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January 26, 2010

Ms. Renee Jenkins, Director  
The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
180 E. Broad Street  
Columbus, OH 43215

Re: In the Matter of the Application of US Signal Company, LLC to Detariff Certain  
Tier 2 Services and make other changes related to the Implementation of Case No.  
06-1345-TP-ORD.  
Case No. 10-0083-TP-ATA

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Enclosed for filing please find US Signal Company, LLC's Application for Detariffing  
and Related Actions with Exhibits A through F. These documents are being filed electronically  
on the Commission's Electronic Filing System.

Sincerely,

CLARK HILL PLC

/s Leland R. Rosier

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LRR: met  
Enclosures

**The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio**  
**TELECOMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION FORM for**  
**DETARIFFING AND RELATED ACTIONS**

Per the Commission's 09/19/07 "Implementation Order" in Case No. 06-1345-TP-ORD  
(Effective: 10/01/2007 through 04/01/2008)

In the Matter of the Application of US Signal Company, LLC )  
to Detariff Certain Tier 2 Services and make other changes )  
related to the Implementation of Case No. 06-1345-TP-ORD )

TRF Docket No. 90-\_\_\_\_\_

Case No. 10-0083 **-TP - ATA**

NOTE: Unless you have reserved a Case No. leave the "Case No." fields BLANK.

Name of Registrant(s) US Signal Company, L.L.C.  
DBA(s) of Registrant(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Part I – Tariffs**

Please indicate the Carrier Type and the reason for submitting this form by checking the boxes below.

NOTE: All cases are ATA process cases, tariffs are effective the day they are filed, and remain in effect unless the Commission acts to suspend.

Carrier Type	<input type="checkbox"/> ILEC	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CLEC	<input type="checkbox"/> CTS
Business Tier 2 Services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Residential & Business Toll Services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other Changes required by Rule (Describe in detail in Exhibit C)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Part II – Exhibits**

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

Included	Identified As:	Description of Required Exhibit:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Exhibit A	The existing affected tariff pages.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Exhibit B	The proposed revised tariff pages.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Exhibit C	Matrix or narrative summarizing all changes proposed in the application, and/or other information intended to assist Staff in the review of the Application.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Exhibit D	Explanation of how the Applicant intends to comply with Rule 4901:1-6-05(G)(3) regarding disclosure of rates, terms, and conditions for detariffed services, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• citation to the appropriate Web Page if any, in accordance with rule 4901:1-6-05(G)(4), and/or</li> <li>• copy of other materials and publications to be used to comply with 4901:1-6-05(G)(3).</li> </ul>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Exhibit E	One-time customer notice of detariffing and related changes consistent with rule 4901:1-06-16(B) , including where customers may find the information regarding such services as required by rule 4901:1-6-05(G)(3).
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Exhibit F	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.

**AFFIDAVIT**

***Compliance with Commission Rules and Service Standards***

I am an officer/agent of the applicant corporation, Barbara Boshoven, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf.  
(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) January 15, 2010 at (Location) 201 Ionia Avenue SW, Grand Rapids Michigan 49503

\*(Signature and Title) Barbara Boshoven (Date) January 15, 2010  
VP of Corporate Affairs

- 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.

**VERIFICATION**

I, Barbara Boshoven

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.

\*(Signature and Title) Barbara Boshoven, VP of Corporate Affairs (Date) January 15, 2010

*\*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:***

**Public Utilities Commission of Ohio  
Attention: Docketing Division  
180 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215-3793**

***Or***

***Make such filing electronically as directed in Case No 06-900-AU-WVR***

**EXHIBIT A**

**EXISTING AFFECTED TARIFF PAGES**

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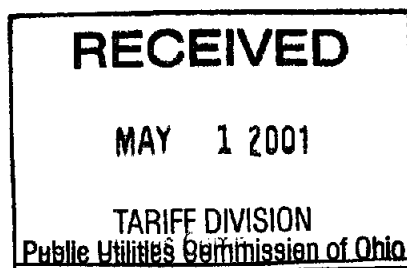
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**REGULATIONS AND SCHEDULE OF INTRASTATE CHARGES**  
**APPLYING TO LOCAL EXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES**  
**WITHIN THE STATE OF OHIO**

**Case No. 01-671-TP-ACE**

This tariff applies to local exchange telecommunications services furnished by RVP Fiber Company, L.L.C.. ("Carrier") between one or more points in the State of Ohio.

This tariff is on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, and copies may be inspected, during normal business hours, at Carrier's principal place of business,



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**RVP FIBER COMPANY, L.L.C.**  
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The pages of this tariff are effective as of the date shown.

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES**

**5.1 CUSTOM CALLING SERVICE**

**5.1.1 General**

The features in this section are made available on an individual basis or as part of multiple feature packages. All features are provided subject to availability; features may not be available with all classes of service. Transmission levels may not be sufficient in all cases.

**5.1.2 Description of Features**

**A. Three Way Conference, Consultation, Transfer**

The Three Way Calling feature allows a customer to add a third party to an existing two-way call and form a three-way call. The call must have been originated from outside the station group and terminate to a station within the station group. The Call Hold feature allows a customer to put any in-progress call on hold by flashing the switchhook and dialing a code. This frees the line to allow the customer to make an outgoing call to another number. Only one call per line can be on hold at a time. The third party cannot be added to the original call.

**B. Call Forwarding**

Call Forwarding, when activated, redirects attempted terminating calls to another customer-specific line. The customer may have to activate and deactivate the forwarding function and specify the desired terminating telephone number during each activation procedure. Call originating ability is not affected by Call Forwarding.

The calling party is billed for the call to the called number. If the forwarded leg of the call is chargeable, the customer with the Call Forwarding is billed for the forwarded leg of the call.

Call Forwarding - Busy automatically reroutes an incoming call to a customer predesignated number when the called number is busy.

Call Forwarding - Don't Answer automatically reroutes an incoming call to a customer predesignated number when the called number does not answer within the number of rings programmed by the Company.

Call Forwarding - Variable allows the customer to choose to reroute incoming calls to another specified telephone number. The customer must activate and deactivate this feature.

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.1 CUSTOM CALLING SERVICE (Cont'd)**

**5.1.2 Description of Features (Cont'd)**

**C. Call Waiting/Cancel Call Waiting**

Call Waiting provides a tone signal to indicate to a customer already engaged in a telephone call that a second caller is attempting to dial in. It will also permit the customer to place the first call on hold, answer the second call and then alternate between both callers. Cancel Call Waiting (CCW) allows a Call Waiting (CW) customer to disable CW for the duration of an outgoing telephone call. CCW is activated (i.e., CW is disabled) by dialing a special code prior to placing a call, and is automatically deactivated when the customer disconnects from the call.

**D. Multiline Hunting**

This feature is a line hunting arrangement that provides sequential or circular searches of available numbers within a multiline group.

Hunt group charges apply to sequential and circular.

**E. Speed Calling**

This feature allows a user to dial selected numbers using one or two digits. Up to eight numbers (single digit, or thirty numbers with two digits) can be selected.

**F. Blocking Service** or a telephonic block can only be removed pursuant to a written request by the customer of record, or the customer of record providing the correct password over the telephone, or by a request made in person by such customer. The customer of record can provide a personal password to use to remove blocking service at the time blocking service is established.

**5.1.3 Rates and Charges**

**A. Monthly Rates**

Rates for this service are located in Sections 12.

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.2 CLASS SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.2.2 Description of Features (Cont'd)**

**C. Per Line Blocking (Calling Number Delivery Suppression)**

Enables customers to prevent the disclosure of their telephone number on all outgoing calls, with out the necessity of an activation code. If the called party has a display device, a privacy indication will appear instead of the calling party's telephone number. Per Line Blocking will be provided at no monthly charge on an optional basis to published and non-published customers at their discretion. To deactivate the privacy status, the customer would dial \*82 from a touch-tone phone or 1182 from a rotary dial phone before placing a call. After completion of the call, the line reverts back to the privacy status. Law enforcement, domestic shelters, and other special agencies will be offered free Per Line Blocking. Per Line Blocking will not be available to public, semi-public, two-party and four-party service customers.

**D. Repeat Dialing (Automatic Callback)**

Automatically redials the last outgoing number after the customer activates the service by dialing \*66 from a touch-tone phone, or 1166 from a rotary dial phone. Repeat dialing monitors the busy line and performs a call setup when both the originating and terminating lines become idle. After activation of the feature, the originating and terminating customers may place other calls without affecting the Repeat Dialing service status. This service may also be used to recall a called party after the conversation has been terminated.

Repeat Dialing will not work for the following types of calls:

- Calls to 800 Service numbers
- Calls to 900 Service numbers
- Calls preceded by an interexchange carrier access code
- International Direct Distance Dialed calls
- Calls to Directory Assistance
- Calls to 911

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.2 CLASS SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.2.2 Description of Features (Cont'd)**

**E. Call Return (Automatic Recall)**

Enables a customer to return the last incoming call, whether or not it was answered. The customer dials the activation code of \*69 from a touch-tone phone, or 1169 from a rotary dial phone, and the last incoming call is announced. If the incoming call was placed from a line designated as "private", a fast busy tone will be heard preventing the activation of the Call Return feature. Office-wide Call Return-Block-to Private prevents Call Return activation when a local or toll calling party blocks their number. To activate the Call Return function, the customer would then dial "1". If the line is busy when the customer activates the service, a confirmation announcement is heard, the customer hangs up, and a queuing process begins. For the next thirty minutes both the calling and the called parties' lines are checked periodically. The call setup is made when both the originating and terminating lines are idles. After activation of the feature, the originating and terminating customers may place calls without effecting the Call Return service status. Up to 30 calls may be held in queue for the customer's Call Return activation. The call backs may be to areas where a toll would be applicable. This feature cannot be activated for all telephone numbers such as number with 800 or 900 prefixes, of PBX extensions.

