date stamp and return the extra copy of this letter to me in the enclosed selfaddressed stamped envelope. If you have any questions regarding this filing, please call me at (312) 260-3245 or send me an email at shannon.brown@verizonbusiness.com.

Respectively submitted.

Shannon L. Brown Tariff Manager

Verizon Business

Enclosure

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# The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio TELECOMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION FORM for ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

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In the Matter of the Application of MCImetro Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Ac Transmission Services to make revisions to its tariff.		TRF Docket No. 9 Case No NOTE: Unless you ha leave the "Case No" for	-TP - ive reserved a Case#or a	re filing a Contract,
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submitting this form by checking the boxes below. CMRS providers: Please see the bottom of Section II.  NOTES: (1) For requirements for various applications, see the identified section of Ohio Administrative Code Section 4901 and/or the supplemental application form noted.  (2) Information regarding the number of copies required by the Commission may be obtained from the Commission's web site at <a href="www.puco.ohio.gov">www.puco.ohio.gov</a> under the docketing information system section, by calling the docketing division at 614-466-4095, or by visiting the docketing division at the offices of the Commission.				
Carrier Type   Other (explain below)	☐ ILEC	CLEC	□стѕ	AOS/IOS
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Change Rates within approved Range	TRF <u>1-6-04(B)</u>	☐ TRF <u>1-6-04(B)</u>		
	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)		
New Service, expanded local calling area, correction of textual error	☐ ZTA <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ ZTA <u>1-6-04(B)</u> (0 day Notice)		
Change Terms and Conditions,	ATA 1-6-04(B)	ATA 1-6-04(B))		
Introduce non-recurring service charges	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)		
Introduce or Increase Late Payment or	☐ ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u>	☐ ATA <u>1-6-04(B)</u>		
Returned Check Charge	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)		
Business Contract	CTR <u>1-6-17</u>	☐ CTR <u>1-6-17</u>	<del>-</del>	
Dusiness Contract	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)		
Withdrawal	ATW <u>1-6-12(A)</u>	☐ ATW <u>1-6-12(A)</u>		
	(Non-Auto)	(Auto 30 days)  SLF 1-6-04(B)		
Raise the Ceiling of a Rate	Not Applicable	(Auto 30 days)		
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Residential - Introduce non-recurring	TRF <u>1-6-05(E)</u>	TRF 1-6-05(E)		<del> </del>
service charges	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)		
Residential - Introduce New Tariffed Tier	TRF 1-6-05(C)	TRF 1-6-05(C)	TRF 1-6-05(C)	
2 Service(s)	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)	
Residential - Change Rates, Terms and	TRF 1-6-05(E)	TRF 1-6-05(E)	TRF 1-6-05(E)	
Conditions, Promotions, or Withdrawal	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)	
Residential - Tier 2 Service Contracts	CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	☐ CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	CTR <u>1-6-17</u> (0 day Notice)	
Commercial (Business) Contracts	Not Filed	Not Filed	Not Filed	
Business Services (see "Other" below)	Detariffed	Detariffed	Detariffed	
Residential & Business Toll Services	Detariffed	Detariffed	Detariffed	
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## Section I - Part II - Certificate Status and Procedural

Other\* (explain)

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Certificate Status	ILEC	CLEC	CTS	AOS/IOS
Certification (See Supplemental ACE form)		ACE 1-6-10	ACE 1-6-10	ACE 1-6-10
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Abandon all Services - With Customers	ABN 1-6-11(A) (Non-Auto)	ABN 1-6-11(A) (Auto 90 day)	ABN 1-6-11(B) (Auto 14 day)	ABN 1-6-11(B) (Auto 14 day)
Abandon all Services - Without		☐ ABN 1-6-11(A)	ABN 1-6-11(B)	ABN 1-6-11(B)
Customers		(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 14 day)	(Auto 14 day)
Change of Official Name (See below)	ACN 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	ACN 1-6-14(B) (Auto 30 days)	CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)	CIO 1-6-14(A) (0 day Notice)
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Transaction for transfer or lease of	ATR 1-6-14(B)	ATR 1-6-14(B)	CIO 1-6-14(A)	CIO 1-6-14(A)
property, plant or business (See below)	(Auto 30 days)	(Auto 30 days)	(0 day Notice)	(0 day Notice)
Procedural				
Designation of Process Agent(s)	TRF (0 day Notice)	TRF (0 day Notice)	☐ TRF (0 day Notice)	TRF (0 day Notice)
Section II - Carrier to Carrier (Pursuant to 4901:1-7), CMRS and Other				
Carrier to Carrier	ILEC	CLEC		
Interconnection agreement, or	☐ NAG <u>1-7-07</u>	☐ NAG <u>1-7-07</u>		
amendment to an approved agreement	(Auto 90 day)	(Auto 90 day)		
Request for Arbitration	☐ ARB <u>1-7-09</u> (Non-Auto)	☐ ARB <u>1-7-09</u> (Non-Auto)		
Introduce or change c-t-c service tariffs,	ATA <u>1-7-14</u> (Auto 30 day)	ATA <u>1-7-14</u> (Auto 30 day)		
Introduce or change access service pursuant to 07-464-TP-COI	ATA (Auto 30 day)			
Request rural carrier exemption, rural	UNC 1-7-07 or	UNC 1-7-07 or		
carrier suspension or modification	(Non-Auto) <u>1-7-05</u>	(Non-Auto) <u>1-7-05</u>		
Pole attachment changes in terms and	UNC 1-7-23(B)	UNC 1-7-05		
conditions and price changes.	(Non-Auto)	(Non-Auto)		
CMRS Providers See 4901:1-6-15	RCC [Registration & Change i	n Operations]	NAG [Interconnection Agree (Auto 90 days)	ement or Amendment]

\*NOTE: During the interim period between the effective date of the rules and an Applicant's Detariffing Filing, changes to existing business Tier 2 and all toll services, including the addition of new business Tier 2 and all new toll services, will be processed as 0-day TRF filings, and briefly described in the "Other" section above.

All Section I and II applications that result in a change to one or more tariff pages require, at a minimum, the following exhibits. Other exhibits may be required under the applicable rule(s). CAN, ACO, AMT, ATC, ATR and CIO applications see <a href="tel:the-4901:1-6-14">tel:the-4901:1-6-14</a> Filing Requirements on the Commission's Web Page for a complete list of exhibits.

Exhibit	Description:
A	The tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s) as they exist before the change(s)
В	The Tariff pages subject to the proposed change(s), reflecting the change, with the change(s) marked in the right margin.
С	A short description of the nature of the change(s), the intent of the change(s), and the customers affected.
D	A copy of the notice provided to customers, along with an affidavit that the notice was provided according to the applicable rule(s).

Registrant hereby attests to its compliance with pertinent entries and orders issued by the Commission.

#### **AFFIDAVIT**

## Compliance with Commission Rules and Service Standards

I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, MCImetro Access Transmission	, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.
Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services	
(Name)	

I attest that these tariffs comply with all applicable rules, including the Minimum Telephone Service Standards (MTSS) Pursuant to Chapter 4901:1-5 OAC for the state of Ohio. I understand that tariff notification filings do not imply Commission approval and that the Commission's rules, including the Minimum Telephone Service Standards, as modified and clarified from time to time, supersede any contradictory provisions in our tariff. We will fully comply with the rules of the state of Ohio and understand that noncompliance can result in various penalties, including the suspension of our certificate to operate within the state of Ohio.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
Executed on (Date) 4/4/0-8/ at (Location) 205 N. Michigan Avenue, Chicago, IL 60601
*(Signature and Title) Manager) (Tariff Manager) (Date) 4/4/5
<ul> <li>This affidavit is required for every tariff-affecting filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the applicant.</li> </ul>
<u>VERIFICATION</u>
1. Shannon L. Brown
verify that I have utilized the Telecommunications Application Form for Routine Proceedings 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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*Verification is required for every filing. It may be signed by counsel or an officer of the applicant, or an authorized agent of the applicant.