**F. Call Trace**

Call Trace allows customers to key in a code that alerts the network to trace the last call received. The traced telephone number is automatically sent to the company for storage for a limited amount of time and is retrievable by legally constituted authorities upon proper request by them. By contacting the company the customer can use this application to combat nuisance calls.

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.2 CLASS SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.2.2 Description of Features (Cont'd)**

**G. Call Screening (Selective Call Rejection)**

Provides the customer with a method of blocking calls from certain numbers, which may or may not be known to the customer. The customer may create a screening list of up to 8 telephone numbers, and place them in network memory through an interactive dialing sequence. The customer may also activate the service after receiving a call, and thus place the number associated with the call on the Call Screening screening list. To activate the feature, the customer dials \*60 from a touch-tone phone, or 1160 from a rotary dial phone and the telephone number of each incoming call is checked against the customer's Call Screen list.

**H. Special Call Acceptance (Selective Call Acceptance)**

Provides the customer with a method to accept calls from certain numbers only. Up to 8 telephone numbers may be added to the screening list through an interactive dialing sequence. The customer dials \*64 from a touch-tone phone, or 1164 from a rotary dial phone, to activate the service. Each incoming call is then checked against the customer's Special Call Acceptance screening list.

**I. Preferred Call Forwarding (Selective Call Forwarding)**

Allows customers to create a special list of telephone numbers and destination number through an interactive dialing sequence. By dialing \*63 from a touch-tone phone, or 1163 from a rotary dial phone, the customer activates the service. Only incoming calls from numbers appearing on the list will be forwarded to the predetermined remote station.

**J. Priority Ringing (Distinctive Ring)**

Allows customers to designate several numbers that will be recognized immediately as important calls by means of a distinctive alert signal. Up to 8 telephone numbers may be added to the screening list through an interactive dialing sequence. The customer then dials \*61 from a touch-tone phone, or 1161 from a rotary dial phone, and activates the service. When the incoming call is identified as one of the numbers on the list, a distinctive ring will be produced in the customer's telephone to alert them that an important call is coming in. If the customer is using the phone and one of the selected numbers comes through Call Waiting, the customer will receive a distinctive call waiting signal to let them know an important call is awaiting them.

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.3 SERVICE AND PROMOTIONAL TRIALS (Cont'd)**

**5.3.2 Regulations (Cont'd)**

- B. During a Service Trial, the service(s) is provided automatically to all eligible customers, except those customers who choose not to participate. Customers will be offered the opportunity to decline the trial service both in advance and during the trial. A customer can request that the designated service be removed at any time during the trial and not be billed a recurring charge for the period that the feature was in place. At the end of the trial, customers that do not contact the Company to indicate they wish to retain the service will be disconnected from the service at no charge.
- C. During a Promotional Trial, the service is provided to all eligible customers who ask to participate. Customers will be notified in advance of the opportunity to receive the service in the trial for free. A customer can request that the service be removed at any time during the trial and not be billed a recurring charge for the period that the service was in place. At the end of the trial, customers that do not contact the Company will be disconnected from the service.
- D. Customers can subscribe to any service listed as part of a Promotional Trial and not be billed the normal Connection Charge. The offering of this trial period option is limited in that a service may be tried only once per customer, per premises.
- E. The Company retains the right to limit the size and scope of a Promotional Trial.

**5.4 BUSY LINE VERIFICATION AND INTERRUPT SERVICE**

**5.4.1 General**

Upon request of a calling party, the Company will verify a busy condition on a called line. An operator will determine if the line is clear or in use and report to the calling party. In addition, the operator will intercept an existing call on the called line if the calling party indicates an emergency and requests interruption.

**5.4.2 Rate Application**

- A. A Busy Line Verification Charge will apply when:
  - (1) The operator verifies that the line is busy with a call in progress,  
or
  - (2) The operator verifies that the line is available for incoming calls.

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.4 BUSY LINE VERIFICATION AND INTERRUPT SERVICE (Cont'd)**

**5.4.2 Rate Application (Cont'd)**

- B. Both a Busy Line Verification Charge and a Verification and Interruption Charge will apply when the operator verifies that a called number is busy with a call in progress and the customer requests interruption. The operator will interrupt the call advising the called party of the name of the calling party and the called party will determine whether to accept the interrupt call. Charges will apply whether or not the called party accepts the interruption.

See Rate Schedule in Sections 12 of this tariff.

- C. No charge will apply when the calling party advises that the call is from an official public emergency agency.

**5.5 DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE SERVICE**

**5.5.1 General**

A customer may obtain assistance, for a charge, in determining a telephone number by dialing Directory Assistance Service. A customer can also receive assistance by writing the Company with a list of names and addresses for which telephone numbers are desired.

**5.5.2 Regulations**

A Directory Assistance Charge applies for each telephone number, area code, and/or general information requested from the Directory Assistance operator except as follows:

- A. Calls from pay telephones.
- B. Requests for telephone numbers of non-published service.
- C. Requests in which the Directory Assistance operator provides an incorrect number. The customer must inform the Company of the error in order to receive credit.
- D. Requests from individuals with certified visual or physical handicaps in which the handicap prevents the use of a local directory. Individuals must be certified in accordance with the terms outlined under "Handicapped Person" in Section 8 of this Tariff, up to a maximum of 50 requests per month.

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.5 DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE SERVICE (Cont'd)**

**5.5.2 Regulations (Cont'd)**

- E. A Directory Assistance Call Completion charge will apply to customers who have received a requested intraLATA telephone number from directory assistance and have exercised the option of having a call automatically dialed and completed to that requested number.

**5.5.3 Rates**

Unless one of the exceptions listed above applies, the charges as shown below apply for each request made to the Directory Assistance operator:

See Rate Schedule in Sections 12 of this tariff.

**5.6 LOCAL OPERATOR SERVICE**

Local calls may be completed or billed with the live or mechanical assistance by the Company's operator center. Calls may be billed collect to the called party, to an authorized 3rd party number, to the originating line, or to a valid authorized calling card. Local calls may be placed on a station basis or to a specified party (see Person to Person), or designated alternate. Usage charges for local operator assisted calls are those usage charges that would normally apply to the calling party's service.

See Rate Schedule in Sections 12 of this tariff.

**5.7 BLOCKING SERVICE**

**5.7.1 General**

Blocking service is a feature that permits customers to restrict access from their telephone line to various discretionary services. The following blocking options are available to residential and business customers:

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.7 BLOCKING SERVICE (Cont'd)**

**5.7.4 Chatline Information Provider Services (Cont'd)**

**5.7.4.2 Revenue Sharing**

The Company will file, as a supplement to this Tariff, the terms and conditions of its provision of service to information providers, including any chatline-type discounts or revenue sharing arrangements, where the provision of such service is on terms and conditions that vary from those contained in this Tariff.

**5.8 VANITY NUMBER SERVICE**

**5.8.1 General**

- A. Vanity Number Service allows a customer to order a specified telephone number rather than the next available number.
- B. Vanity Number Service is furnished subject to the availability of facilities and requested telephone numbers.
- C. The Company will not be responsible for the manner in which Vanity Numbers are used for marketing purposes by the customer.
- D. When a new customer assumes an existing service which includes Vanity Number Service, the new customer may keep the Vanity Number, at the tariffed rate, with the written consent of the Company and the former customer.
- E. The Company reserves and retains the right:
  - (1) To reject any request for specialized telephone numbers and to refuse requests for specialized telephone numbers;
  - (2) Of custody and administration of all telephone numbers, and to prohibit the assignment of the use of a telephone number by or from any customer to another, except as otherwise provided in this Tariff;
  - (3) To assign or withdraw and reassign telephone numbers in any exchange area as it deems necessary or appropriate in the conduct of its business.
  - (4) The limitation of liability provisions of this tariff in Section 2 are applicable to Vanity Number Service.

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.8 VANITY NUMBER SERVICE (Cont'd)**

**5.8.2 Conditions**

**A. Charges for Vanity Number Service apply when a customer:**

- (1) Requests a telephone number other than the next available number from the assignment control list, and such requested number is placed into service within six months of the date of the request.
- (2) Requests a number change from the customer's present number to a Vanity Number.

**B. The Company shall not be liable to any customer for direct, indirect or consequential damages caused by a failure of service, change of number, or assignment of a requested number to another customer whether prior to or after the establishment of service. In no case shall the Company be liable to any person, firm or corporation for an amount greater than such person, firm or corporation has actually paid to the Company for Vanity Number Service.**

See Rate Schedule in Sections 12 of this tariff.

**5.9 CUSTOMER REQUESTED SERVICE SUSPENSIONS**

- A. At the request of the customer the Company will suspend incoming and outgoing service on the customer's access line for a period of time not to exceed one year. The equipment is left in place and directory listings are continued during the suspension period without change. At the customer's request the Company will provide the customer with an intercept recording referring callers to another number.**
- B. The company will assess a lower monthly rate for Customer Requested Service Suspension as noted below. However, any mileage charges, monthly cable charges or monthly construction charges are still due, without reduction during the period of suspension.**

**Period of Suspension**

**Charge**

- |   |                                     |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| - First Month or Partial Month                        | Regular Monthly Rate (no reduction) |
| - Each Additional Month<br>(up to the one-year limit) | ½ Regular Monthly Rate              |

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.10 OPTIONAL DIALING PLANS**

**5.10.1 LMS Free Calling**

**A. Basic Description**

LMS Free Calling enables customers to place calls between selected customer telephone numbers without incurring usage sensitive charges. The following conditions will apply to LMS Free Calling:

1. The feature is offered on a per line basis for any selected customer telephone numbers.
2. The customer will indicate which telephone numbers are to be given the LMS Free Calling feature. No usage sensitive charges will apply to calls placed between customer telephone numbers provided with this feature.
3. LMS Free Calling applies only to calls placed between selected customer stations situated within the same LATA.
4. This feature is offered subject to the availability of suitable facilities. LMS Free Calling may, in certain situations, be unavailable due to the limitations of the customer's equipment or due to compatibility problems that exist between the customer's equipment and the facilities of the Company.
5. Certain custom calling features may not be available to customers subscribing to LMS Free Calling.

**B. LMS Free Calling is offered under the following options:**

1. Standard LMS Free – Under this option, there are no changes in dialing procedures. Customers will use the same dialing procedures for calls placed to LMS Free stations that they would use for calls placed to non-LMS Free stations.
2. 4-Digit LMS Free – This option enables customers to place calls between LMS Free customer stations by dialing the last four digits of the receiving station's telephone number. To reach a non-LMS Free station, customers must dial "9" plus the dialing sequence they would normally dial (i.e., 7 digits for local, 1+10 for interLATA toll) were they not subscribing to LMS Free Calling.

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**5 - SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**5.10 OPTIONAL DIALING PLANS (Cont'd.)**

**5.10.1 LMS Free Calling (Cont'd.)**

**C. Requirements**

LMS Free calling will be restricted to stations that, for a term of no less than twelve months, the customer is either currently committed to or will agree to commit to the following conditions:

1. Using the Company as its local service provider.
2. Using either the Company or the Company's affiliate long distance provider for IntraLATA toll service.

**D. Rates and Charges**

The company does not require a monthly recurring charge for this feature. Should the customer elect to subscribe to this feature, a service order charge as specified in Sections 12 of this tariff will apply.

**5.11 SERVICE PROVIDER NUMBER PORTABILITY**

Service Provider Number Portability – Location Routing Number (SPNP – LRN) depends on AIN/IN technology. LRN is a 10-digit number used to uniquely identify a switch that has ported numbers. The LRN for a particular switch must be a native NPA-NXX assigned to the local exchange provider for that switch and serves as a network address. Telecommunications Carriers routing telephone calls to an end-user that has ported their telephone number from one Telecommunications Carrier to another must perform a database query to obtain the LRN that corresponds to the dialed telephone number. The N-1 telecommunications provider (the next to the last terminating carrier) is responsible for determining the LRN for the call being terminated. The database query is performed for all calls where the NPA-NXX of the called number has been marked in the switch as portable. The Telecommunications Carrier routes the call to the appropriate Telecommunications Carrier based on the LRN.

**5.11.1 General**

Service Provider Number Portability (SPNP) is only available to telecommunications carriers for use in the provision of a telecommunications service as specified and to the extent required by the Telecommunications Act of 1996, Pub. L. No. 104-104, 110 Stat. 56 (1996) ("the Act") and the rules and regulations of the Federal Communications Commission and the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

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**5.11 SERVICE PROVIDER NUMBER PORTABILITY (Cont'd)**

**5.11.1 General (Cont'd)**

Service Provider Number Portability is a service arrangement provided by the Company to Telecommunications Carriers whereby a customer, who switches subscription to local exchange service from the Company to a Telecommunications Carrier is permitted to retain for their use the existing Company assigned telephone number provided that the customer's service location remains within the same Company rate center.

**5.11.2 Conditions**

- A. SPNP is only available to Telecommunications Carriers.
- B. SPNP service and facilities will only be provided where technically feasible, subject to the availability of facilities and pursuant to FCC Docket No. 95-116 and PUCO Case No. 95-845-TP-COI, and may only be furnished from properly equipped central offices. SPNP service and facilities are not offered for Mass Calling NXX Codes, NXX Codes 555, 976, 950, FX service or Company coin telephone.
- C. Telecommunications Carriers will be assessed Local Number Portability (LNP) Query Charges as SPNP-LRN becomes available in an area if the Company performs an LPN database query on behalf of the Telecommunications Carrier.
- D. Interim Arrangements (SPNP-Remote and SPNP-Direct) are only available to Telecommunications Carriers in areas where SPNP-Location Routing Number (LRN) is not available. Telecommunications Carriers shall migrate from Interim Arrangements to SPNP-LRN as soon as practicable, but no later than 120 days from the last day which the F.C.C. has mandated SPNP-LRN be available in a particular Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA). Requests for Interim Arrangements will also not be processed after the last day which the F.C.C. has mandated SPNP-LRN be available in a particular MSA. The parties shall provide long-term number portability to each other in accordance with rules and regulations prescribed by the F.C.C. and /or the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

**5.11.3 Responsibilities of the Company**

The Company's sole responsibility is to comply with the service requests it receives from the Telecommunications Carrier and to provide SPNP in accordance with this tariff. In the event that the Company becomes aware that a dispute or discrepancy may have occurred, it may insist that the Telecommunications Carrier provide the Company a signed letter of authorization from the end-user.

The Company is not responsible for the allocation of charges for resold or shared SPNP service or for misdialed calls

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**5.11 SERVICE PROVIDER NUMBER PORTABILITY (Cont'd)**

**5.11.4 Responsibilities of the Telecommunications Carrier**

- A. The Telecommunications Carrier is solely responsible to obtain a signed letter of authorization from the end-user for handling of the disconnection and the end-user's service with the Company, the provision of service by the Telecommunications Carrier and the provision of SPNP service. Should a dispute or discrepancy arise regarding the authority of a Telecommunications Carrier to act on behalf of the end-user, the Telecommunications Carrier is responsible for providing a signed letter of authorization, to the Company. In the event that the Telecommunication Carrier is unable to provide such authorization, the Company may either refuse to disconnect the end-user's service and establish SPNP service as requested by the Telecommunications Carrier or, where the conversion from end-user's to SPNP service has already occurred, may choose to restore the end-user's prior service with the Company and terminate SPNP service that particular end-user. In such an event, the Telecommunications Carrier is responsible to compensate the Company for its cancellation costs if the end-user's service had not been disconnected and SPNP service had not yet been established or to pay all applicable restoral cost for terminating the SPNP service and restoring the end-user's prior service with the Company.
- B. The Telecommunication Carrier is responsible for coordinating the provision of service with the Company to assure that its switch is capable of accepting SPNP Ported traffic.
- C. The Telecommunications Carrier is solely responsible to provide equipment and facilities that are compatible with the Company's service parameters, interfaces, equipment and facilities. The Telecommunication Carrier is required to provide sufficient terminating facilities and services at the terminating end of an SPNP call to adequately handle all traffic to that location and is solely responsible to ensure that its facilities, equipment and services do not interfere with or impair any facility, equipment of service of the Company or any of its end-users. In the event that the Company determines in its sole judgment that Telecommunication Carrier will likely impair or is impairing, or interfering with any equipment, facility of service of the Company or any of its end-users, the Company may either refuse to provide SPNP service of terminate it in accordance with other provisions of the Company's tariff.
- D. The Telecommunication Carrier is responsible for providing an appropriate intercept announcement service for any telephone numbers subscribed to SPNP service for which it is not presently providing local exchange service or terminating an end-user.

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**5.11 SERVICE PROVIDER NUMBER PORTABILITY (Cont'd)**

**5.11.4 Responsibilities of the Telecommunications Carrier (Cont'd)**

- E. The Telecommunication Carrier is responsible for designating to the Company at the time of its initial service request for SPNP service one of the following options for the handling and processing of Calling Card, Collect, third party, and other operator handled non-sent paid calls from or to SPNP assigned telephone numbers: (1) the Connecting-Carrier may request that the Company block all such calls; (2) the Telecommunication Carrier may accept billing from the Company for such calls; or (3) the Telecommunication Carrier may negotiate a separate, detariffed billing and collection agreement with the Company establishing the call handling, processing and billing responsibilities of the parties.

**5.11.5 Limitations of Service**

- A. The Company is not responsible for adverse effects on any service, facility or equipment from the use of SPNP service
- B. End-to-end transmission characteristics may vary depending on the distance and routing necessary to complete calls over SPNP facilities and the fact that another carrier is involved in the provisioning of service. Therefore, end-to-end transmission characteristics cannot be specified by the Company for such calls.
- C. The Company is not responsible to the Telecommunication Carrier if necessary changes in protection criteria or in any of the facilities, operation, or procedures of the Company renders any facilities provided by a Telecommunication Carrier obsolete or renders modification of the Telecommunication Carrier's equipment necessary except as otherwise required by the Commission.

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**7 - BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES**

**7.1 GENERAL**

Business Network Switched Service provide a business customer with a connection to the Company's switching network which enables the customer to:

- A. receive calls from other stations on the public switched telephone network;
- B. access the Company's local calling service;
- C. access the Company's operators and business office for service related assistance; access toll-free telecommunications service such as 800 NPA; and access 911 service for emergency calling; and
- D. access the service of providers of interexchange service or intraLATA toll service. A customer may presubscribe to such provider's service to originate calls on a direct dialed basis or to receive 800 service from such provider, or may access a provider on an ad hoc basis by dialing the provider's Carrier Identification Code (10XXX). At the time of initial subscription, the customer shall designate a Primary Interexchange Carrier (PIC) for intra-LATA and inter-LATA toll service. If the customer does not select an intra-LATA PIC, and does not request blocking of intra-LATA toll calls, the Company shall be deemed to have been designated as the customer's intra-LATA PIC.