Send your completed Application Form, including all required attachments as well as the required number of copies, to:

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2.	<b>REGULATIONS</b>	(Cont.)
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- 2.3 Obligation of the Customer
  - 2.3.3 Jurisdictional Reporting (Cont.)
    - 2.3.3.1 Percent Interstate Usage (PIU):

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- 2.3.3.1.2 Originating Access: (Cont.)
  - 2.3.3.1.2.3 For 500, 700, 800/888, calling card and operator service access, the Customer must provide the Company with a projected PIU factor for each type of access.

    Customers who provide a PIU factor shall supply the Company with an interstate percentage of originating access minutes.
  - 2.3.3.1.2.4 If no PIU for originating minutes is submitted as specified herein, then the projected PIU will be set on a default basis of 50 percent interstate traffic and 50 percent intrastate traffic.
- 2.3.3.2 Terminating Access: For Feature Group D Switched Access Service(s), the Customer must provide the Company with a projected PIU factor by supplying the Company with an interstate percentage of terminating access minutes on a quarterly basis, as described in Section 2.3.3.1. If no projected PIU factor is submitted by the Customer, then the projected PIU will be set on a default basis of 50 percent interstate traffic and 50 percent intrastate traffic.

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## 5. SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICES (Cont.)

- 5.2 Provision and Description of Switched Access Service Arrangements (Cont.)
- 5.2.3 Rate Categories

The following rate categories apply to Switched Access Service:

- A. Direct Connect
- B. Tandem Connect
- C. 800 Data Base Access Service
- D. Optional Features
- 5.2.3.1 Except as stated as follows, Tandem Connect Service is provided in conjunction with the tandem provider serving the area. Charges are computed in accordance with Section 2.5.2.7 preceding (Ordering, Rating, and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved).
  - 5.2.3.1.1 <u>Direct Connect</u>: The Company will provide Direct Connect between the Customer's Premises and the Company's Local Switching Center switch(es). This transmission path is Dedicated to the use of a single Customer. DS1 and DS3 facilities are available for Direct Connect Service. A DS1 facility is capable of transmitting electrical signals at a nominal 1.544 Mbps, with the capability to channelize up to 24 voice frequency transmission paths. A DS3 facility is capable of transmitting electrical signals at a nominal 44.736 Mbps, with the capability to channelize up to 672 voice-frequency transmission paths. For DS3 facilities, if the Company is required to install additional fiber optic equipment for the benefit of the Customer, then the Customer has the option to choose either an optical or electrical interface.

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## 5. SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICES (Cont.)

- 5.2 Provision and Description of Switched Access Service Arrangements (Cont.)
  - 5.2.3 Rate Categories (Cont.)
    - 5.2.3.1.4 Switched Access Service Optional Features
      - 5.2.3.1.4.1 Nonchargeable Optional Features: Where transmission facilities permit, the Company will, at the option of the Customer, provide the following nonchargeable optional feature, as described in Section 5.5.1, in association with Switched Access Service.
        - (a) Supervisory Signaling
      - 5.2.3.1.4.2 <u>Chargeable Optional Features</u>: Where transmission facilities permit, the Company will, at the option of the Customer, provide the following chargeable optional features, as described in Section 5.5.2, in association with Switched Access Service.
        - (a) 800 Data Base Access Service Basic Query
        - (b) Signaling Transfer Point Access
      - 5.2.3.1.4.3 Feature Group D Optional Features

Following are the various optional features that are available in lieu of, or in addition to, the standard features provided with Feature Group D. Optional features are provided as Common Switching Optional Features as described in Section 5.5.3.1.

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## 5. SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICES (Cont.)

- 5.2 Provision and Description of Switched Access Service Arrangements (Cont.)
  - 5.2.3 Rate Categories (Cont.)
    - 5.2.3.1.4 Optional Features (Cont.)
      - 5.2,3.1.4.3 Feature Group D Optional Features (Cont.)
        - 5.2.3.1.4.3.1 Common Switching Optional

          Features: At the Customer's option,
          the following standard features are
          available at the rates specified in
          Section 7.4.7.1:
          - a) Alternate Traffic Routing
          - b) Automatic Number Identification (ANI)
          - c) Cut-Through
          - d) Service Class Routing
          - e) Feature Group D with 950 Access
          - f) Signaling System Seven (SS7)
          - g) Basic Initial Address Message Delivery
          - h) Called Directory Number Delivery
          - i) Flexible Automatic Number Identification Delivery
- 5.2.4 <u>Billing Validation Service</u>: The Company shall arrange to have its billing validation data stored in one of the existing Line Information Databases (LIDB). It will be the responsibility of the Customer to identify this database through established industry procedures and to query the billing validation data in the LIDB. Based on the received query information, the LIDB will respond with an SS7 formatted confirmation of validity or denial for the requested billing option. Access to LIDB provides Customers with potential toll fraud detection.

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#### 7.SWITCHED ACCESS RATES (Cont'd)

7.2 Application of Rates (Cont'd)

7.2.1 Direct Connect

The Tandem Overflow rates will apply for all Direct Connect usage which overflows to the Access Tandem.

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Rates and charges for Direct Connect and Tandem Overflow are set forth in Sections 7.4.4.1 and 7.4.4.1.1, respectively.

7.2.2 <u>Tandem Connect</u>: The Tandem Connect rate is assessed on a per minute of use basis and is applicable to all tandem routed Switched Access Service minutes of use. The rate may vary based on whether the traffic is originating or terminating. Rates and charges are set forth in Section 7.4.4.2 following.

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Rates and charges for Tandem Connect are set forth in Section 7.4.4.2.

7.2.3 8XX Number Translation Charge: The 8XX Number Translation Charge applies for the translation of a specific 8XX number to a ten digit telephone number on a per query basis.

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## 7.SWITCHED ACCESS RATES (Cont'd)

## 7.4 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

## 7.4.4.1.1 <u>Tandem Overflow</u>

Per Access Minute of Originating Use: See Price List Per Access Minute of Terminating Use: See Price List

## 7.4.4.2 <u>Tandem Connect Charges</u>

Per Access Minute of Originating Use: See Price List Per Access Minute of Terminating Use: See Price List

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## Tandem Overflow<sup>1</sup>

	Per Access Minute of Originating Use	Per Access Minute of Terminating Use	D
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			D
Tandem Cor	nect Charges		
	Per Access Minute	Per Access Minute	D
ОН:	of Originating Use \$0.003790** (R)	of Terminating Use \$0.003790** (R)	D D

\*\* This is a blended rate. The following AT&T-OH rate elements are included:

Local Switching + Common Trunk Port + Common Multiplexer + Transport Termination +
an average of 14 miles of Local Transport Facility.