Business Network Switched Service is provided via one or more channels terminated at the customer's premises. Each Business Network Switched Service channel corresponds to one or more analog, voice-grade telephonic communications channels that can be used to place or receive one call at a time.

Connection charges as described in Section 3 apply to all service on a one-time basis unless waived pursuant to this Tariff.

**7.2 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS**

The following Business Access Service Options are offered:

Basic Business Line Service  
PBX Trunks

Basic Business Line Service and PBX trunks are offered with measured rate local service.

All Business Network Switched Service may be connected to customer-provided terminal equipment such as station sets, key systems, PBX systems, or facsimile machines. Service may be arranged for two-way calling, inward calling only or outward calling only.

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**7 - BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**7.2 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)**

The following features as described in Section 5 are available with Business Line Service for an additional charge:

Three Way Conference, Consultation  
Call Forwarding (Variable, Busy Line, Don't Answer)  
Call Waiting/Cancel Call Waiting  
Speed Calling One Digit (8)  
Speed Calling Two Digit (30)  
Call Forwarding Remote Access  
Call Transfer

The following features are available with Business Line Service at an additional charge.

**HUNT GROUP CHANGES**

Sequential Hunting  
Circular Hunting

**HUNTING LINE CHANGES**

Sequential Hunting  
Circular Hunting

The following CLASS features are offered to business network switched service subscribers at an additional charge:

Caller ID + Name  
Block Caller ID  
Call Return  
Continuous Redial  
Call Trace  
Anonymous Call Rejection

**7.2.1 Basic Business Line Service**

**A. General**

Basic Business Line Service provides a customer with a one or more analog, voice-grade telephonic communications channel that can be used to place or receive one call at a time. Local calling service is available at a flat rate included in the line price, or on a measured usage basis. Basic Business Lines are provided for connection of customer-provided single-line terminal equipment such as station sets or facsimile machines.

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**7 - BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**7.2 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)**

**7.2.1 Basic Business Line Service (Cont'd)**

**A. General (Cont'd)**

Each Basic Business Line has the following characteristics:

Terminal Interface:	2-wire
Signaling Type:	Loop start
Pulse Types:	Dual Tone Multifrequency (DTMF) or Dial Pulse (DP)
Directionality:	Two-Way, In-Only, or Out-Only, at the option of the customer

**B. Measured Rate Basic Business Line Service**

**1) Description**

Calls to points within the local exchange area are charged on the basis of the duration of completed calls originating from the customer's service in addition to a base monthly charge. Local calling areas are as specified in Section 11.

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**7 - BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**7.2 SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS (Cont'd)**

**7.2.1 Basic Business Line Service (Cont'd)**

**B. Measured Rate Basic Business Line Service (Cont'd)**

**2) Recurring and Nonrecurring Charges**

Charges for each Measured Rate Service line include a monthly recurring Base Service Charge and usage charges for completed calls originated from the customer's line based on the duration of calls during the billing period. In addition to the nonrecurring charges listed below, service order charges apply as described in Section 3 of this tariff. In certain circumstances, service to customers may require the use of a link (and, or) number portability arrangements provided by the Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier. In such circumstances, the monthly recurring charge to the customer will be the greater of the company's Base Service Line charge set forth below or the charge to the company by the Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier for the link used to serve the customer. If the customer is served through a Number Portability Arrangement, the monthly charge to the customer will be increased by the applicable charge from the Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier to the Company of the Number Portability Arrangement.

**3) Usage Charges**

See Rate Schedule in Sections 12.

**7.2.2 PBX Trunk Service**

**A. General**

PBX trunks are provided for connection of customer-provided PBX terminal equipment. Trunks can be delivered at a DS0 level or at the DS1 level.

DID service allows callers to reach the called party without going through a PBX attendant. DOD service allows end users to dial outside of a PBX system without going through the PBX attendant to get access to an outside line. Digital trunks cannot be two-way trunks, but must be ordered as with either Direct Inward Dialing (DID) or Direct Outward Dialing (DOD).

For DID configured PBX trunks additional charges apply for Direct Inward Dial Station numbers.

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**9 - SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS (Cont'd)**

**9.2 NON-ROUTINE INSTALLATION AND/OR MAINTENANCE**

At the customer's request, installation and/or maintenance may be performed outside the Company's regular business hours, or (in the Company's sole discretion and subject to any conditions it may impose) in hazardous locations. In such cases, charges based on the cost of labor, material, and 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.

**9.3 INDIVIDUAL CASE BASIS (ICB) ARRANGEMENTS**

Rates for ICB arrangements will be developed on a case-by-case basis in response to a bona fide request from a customer or prospective customer for service which vary from tariffed arrangements. Rates quoted in response to such requests may be different for tariffed service than those specified for such service in this Tariff. ICB rates will be offered to customers in writing and will be made available to similarly situated customers. A summary of each ICB contract pricing arrangement offered pursuant to this paragraph will be filed as an addendum to this Tariff within 30 days after the contract is signed by both the Company and the customer. The following information will be included in the summary:

- 1) LATA and type of switch
- 2) The V&H distance from the central office to the customer's premises
- 3) Service description
- 4) Rates and charges
- 5) Quantity of circuits
- 6) Length of the agreement.

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**10 - DIRECTORY**

**10.1 ALPHABETICAL DIRECTORY**

**10.1.1 Main Listings**

- A. The Company contracts with an outside provider, which may be the Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier, for directory listings. All references to the directory of the Company will mean the directory published by the outside provider.
- B. The term "listing" refers to the information in lightface type in the alphabetical directory and the Directory Assistance Records of the Company.
- C. Listings provided without charge are as follows:
  - 1) One listing for each individual line. Where individual lines are grouped for incoming service, only one listing will be provided for each such group.
  - 2) One listing for each PBX or interconnecting system.
- D. The name listed in the directory has no bearing on who is responsible for payment of the account associated with the number being listed.

**10.1.2 Composition of Listings**

- A. Listings are limited to information essential to the identification of the listed party.
- B. Addresses
  - 1) Each listing normally includes the number and street name location where the telephone service is furnished. the name of a building may be shown in case of buildings commonly known by name.
  - 2) Upon Customer request, the address may be omitted, a post office box number may be shown, or a partial address (omitting number) may be shown. In directories where locality names are normally part of the address, a partial address consisting of the name of a locality may be shown.
- C. The Customer may request a main listing different from the billing name and address of the service. All such requests will be honored to the extent possible under the terms of the contract described in 10.1.1.a above.

**10.1.3 Types of Listings**

In addition to the main listing as described above, the following options are available for an additional charge.

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10 - DIRECTORY (Cont'd)

10.1 ALPHABETICAL DIRECTORY (Cont'd)

10.1.3 Types of Listings (Cont'd)

A. Non-Listed

Telephone numbers of non-listed service are not listed in the Company's directories or on the directory assistance records. Non-listed service is available with all classes of main telephone exchange service provided the customer has other exchange service which is listed in the directory or is on directory assistance records in the same name and at the same address. There are no restrictions against furnishing name, address or number information for non-listed services.

B. Additional Listing

A listing in addition to the main listing.

C. Cross Reference Listing

A Customer may have a related listing in the same alphabetic group listing when required for identification of the listed party and not designated for advertising purposes.

D. Extra Line Listing

This feature provides information after a main or additional listing. It refers callers to an alternative telephone number that is listed immediately below the main number.

E. Foreign Listing

This feature provides a listing for a customer in a directory other than the directory that serves their local service area.

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10 - DIRECTORY (Cont'd)

10.1 ALPHABETICAL DIRECTORY (Cont'd)

10.1.4 Non-Published Service

A. General

The telephone numbers of non-published service are not listed in either the Company's alphabetical directory or Directory Assistance records available to the general public. However, where a government agency subscribes to Universal Emergency Telephone Number Service (911) or Enhanced Universal Emergency Telephone Service (E911), the telephone number, name, and address of a Customer with non-published service will be displayed when the Customer dials 911 and is connected to a Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) for dispatch of emergency service. In addition, the Company will provide a Customer's non-published number when a law enforcement agency requests it in writing.

B. Regulations

- 1) Except as otherwise provided in this paragraph, incoming calls to non-published service will be completed only when the calling party places the call by number. In claims of emergencies involving life and death, the operator will call the non-published number and request permission to make an immediate connection to the calling party. If the connection is refused, the calling party will be advised.
- 2) The acceptance by the Company of the Customer's request to refrain from publishing his or her telephone number in the Directory does not create any relationship or obligation, direct or indirect, to any person other than the Customer.
- 3) In the absence of gross negligence or willful misconduct, no liability for damages arising from publishing the telephone number of non-published service in the directory or disclosing said number to any person shall attach to the Company, and where such a number is published in the directory, the Company's liability shall be limited to and satisfied by a refund of any monthly charges which the Company may have made for such non-published service.
- 4) The Customer indemnifies and saves the Company harmless against any and all claims for damages caused or claimed to have been caused, directly, by the publication of the number of a non-published service or the disclosing of said number to any person.

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**10 - DIRECTORY (Cont'd)**

**10.2 [RESERVED FOR FUTURE USE]**

**10.3 DIRECTORY INFORMATION REQUESTS**

Requests for directory information are provided by dialing Directory Assistance. (See Section 5.5.) Information will not be issued by the Company outside of normal directory assistance procedures unless the request is made by an emergency agency. Directory information will only be provided to emergency agencies after a formal request is presented to the Company in writing. The requesting agency must agree to pay for the costs incurred by the Company in providing the information, and must certify that the information will be used only for the purpose of providing its services to the community.

**10.4 LIABILITY OF THE COMPANY FOR ERRORS**

**10.4.1 General**

In the absence of gross negligence or willful misconduct, and except for the allowances stated elsewhere in this Tariff, no liability for any damage of any nature whatsoever arising from errors in directory listings or errors in listings obtainable from the Directory Assistance operator, including errors in reporting thereof, shall attach to the Company. A listing is considered in error only when it shows the Customer on the wrong street, or in the wrong community. The Customer must notify the Company of an error.

**10.4.2 Allowance for Errors**

An allowance for errors in published directory listings or for errors in listings obtainable from the Directory Assistance operator shall be given as follows:

**A. Free Listings**

For Free or non-charge published directory listings, credit shall be given at the rate of two times the monthly rate for an additional or charge listing affected, for each month of the life of the directory or the charge period during which the error occurs. The Company may issue the credit in a lump sum if it chooses to do so.

**B. Charge Listings**

For each additional or charge published directory listing, credit shall be given at the monthly tariff rate for each individual line affected, for each month of the life of the directory or the charge period during which the error occurs.

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**10 - DIRECTORY (Cont'd)**

**10.4 LIABILITY OF THE COMPANY FOR ERRORS (Cont'd)**

**10.4.2 Allowance for Errors (Cont'd)**

**C. Operator Records**

For free or charge listings obtainable from records used by the Directory Assistance operator, upon notification to the Company of the error in such records by the Customer, the Company shall be allowed a period of three business days to make the correction. If the correction is not made in that time for reasons within the control of the Company, credit shall be given at the rate of two-thirtieths (2/30) of the basic monthly rate for the line or lines in question for each day thereafter that the records remain uncorrected.

The total amount of any credit shall not exceed, on a monthly basis, the total of the charges for each listing plus the basis monthly rate for the line(s) in question. No allowance will be provided for errors caused by other carriers or operator service providers.

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**12.5 INTRALATA TOLL USAGE AND MILEAGE CHARGES**

Time of Day Periods

DAY	8AM-5PM MONDAY -FRIDAY*
EVENING	5PM-11PM MONDAY-FRIDAY; 5PM-11PM SUNDAY* All day Christmas, New Years, Thanksgiving, Independence and Labor Days
NIGHT & WEEKEND	8AM SATURDAY - 5PM SUNDAY; 11PM-8AM EVERY DAY*

The time shown indicates the termination of one rate application period and the beginning of the next. Calls connected at exactly the time shown are considered in the next time period.  
IntraLATA rates are not time of day sensitive.

**CALLING AREA LEGEND**

CALL AREA

	Min.	Max.	<u>LOCAL</u>	
	First	Min.	Addl.	Min.
Peak	\$0.01	\$0.20	\$0.01	\$0.20
Off-Peak	\$0.01	\$0.20	\$0.01	\$0.20

**12.5.1 TOLL CHARGES FOR NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES**

CALL  
AREA

	<u>Day</u>				<u>Evening</u>				<u>Night &amp; Weekend</u>			
	Initial	Initial	Add'l	Add'l	Initial	Initial	Add'l	Add'l	Initial	Initial	Add'l	Add'l
	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>
0-10 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
11-14 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
15-18 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
19-24 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
25-30 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
31-55 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
55+ Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50

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## 12.5 INTRALATA TOLL USAGE AND MILEAGE CHARGES (Cont'd.)

## 12.5.2 TOLL CHARGES FOR DS1 TRUNK SERVICES

TOLL

<u>CALL</u>	<u>Day</u>				<u>Evening</u>				<u>Night &amp; Weekend</u>			
	Initial	Initial	Add'l	Add'l	Initial	Initial	Add'l	Add'l	Initial	Initial	Add'l	Add'l
	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>	<u>Min</u>	<u>Max</u>
0-10 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
11-14 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
15-18 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
19-24 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
25-30 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
31-55 Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50
55+ Miles	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50	\$0.01	\$0.50

## 12.5.1 Per Call Service Charges\*

The following service charges apply to intraLATA toll calls for which live or automated operator assistance is provided for call completion and/or billing.

	Minimum	Maximum
Customer Dialed	\$0.01	\$1.50
Person to Person Collect	\$0.01	\$4.80
Third Party Billed	\$0.01	\$2.50
Station to Station	\$0.01	\$2.50

\* These charges are applied in addition to the toll usage charges specified above.

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**12 - RATES & CHARGES (Cont'd)**

**12.6 SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES**

**12.6.1 Custom Calling Service**

**Rates and Charges**

**A. Monthly Charges**

Rates for this service are located in the Rate Schedules for Section 12.7.1.1, Residential Network Switched Service and Sections 12.8.1.1, Business Network Switched Service.

**B. Nonrecurring Connection Charges**

Connection charges for this service are located in the Rate Schedules for Sections 12.7.1.1(A), Residential Network Switched Service and Section 12.8.1.1(A), Business Network Switched Service.

**12.6.2 CLASS Services**

**Rates and Charges**

**A. Monthly Charges**

Rates for this service are located in the Rate Schedules for Sections 12.7.1.1, Residential Network Switched Service and Sections 12.8.1.1, Business Network Switched Service.

**B. Nonrecurring Connection Charges**

Connection charges for this service are located in the Rate Schedules for Sections 12.7.1.1, Residential Network Switched Service and Sections 12.8.1.1, Business Network Switched Service.

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## 12.6 SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)

## 12.6.3 Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service

	Min.	Max.
Busy Line Verification Charge, each request	\$0.01	\$2.50
Verification and Interruption Charge, each request	\$0.01	\$3.00

## 12.6.4 Directory Assistance Service

	Min.	Max.
Directory Assistance	\$0.01	\$1.00
Directory Assistance Call Completion	\$0.01	\$1.50
Directory Assistance, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Party Billed	\$0.01	\$2.50

## 12.6.5 Local Operator Service\*

	Min.	Max.
Customer Dialed	\$0.01	\$1.00
Person to Person	\$0.01	\$4.80
Third Number Billed	\$0.01	\$2.00
Station to Station	\$0.01	\$2.50

\* These charges are applied in addition to the local usage charges specified above.

## 12.6 SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)

## 12.6.7 Blocking Service

	Nonrecurring Charges*	
	Minimum	Maximum
500, 700, 900 Blocking		
- Residential	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$20.00

The above charges apply only when adding blocking services in existing access lines the customer has with the Company after the customer's initial conversion to the Company's local exchange service.

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	<u>Recurring</u>		<u>Nonrecurring</u>	
	<u>Min.</u>	<u>Max.</u>	<u>Min.</u>	<u>Max.</u>
Third Number Billed and Collect				
Call Restriction				
- Residential	\$0.01	\$5.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$5.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Toll Restriction				
- Residential	\$0.01	\$5.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$5.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Toll Restriction Plus Directory Assistance				
- Residential	\$0.01	\$5.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$5.00	\$0.01	\$20.00

The above charges apply only when adding blocking services in existing access lines the customer has with the Company after the customer's initial conversion to the Company's local exchange service.

**12.6.8 Vanity Number Service**

	<u>Monthly Recurring</u>		<u>Non-Recurring</u>	
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Set-up Charges				
- Residential	\$0.01	\$10.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$10.00	\$0.01	\$20.00

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**12.7 RESIDENTIAL NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES**

**12.7.1 Measured Rate Service**

**A. Base Service Line**

	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Nonrecurring Connection Charge, New Install:	\$10.00	\$75.00

<u>Term of Service</u>	<u>Monthly Recurring Charges</u>	
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Month-to-Month	\$10.00	\$30.00
12 Month	\$10.00	\$30.00
24 Month	\$10.00	\$30.00
36 Month	\$10.00	\$30.00
48 Month	\$10.00	\$30.00
60 Month	\$10.00	\$30.00

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**12.7 RESIDENTIAL NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**12.7.1 Measured Rate Service (Cont'd)**

**12.7.1.1 Custom Calling Features:**

**A. Standard Features - Per Line:**

	<u>First</u>		<u>Additional</u>	
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Monthly Charges:	Min.	Max.		
Three-Way Conference, Consultation	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Call Forwarding Variable	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Call Forwarding Busy Line	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Call Forwarding Don't Answer	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Call Forwarding BL/DA	\$0.01	\$15.00		
Call Waiting Terminating	\$0.01	\$15.00		
Call Waiting Originating	\$0.01	\$15.00		
Speed Calling One Digit (8)	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Speed Calling Two Digit (30)	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Call Forward Remote Access	\$0.01	\$5.00		
Call Transfer	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Direct Connect Line	\$0.01	\$5.00		

% Discount applied to  
individual feature prices.