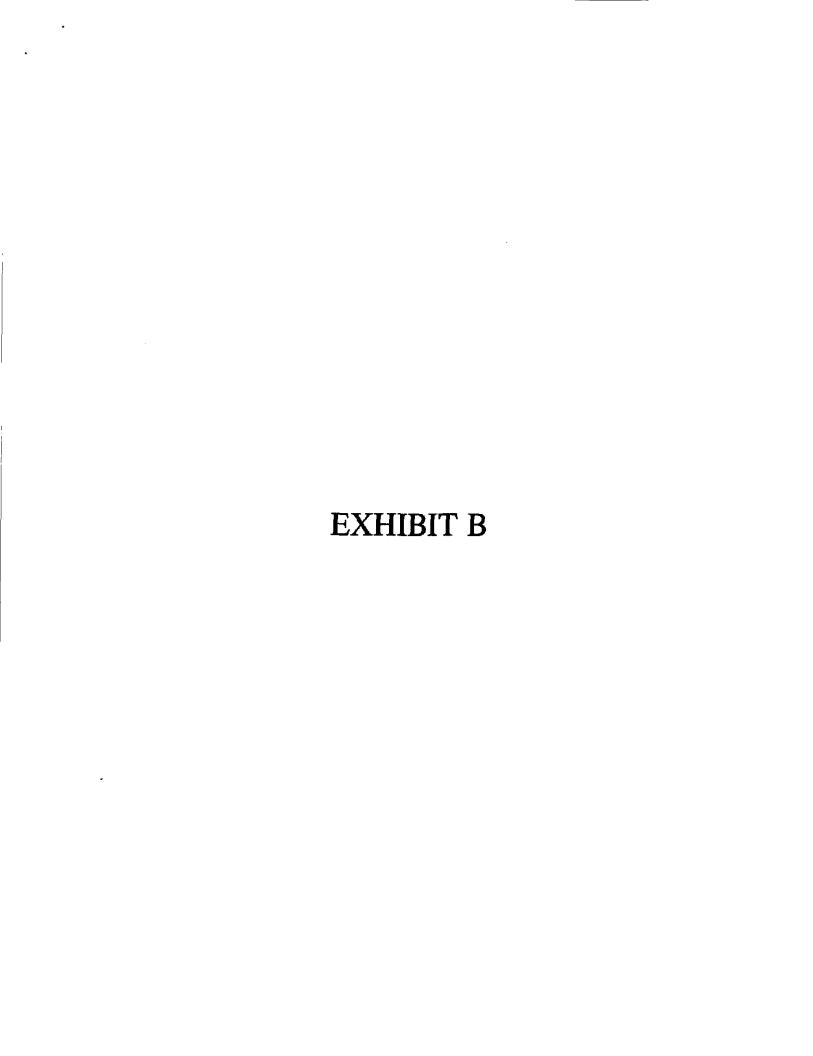
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<sup>1</sup>These rates shall apply in all ILEC territories served by the Company.

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          - 2.3.3.1.2.3 For 500, 700, 800/888, calling card and operator service access, the Customer must provide the Company with a projected PIU factor for each type of access. Customers who provide a PIU factor shall supply the Company with an interstate percentage of originating access minutes. The PIU factor will be used to determine the jurisdiction for billing purposes of 500, 700, Toll Free 8YY, Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic Service, calling card and operator service access. The Company will apply the PIU filed by Customer for Toll Free 8YY to the 8YY Transit Traffic delivered to Customer.
          - 2.3.3.1.2.4 If no PIU for originating minutes is submitted as specified herein, then the projected PIU will be set on a default basis of 50 percent interstate traffic and 50 percent intrastate traffic.
      - 2.3.3.2 Terminating Access: For Feature Group D Switched Access Service(s), the Customer must provide the Company with a projected PIU factor by supplying the Company with an interstate percentage of terminating access minutes on a quarterly basis, as described in Section 2.3.3.1. If no projected PIU factor is submitted by the Customer, then the projected PIU will be set on a default basis of 50 percent interstate traffic and 50 percent intrastate traffic.