**Package Deals**

	Minimum	Maximum
- Any 2 features	0%	50%
- Any 3 features	0%	50%
- Any 4 features	0%	50%

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	<u>First</u>		<u>Additional</u>	
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Monthly Recurring Charges:	Min.	Max.		
- Sequential Hunting	\$0.01	\$10.00		
- Circular Hunting	\$0.01	\$10.00		

**C. Hunting Line Charge:**

	<u>First</u>		<u>Additional</u>	
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Sequential Hunting	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Circular Hunting	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Monthly Recurring Charges:	Min.	Max.		
- Sequential Hunting	\$0.01	\$10.00		
- Circular Hunting	\$0.01	\$10.00		

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**12.7.1 Measured Rate Service (Cont'd)**

**D. CLASS Features Line Charge:**

<u>CLASS Features</u> <u>Line Charge:</u>	<u>Recurring</u> <u>Monthly</u>		<u>Nonrecurring</u>			
	Min.	Max.	Min.	<u>First</u> Max.	<u>Additional.</u> Min.	Max.
Caller ID	\$2.50	\$15.00	\$1.00	\$20.00	\$1.00	\$20.00
Block Caller ID	\$0.01	\$ 5.00	\$1.00	\$20.00	\$1.00	\$20.00
Call Return	\$1.50	\$10.00	\$1.00	\$20.00	\$1.00	\$20.00
Repeat Dialing	\$1.50	\$10.00	\$1.00	\$20.00	\$1.00	\$20.00

**D. CLASS Features Usage Charge:**

<u>CLASS Features Usage Charge:</u>	<u>Per Use</u>	
	Min.	Max.
Call Return	\$0.01	\$1.00
Repeat Dialing	\$0.01	\$1.00
Call Trace	\$0.01	\$2.50

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## 12.7.1 Measured Rate Service (Cont'd.)

## B. Usage Rates

1. Month-To-Month Rates

See Rate Schedule in Section 12.5.

2. Term Commitment Rates

Customers who agree to subscribe to Measured Rate Service for terms of 12, 24, 36, 48 or 60 months will be charged the following usage rates:

<u>Term Period</u>	<u>Per Minute Rates</u>			
	<u>Local Calling</u>		<u>Toll</u>	
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
12 Month	\$0.01	\$0.10	\$0.040	\$0.150
24 Month	\$0.01	\$0.10	\$0.040	\$0.150
36 Month	\$0.01	\$0.10	\$0.040	\$0.150
48 Month	\$0.01	\$0.10	\$0.040	\$0.150
60 Month	\$0.01	\$0.10	\$0.040	\$0.150

## 12.7.2 Flat Rate Service

	<u>Min.</u>	<u>Max.</u>
Basic Monthly Service	\$7.50	\$50.00

## 12.8 BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES

## 12.8.1 Measured Rate Service

## A. Base Service Line

	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Nonrecurring Connection Charge, New Install:	\$10.00	\$75.00

<u>Term of Service</u>	<u>Monthly Recurring Charges</u>	
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
Month-to-Month	\$10.00	\$30.00
12 Month	\$10.00	\$30.00
24 Month	\$10.00	\$30.00
36 Month	\$10.00	\$30.00
48 Month	\$10.00	\$30.00
60 Month	\$10.00	\$30.00

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**12.8 BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**12.8.1 Measured Rate Basic Business Line Service (Cont'd)**

**12.8.1.1 Custom Calling Features:**

**A. Standard Features - Per Line:**

	<u>First</u>		<u>Additional</u>	
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Monthly Charges:	Min.	Max.		
Three-Way Conference, Consultation	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Call Forwarding Variable	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Call Forwarding Busy Line	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Call Forwarding Don't Answer	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Call Forwarding BL/DA	\$0.01	\$15.00		
Call Waiting Terminating	\$0.01	\$15.00		
Call Waiting Originating	\$0.01	\$15.00		
Speed Calling One Digit (8)	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Speed Calling Two Digit (30)	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Call Forward Remote Access	\$0.01	\$5.00		
Call Transfer	\$0.01	\$10.00		
Direct Connect Line	\$0.01	\$5.00		

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**12.8 BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**12.8.1 Measured Rate Basic Business Line Service (Cont'd)**

**12.8.1.1 Custom Calling Features: (Cont'd)**

**B. Hunt Group Charge:**

	First Min.	Max.	Additional Min.	Max.
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Monthly Recurring Charges:	Min.	Max.		
- Sequential Hunting	\$0.01	\$10.00		
- Circular Hunting	\$0.01	\$10.00		

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## 12.8 BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)

## 12.8.1 Measured Rate Basic Business Line Service (Cont'd)

## 12.8.1.1 Custom Calling Features: (Cont'd)

C. Hunting Line Charge:

	<u>First</u>		<u>Additional</u>	
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:				
- Sequential Hunting	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Circular Hunting	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Monthly Recurring Charges:	Min.	Max.		
- Sequential Hunting	\$0.01	\$10.00		
- Circular Hunting	\$0.01	\$10.00		

<u>CLASS Features</u>	<u>Recurring</u>		<u>Nonrecurring</u>			
	<u>Monthly</u>		<u>First</u>		<u>Additional</u>	
<u>Line Charge:</u>	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
Caller ID	\$2.50	\$15.00	\$1.00	\$20.00	\$1.00	\$20.00
Block Caller ID	\$0.01	\$ 5.00	\$1.00	\$20.00	\$1.00	\$20.00
Call Return	\$1.50	\$10.00	\$1.00	\$20.00	\$1.00	\$20.00
Repeat Dialing	\$1.50	\$10.00	\$1.00	\$20.00	\$1.00	\$20.00

CLASS Features Usage Charge:

	<u>Per Use</u>	
	Min.	Max.
Call Return	\$0.01	\$1.00
Repeat Dialing	\$0.01	\$1.00
Call Trace	\$0.01	\$2.50

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12.8.1 Measured Rate Service (Cont'd.)

B. Usage Rates

1. Month-To-Month Rates

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2. Term Commitment Rates

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	<u>Local Calling</u>		<u>Toll</u>	
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
12 Month	\$0.01	\$0.10	\$0.040	\$0.150
24 Month	\$0.01	\$0.10	\$0.040	\$0.150
36 Month	\$0.01	\$0.10	\$0.040	\$0.150
48 Month	\$0.01	\$0.10	\$0.040	\$0.150
60 Month	\$0.01	\$0.10	\$0.040	\$0.150

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## 12.8 BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)

## 12.8.2 PBX Trunk Service

## A. DS1 PBX Trunk Service

Where appropriate facilities do not exist, Special Construction charges will also apply.

## Measured Usage Charges:

Measured Usage Charges for DS1 Trunks are the same as those indicated for a basic business line.

T1 Service	Monthly Recurring		Non-Recurring	
	Minimum	Maximum	Minimum	Maximum
- MTM*	\$250.00	\$1500.00	\$200.00	\$1000.00
- 1 Year Term *	\$250.00	\$1250.00	\$200.00	\$1000.00
- 2 Year Term *	\$250.00	\$1250.00	\$200.00	\$1000.00
- 3 Year Term *	\$250.00	\$1000.00	\$200.00	\$1000.00
Per Channel (DS0)				
- 10 Channel	\$15.00	\$75.00	\$20.00	\$100.00
- DID 20 Numbers Block	\$1.25	\$ 5.50	\$2.50	\$20.00
- DID 100 Numbers	\$5.00	\$50.00	\$2.50	\$20.00

Measured Usage Charges for DS1 Trunks are the same as those indicated for a basic business line.

\* Includes group of 24 ports and transport facility.

## 12.8.3 Integrated Services Digital Network Primary Rate Interface

	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
T1Service - MTM (includes DTF, Port, & EUCL)	\$ 200.00	\$ 1,500.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 1,000.00
T1Service - 1YR	150.00	1,000.00	200.00	1,000.00
T1Service - 2YR	125.00	900.00	200.00	1,000.00
T1Service - 3YR	100.00	750.00	200.00	1,000.00

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## 12.8 BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd.)

## 12.8.4 DS1Trunk Service

Where appropriate facilities do not exist, Special Construction charges will also apply.

## A. Monthly Recurring and Non-Recurring Charges

<u>Term of Service</u>	<u>Monthly Recurring</u>		<u>Non-Recurring</u>	
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
MTM	\$250.00	\$1250.00	\$150.00	\$1000.00
12 Month	\$150.00	\$800.00	\$150.00	\$1000.00
24 Month	\$100.00	\$800.00	\$150.00	\$1000.00
36 Month	\$100.00	\$750.00	\$150.00	\$1000.00
48 Month	\$100.00	\$700.00	\$150.00	\$1000.00
60 Month	\$100.00	\$700.00	\$150.00	\$1000.00

Per Channel (DSO)  
-10 Channel

<u>Term of Service</u>	<u>Monthly Recurring</u>		<u>Non-Recurring</u>	
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
MTM	\$7.50	\$40.00	\$10.00	\$100.00
12 Month	\$7.50	\$40.00	\$10.00	\$100.00
24 Month	\$7.50	\$40.00	\$10.00	\$100.00
36 Month	\$7.50	\$40.00	\$10.00	\$100.00
48 Month	\$5.00	\$30.00	\$10.00	\$100.00
60 Month	\$5.00	\$30.00	\$10.00	\$100.00

	<u>Monthly Recurring</u>		<u>Non-Recurring</u>	
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
DID 20 Numbers Block	\$1.00	\$5.00	\$2.50	\$25.00
DID 100 Numbers Block	\$5.00	\$25.00	\$2.50	\$25.00

\* Includes a group of 24 ports and transport facility

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**12.8 BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd.)**

**12.8.4 DS1 Trunk Service (Cont'd.)**

**B. Usage Rates**

**1. Month-To-Month Rates**

See Rate Schedule in Section 12.5.

**2. Term Commitment Rates**

Customers who agree to subscribe to DS1 Trunk Service for terms of 12, 24, 36, 48 or 60 months will be charged the following usage rates:

<u>Term Period</u>	<u>Per Minute Rates</u>			
	<u>Local Calling</u>		<u>Toll</u>	
	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>	<u>Minimum</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
12 Month	\$0.010	\$0.075	\$0.025	\$0.200
24 Month	\$0.010	\$0.075	\$0.025	\$0.200
36 Month	\$0.010	\$0.075	\$0.025	\$0.200
48 Month	\$0.010	\$0.075	\$0.025	\$0.200
60 Month	\$0.010	\$0.075	\$0.025	\$0.200

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## 12.9 ALTERNATE TELEPHONE NUMBER LISTINGS

	Monthly		First		Nonrecurring Additional	
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
Non-Published						
- Residence	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Non-Listed						
- Residence	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Additional Listing						
- Residence	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Cross-Reference Listing						
- Residence	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Extra Line Listing						
- Residence	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
Foreign Listing						
- Residence	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$3.50	\$0.01	\$20.00	\$0.01	\$20.00

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## 12.10 BUNDLED SERVICES PLANS (Cont'd.)

## 12.10.1 MEASURED RATE BASIC LINE SERVICE

## A. Rates and Charges

The monthly recurring charges and usage sensitive vary by commitment period and are as follows:

## 1. Two Product Bundling

<u>Term</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Monthly Recurring</u> <u>Charge</u>		<u>Per Minute Rates</u>			
			<u>Local Calling</u>		<u>Toll</u>	
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
12 Month	\$5.00	\$30.00	\$0.0050	\$0.0500	\$0.0200	\$0.1500
24 Month	\$5.00	\$30.00	\$0.0050	\$0.0500	\$0.0200	\$0.1500
36 Month	\$4.00	\$30.00	\$0.0050	\$0.0500	\$0.0200	\$0.1500
48 Month	\$4.00	\$30.00	\$0.0050	\$0.0500	\$0.0150	\$0.1500
60 Month	\$4.00	\$30.00	\$0.0050	\$0.0500	\$0.0100	\$0.1500

## 2. Three Product Bundling

<u>Term</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Monthly Recurring</u> <u>Charge</u>		<u>Per Minute Rates</u>			
			<u>Local Calling</u>		<u>Toll</u>	
	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
12 Month	\$4.00	\$30.00	\$0.0050	\$0.0500	\$0.0200	\$0.1500
24 Month	\$3.00	\$30.00	\$0.0050	\$0.0500	\$0.0150	\$0.1500
36 Month	\$2.50	\$30.00	\$0.0050	\$0.0500	\$0.0150	\$0.1500
48 Month	\$2.50	\$25.00	\$0.0050	\$0.0500	\$0.0100	\$0.1500
48 Month	\$2.50	\$25.00	\$0.0050	\$0.0500	\$0.0100	\$0.1500

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## 12.10 BUNDLED SERVICES PLANS (Cont'd.)

## 12.10.2 DS1 TRUNK SERVICE

## A. Rates and Charges

The monthly recurring charges and usage sensitive rates vary by commitment period and are as follows:

## 1. Two Product Bundling

Term Period	Monthly Recurring Charge		Per Minute Rates			
			Local Calling		Toll	
			Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.
12 Month	\$150.00	\$750.00	\$0.005	\$0.050	\$0.0250	\$0.100
24 Month	\$100.00	\$750.00	\$0.005	\$0.050	\$0.0250	\$0.100
36 Month	\$100.00	\$700.00	\$0.005	\$0.050	\$0.0250	\$0.100
48 Month	\$100.00	\$600.00	\$0.005	\$0.050	\$0.0250	\$0.100
60 Month	\$100.00	\$600.00	\$0.005	\$0.050	\$0.0250	\$0.100

## 2. Three Product Bundling

<u>Term Period</u>	<u>Monthly Recurring Charge</u>		<u>Per Minute Rates</u>			
			<u>Local Calling</u>		<u>Toll</u>	
			<u>Min.</u>	<u>Max.</u>	<u>Min.</u>	<u>Max.</u>
12 Month	\$100.00	\$600.00	\$0.005	\$0.050	\$0.0100	\$0.100
24 Month	\$100.00	\$500.00	\$0.005	\$0.050	\$0.0100	\$0.100
36 Month	\$100.00	\$500.00	\$0.005	\$0.050	\$0.0100	\$0.100
48 Month	\$100.00	\$400.00	\$0.005	\$0.050	\$0.0100	\$0.0750
60 Month	\$75.00	\$400.00	\$0.005	\$0.050	\$0.0100	\$0.0750

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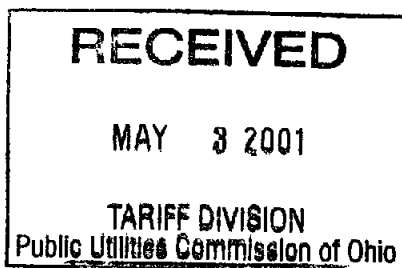
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|---|---|
| 1. 1+ Long Distance Telecommunication Services<br>18/6 Rounding (Additional bundling discount of<br>10% with purchase of local service) | \$0.099 Per minute                                |
| 2. Post Calling Card  |   |
| <u>Per Minute Charge</u>  |   |
| - Direct Dialed Calls<br>(30/6 Rounding)  | \$0.199   |
| <u>Per Call Charge</u>  |   |
| - Directory Assistance Calls  | \$1.250   |
| 3. 800/888 Toll Free  | \$0.099 Per minute<br>\$2.00 Per number/per month |
| 4. Operator Assisted Services (Time Charge Calls)   | \$0.55 + Per minute cost of call                  |
| 5. 1+ Long Distance Telecommunications Services   | \$0.075 Per minute                                |



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**B.5 INTRALATA TOLL USAGE AND MILEAGE CHARGES (Cont'd)**

**CALLING AREA LEGEND**

<u>CALL AREA</u>	<u>LOCAL</u>
	<u>First Min.</u> <u>Addl. Min.</u>
Peak	\$0.02      \$0.02
Off-Peak	\$0.02      \$0.02

**B.5.1 TOLL CHARGES FOR NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES**

<u>CALL AREA</u>	<u>DAY</u>		<u>EVENING</u>		<u>NIGHT/WE</u>	
	<u>Initial</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Additional</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Initial</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Additional</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Initial</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Additional</u> <u>Period</u>
0-10 Miles	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09
11-14 Miles	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09
15-18 Miles	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09
19-24 Miles	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09
25-30 Miles	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09
31-55 Miles	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09
55+ Miles	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09	\$0.09

**B.5.2 TOLL CHARGES FOR DS1 TRUNK SERVICES**

<u>CALL AREA</u>	<u>DAY</u>		<u>EVENING</u>		<u>NIGHT/WE</u>	
	<u>Initial</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Additional</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Initial</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Additional</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Initial</u> <u>Period</u>	<u>Additional</u> <u>Period</u>
0-10 Miles	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075
11-14 Miles	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075
15-18 Miles	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075
19-24 Miles	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075
25-30 Miles	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075
31-55 Miles	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075
55+ Miles	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075	\$0.075

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**B.5 INTRALATA TOLL USAGE AND MILEAGE CHARGES (Cont'd)**

**B.5.1 Per Call Service Charges**

The following service charges apply to intraLATA toll calls for which live or automated operator assistance is provided for call completion and/or billing.

Customer Dialed*	\$0.50
Person to Person Collect*	\$3.49
Third Party Billed*	\$1.33
Station to Station*	\$1.58

\* These charges are applied in addition to the toll usage charges specified in Section B.5.

**B.6 SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES**

**B.6.1 Custom Calling Service**

Rates and Charges

**1. Monthly Charges**

Rates for this service are located in the Rate Schedules for Section B.7.1.1, Residential Network Switched Service and Section B.8.1.1, Business Network Switched Service.

**2. Nonrecurring Connection Charges**

Connection charges for this service are located in the Rate Schedules for Section B.7.1.1(A), Residential Network Switched Service and Section B.8.1.1(A), Business Network Switched Service.

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**B.6 SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**B.6.2 CLASS Services**

**Rates and Charges**

**A. Monthly Charges**

Rates for these services are located in the Rate Schedules for Section B.7.1.1, Residential Network Switched Service, and Section B.8.1.1, Business Network Switched Service.

**C. Nonrecurring Connection Charges**

Connection charges for this service are located in the Rate Schedules for Section B.7.1.1, Residential Network Switched Service and Section B.8.1.1, Business Network Switched Service.

**B.6.3 Busy Line Verification and Interrupt Service**

Busy Line Verification Charge, each request	\$1.25
Verification and Interruption Charge, each request	\$1.75

**B.6.4 Directory Assistance Service**

Directory Assistance	\$0.45
Directory Assistance Call Completion	\$0.50
Directory Assistance, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Party Billed	\$1.25

**B.6.5 Local Operator Service\***

	Per Call
Customer Dialed	\$0.50
Person to Person Collect	\$3.49
Third Party Billed	\$1.33
Station to Station	\$1.58

\* These charges are applied in addition to the local usage charges specified in Section B.5.

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**B.6 SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**B.6.6 Blocking Service**

**Nonrecurring Charges\***

500, 700, 900 Blocking	
- Residential	\$10.00
- Business	\$10.00

A \$10 charge only applies when adding blocking to an access line after initial conversion.

**B.6.7 Blocking Service**

	Monthly Charges	
	<u>Recurring</u>	<u>Non-Recurring</u>
Third Number Billed and Collect Call Restriction		
- Residential	\$0.01	\$10.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$10.00
Toll Restriction		
- Residential	\$0.01	\$10.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$10.00
Toll Restriction Plus Directory Assistance		
- Residential	\$0.01	\$10.00
- Business	\$0.01	\$10.00

The above charges apply only when adding blocking services in existing access lines the customer has with the Company after the customer's initial conversion to the Company's local exchange service.