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- 5. SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICES (Cont.)
  - 5.2 Provision and Description of Switched Access Service Arrangements (Cont.)
    - 5.2.3 Rate Categories

The following rate categories apply to Switched Access Service:

- A. Direct Connect
- B. Tandem Connect
- C. 800 Data Base Access Service
- D. Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic Service
- E. Optional Features

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- 5.2.3.1 Except as stated as follows, Tandem Connect Service is provided in conjunction with the tandem provider serving the area. Charges are computed in accordance with Section 2.5.2.7 preceding (Ordering, Rating, and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved).
  - 5.2.3.1.1 Direct Connect: The Company will provide Direct Connect between the Customer's Premises and the Company's Local Switching Center switch(es). This transmission path is Dedicated to the use of a single Customer. DS1 and DS3 facilities are available for Direct Connect Service. A DS1 facility is capable of transmitting electrical signals at a nominal 1.544 Mbps, with the capability to channelize up to 24 voice frequency transmission paths. A DS3 facility is capable of transmitting electrical signals at a nominal 44.736 Mbps, with the capability to channelize up to 672 voice-frequency transmission paths. For DS3 facilities, if the Company is required to install additional fiber optic equipment for the benefit of the Customer, then the Customer has the option to choose either an optical or electrical interface.

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#### 5. SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICES (Cont.)

- 5.2 Provision and Description of Switched Access Service Arrangements (Cont.)
  - 5.2.3 Rate Categories (Cont.)
    - N/T 5.2.3.1.4 Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic Service Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic Service is an access service in which the Company transports Toll Free traffic originated 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 Carrier Customer. The connection to the interexchange carrier can be either directly via a Direct End Office Trunk (DEOT) from the Company's switch to the IXC or Indirectly via an ILEC tandem switch. In addition to the 800 Database Access Service described in Section 5.2.3.1.3 above, this service provides for the use of the Tandem Switching, Tandem Termination, and Tandem Transport facilities of the Company. In a Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic Service call, the Company will charge only for 800 Data Base Access Service Basic Query, the tandem switching, common multiplexing and the tandem transport (termination and facility) functionalities. No charges for the carrier common line charge, the local switching charge nor the end office port charge are incorporated into the rate. The rates for Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic Service set forth in Section 7.4.4.3 are usage sensitive. Records exchange, rating, and billing for Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic
    - 5.2.3.1.5 Switched Access Service Optional Features

Access Billing Guidelines (MECAB).

5.2.3.1.5.1 Nonchargeable Optional Features: Where transmission facilities permit, the Company will, at the option of the Customer, provide the following nonchargeable optional feature, as described in Section 5.5.1, in association with Switched Access Service.

Service is subject to the provisions of the Multiple Exchange Carrier

- (a) Supervisory Signaling
- 5.2.3.1.5.2 <u>Chargeable Optional Features</u>: Where transmission facilities permit, the Company will, at the option of the Customer, provide the following chargeable optional features, as described in Section 5.5.2, in association with Switched Access Service.
  - (a) 800 Data Base Access Service Basic Query
  - (b) Signaling Transfer Point Access
- 5.2.3.1.5.3 Feature Group D Optional Features
  Following are the various optional features that are available in lieu of, or in addition to, the standard features provided with Feature Group D. Optional features are provided as Common Switching Optional Features as described in Section 5.5.3.1.

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- 5. <u>SWITCHED</u> ACCESS SERVICES (Cont.)
  - 5.2 Provision and Description of Switched Access Service Arrangements (Cont.)
    - 5.2.3 Rate Categories (Cont.)
      - 5.2.3.1.5 Optional Features (Cont.)

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5.2.3.1.5.3 Feature Group D Optional Features (Cont.)

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- 5.2.3.1.5.3.1 Common Switching Optional Features: At the Customer's option, the following standard features are available at the rates specified in Section 7.4.7.1:
  - a) Alternate Traffic Routing
  - b) Automatic Number Identification (ANI)
  - c) Cut-Through
  - d) Service Class Routing
  - e) Feature Group D with 950 Access
  - f) Signaling System Seven (SS7)
  - g) Basic Initial Address Message Delivery
  - h) Called Directory Number Delivery
  - i) Flexible Automatic Number Identification Delivery
- 5.2.4 <u>Billing Validation Service</u>: The Company shall arrange to have its billing validation data stored in one of the existing Line Information Databases (LIDB). It will be the responsibility of the Customer to identify this database through established industry procedures and to query the billing validation data in the LIDB. Based on the received query information, the LIDB will respond with an SS7 formatted confirmation of validity or denial for the requested billing option. Access to LIDB provides Customers with potential toll fraud detection.

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## 7. SWITCHED ACCESS RATES (Cont.)

## 7.2 Application of Rates (Cont.)

#### 7.2.1 Direct Connect

The Tandem Overflow rates will apply for all Direct Connect usage which overflows to the Access Tandem.

Rates and charges for Direct Connect and Tandem Overflow are set forth in Sections 7.4.4.1 and 7.4.4.1.1, respectively.

7.2.2 <u>Tandem Connect</u>: The Tandem Connect rate is assessed on a per minute of use basis and is applicable to all tandem routed Switched Access Service minutes of use. The rate may vary based on whether the traffic is originating or terminating. Rates and charges are set forth in Section 7.4.4.2 following.

Rates and charges for Tandem Connect are set forth in Section 7.4.4.2.

- 7.2.3 Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic Service: The Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic
  Service rates are assessed on a per minute of use basis. If the 8YY call is
  delivered to the IXC over DEOTs, the Toll Free 8YY Direct Transit Minute
  of Use Rate will apply. If the call is instead delivered to the IXC indirectly
  via another LEC tandem, Toll Free 8YY Indirect Transit Minute of Use Rate
  will apply. These charges incorporate only the tandem switching, and
  appropriate portions of common multiplexing and tandem transport
  functionalities into the rate. Additionally, the 800 Data Base Basic Query
  Charge identified in Section 7.2.4 will apply on a per query basis.

  7.2.4 800 Data Base Access Service Basic Query Charge: The 800 Data Base Access
  Service Basic Query Charge applies for the identification of the interexchange
- 7.2.4 800 Data Base Access Service Basic Query Charge: The 800 Data Base Access Service Basic Query Charge applies for the identification of the interexchange carrier to whom a specific 800 number is to be delivered. This charge is assessed on a per query basis.

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## 7.4.4 Switched Access (Cont.)

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## 7.4.4.1 <u>Direct Connect Charges</u>:

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## 7.4.4.1.1 Tandem Overflow

Per Access Minute of Originating Use: See Price List Per Access Minute of Terminating Use: See Price List

## 7.4.4.2 Tandem Connect Charges

Per Access Minute of Originating Use: See Price List Per Access Minute of Terminating Use: See Price List

## 7.4.4.3 Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic Service

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Per Direct Transit Minute of Use: See Price List Per Indirect Transit Minute of Use: See Price List

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#### Tandem Overflow<sup>1</sup>

Per Access Minute

Per Access Minute

of Originating Use

of Terminating Use

OH:

\$0.003790\*\*

\$0.003790\*\*

Tandem Connect Charges<sup>1</sup>

Per Access Minute

Per Access Minute

of Originating Use

of Terminating Use

OH: \$0.003790\*\*

\$0.003790\*\*

Toll Free 8YY Transit Traffic Service1

Per Direct

Per Indirect

Transit Minute of Use

Transit Minute of Use

OH:

\$0.001223\*\*\*

\$0.001297\*\*\*

- \*\* This is a blended rate. The following AT&T-OH rate elements are included:

  Local Switching + Common Trunk Port + Common Multiplexer + Transport Termination +
  an average of 14 miles of Local Transport Facility.
- \*\*\* This is a blended rate. The Direct Transit Minute of Use rate includes the following AT&T-OH rate elements: Tandem Switching, one-half of the Transport Termination rate, one mile of Transport Facility, and one-half of Common Multiplexer. The Indirect Transit Minute of Use rate includes the following AT&T-OH rate elements: Tandem Switching, Transport Termination, two miles of Transport Facility, and the Common Multiplexer rates.

<sup>1</sup>These rates shall apply in all ILEC territories served by the Company.

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