**B.6.8 Vanity Number Service**

	Monthly Recurring	Non-Recurring
Residential Customer	\$5.25	\$10.00
Business Customer	\$5.25	\$10.00

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B.7 RESIDENTIAL NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES

B.7.1 Measured Rate Service

Nonrecurring Connection Charge, New Install: \$45.00

Monthly recurring Charges:

-Each Base Service Line \$22.00

B.7.1.1 Custom Calling Features:

A. Standard Features - Per Line:

	<u>First</u>	<u>Additional</u>
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$10.00	\$10.00

Monthly Charges:

Three-Way Conference, Consultation	\$5.25
Call Forwarding Variable	\$5.25
Call Forwarding Busy Line	\$5.25
Call Forwarding Don't Answer	\$5.25
Call Forwarding BL/DA	\$8.00
Call Waiting Terminating	\$8.00
Call Waiting Originating	\$8.00
Speed Calling One Digit (8)	\$5.25
Speed Calling Two Digit (30)	\$5.25
Call Forward Remote Access	\$2.25
Call Transfer	\$5.25
Direct Connect Line	\$2.75

Any 2 features, 10% off

Any 3 features, 15 % off

Any 4 features, 20 % off

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B.7 RESIDENTIAL NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)

B.7.1 Measured Rate Service (Cont'd)

B.7.1.1 Custom Calling Features: (Cont'd)

B. Hunt Group Charge:

	<u>First</u>	<u>Additional</u>
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$10.00	\$10.00
Monthly Recurring Charges:		
Sequential Hunting	\$0.00	
Circular Hunting	\$0.00	

C. Hunting Line Charge:

	<u>First</u>	<u>Additional</u>
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$10.00	\$10.00
Monthly Recurring Charges:		
Sequential Hunting	\$0.00	
Circular Hunting	\$0.00	

D. CLASS Features Line Charge:

	<u>First</u>	<u>Additional</u>
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$10.00	\$10.00
Monthly Recurring Charges	<u>Per Line, Per Month</u>	
Caller ID	\$8.00	
Caller ID Blocking	\$0.00	
Call Return	\$5.25	
Repeat Dialing	\$5.25	

E. CLASS Features Usage Charge:

	<u>Per Use</u>
Call Return	\$0.50
Repeat Dialing	\$0.50
Call Trace	\$1.50

See Rate Schedule in Section B.5.

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B.8 BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES

B.8.1 MEASURED RATE SERVICE

A. Base Service Line

Nonrecurring Connection Charge, New Install: \$45.00  
-Each Base Service Line

<u>Term of Service</u>	<u>Monthly Recurring Charges</u>
Month-to-Month	\$22.00
12 Month	\$19.50
24 Month	\$18.50
36 Month	\$17.50
48 Month	\$16.50
60 Month	\$15.50

B.8.1.1 Custom Calling Features:

A. Standard Features - Per Line:

	<u>First</u>	<u>Additional</u>
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$10.00	\$10.00

Monthly Charges:

Three-Way Conference,	
Consultation	\$5.25
Call Forwarding Variable	\$5.25
Call Forwarding Busy Line	\$5.25
Call Forwarding Don't Answer	\$5.25
Call Forwarding BL/DA	\$8.00
Call Waiting Terminating	\$8.00
Call Waiting Originating	\$8.00
Speed Calling One Digit	(8) \$5.25
Speed Calling Two Digit	(30) \$5.25
Call Forward Remote Access	\$2.25
Call Transfer	\$5.25
Direct Connect Line	\$2.75

Any 2 features, 10% off; Any 3 features, 15 % off; Any 4 features, 20 % off

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B.8 BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)

B.8.1 Measured Rate Service (Cont'd)

B.8.1.1 Custom Calling Features: (Cont'd)

B. Hunt Group Charge:

	<u>First</u>	<u>Additional</u>
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$10.00	\$10.00

Monthly Recurring Charges:

Sequential Hunting	\$0.00
Circular Hunting	\$0.00

C. Hunting Line Charge:

	<u>First</u>	<u>Additional</u>
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$10.00	\$10.00

Monthly Recurring Charges:

Sequential Hunting	\$0.00
Circular Hunting	\$0.00

D. CLASS Features Line Charge:

	<u>First</u>	<u>Additional</u>
Nonrecurring Connection Charge:	\$10.00	\$10.00

Monthly Recurring Charges Per Line, Per Month

Caller ID	\$8.00
Caller ID Blocking	\$0.00
Call Return	\$5.25
Repeat Dialing	\$5.25

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**B.8 BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**B.8.1 MEASURED RATE SERVICE (Cont'd.)**

**B.8.1.1 Custom Calling Features: (Cont'd)**

<b>E.</b>	<b><u>CLASS Features Usage Charge:</u></b>	<b><u>Per Use</u></b>
	Call Return	\$0.50
	Repeat Dialing	\$0.50
	Call Trace	\$1.50

**B.8.1.2 Usage Rates**

**1. Month-To-Month Rates**

See Rate Schedule in Section B.5.

**2. Term Commitment Rates**

Customers who agree to subscribe to Measured Rate Service for terms of 12, 24, 36, 48 or 60 months will be charged the following usage rates:

<u>Term Period</u>	<u>Per Minute Rates</u>	
	<u>Local Calling</u>	<u>Toll</u>
12 Month	0.020	0.090
24 Month	0.019	0.086
36 Month	0.018	0.081
48 Month	0.017	0.077
60 Month	0.016	0.072

**B.8.2 FLAT RATE SERVICE**

Basic Monthly Service	\$22.00
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**B.8 BUSINESS NETWORK SWITCHED SERVICES (Cont'd)**

**B.8.2 PBX Trunk Service**

**A. DS1 PBX Trunk Service**

Where appropriate facilities do not exist, Special Construction charges will also apply.

**Measured Usage Charges:**

Measured Usage Charges for DS1 Trunks are the same as those indicated for a basic business line.

	Monthly Recurring	Non-Recurring
T1 Service - MTM*	\$800.00	\$500.00
T1 Service - 1 year term*	\$750.00	\$500.00
T1 Service - 2 year term*	\$700.00	\$500.00
T1 Service - 3 year term*	\$525.00	\$500.00

	Monthly Recurring	Non-Recurring
Per Channel (DSO), -10 Channel	\$40.00	\$50.00
DID 20 Numbers Block	\$ 3.25	\$10.00
DID 100 Numbers Block	\$16.00	\$10.00

Measured Usage Charges for DS1 Trunks are the same as those indicated for a basic business line.

\* Includes group of 24 ports and transport facility.

**B.8.3 Integrated Services Digital Network Primary Rate Interface**

	Monthly Recurring Charges	Non- Recurring Charges
T1Service - MTM (includes DTF, Port, & EUCL)	\$ 800.00	\$ 500.00
T1Service - 1YR	\$ 550.00	\$ 500.00
T1Service - 2YR	\$ 525.00	\$ 500.00
T1Service - 3YR	\$ 400.00	\$ 500.00

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A. SERVICES INELIGIBLE FOR SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES DISCOUNT

1. Voice Mail Services

B. SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES DISCOUNT MATRIX

<u>HOW DISADVANTAGED</u>	<u>% DISCOUNT LEVEL</u>	
	<u>Urban discount</u>	<u>Rural discount</u>
% of students eligible for national school lunch program		
<1	20	25
1-19	40	50
20-34	50	60
35-49	60	70
50-74	80	80
75-100	90	90

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Applying To Local Exchange Telecommunications Services

Within The State Of Ohio

This tariff applies to local exchange telecommunications services furnished by US Signal Company, L.L.C. (f/k/a RVP Fiber Company, L.L.C.) ("Carrier") between one or more points in the State of Ohio.

This tariff is on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, and copies may be inspected, during normal business hours, at Carrier's principal place of business.

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## 5 – SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES

### 5.1 CUSTOM CALLING SERVICE

#### 5.1.1 General

The features in this section are made available on an individual basis or as part of multiple feature packages. All features are provided subject to availability; features may not be available with all classes of service. Transmission levels may not be sufficient in all cases.

#### 5.1.2 Description of Features

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### 5.1 CUSTOM CALLING SERVICE (Cont'd)

#### 5.1.2 Description of Features (Cont'd)

##### C. Call Waiting/Cancel Call Waiting

Call Waiting provides a tone signal to indicate to a customer already engaged in a telephone call that a second caller is attempting to dial in. It will also permit the customer to place the first call on hold, answer the second call and then alternate between both callers. Cancel Call Waiting (CCW) allows a Call Waiting (CW) customer to disable CW for the duration of an outgoing telephone call. CCW is activated (i.e., CW is disabled) by dialing a special code prior to placing a call, and is automatically deactivated when the customer disconnects from the call.

##### D. [Deleted]

##### E. [Deleted]

##### F. Blocking Service or a telephonic block can only be removed pursuant to a written request by the customer of record, or the customer of record providing the correct password over the telephone. or by a request made in person by such customer. The customer of record can provide a personal password to use to remove blocking service at the time blocking service Is established.

#### 5.1.3 Rates and Charges

##### A. Monthly Rates

Rates for this service are located in Section 12.

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5.2 CLASS SERVICES (Cont'd)

5.2.2 Description of Features (Cont'd)

C. Per Line Blocking (Calling Number Delivery Suppression)

Enables customers to prevent the disclosure of their telephone number on all outgoing calls, without the necessity of an activation code. If the called party has a display device, a privacy indication will appear instead of the calling party's telephone number. Per Line Blocking will be provided at no monthly charge on an optional basis to published and non-published customers at their discretion. To deactivate the privacy status, the customer would dial \*82 from a touch-tone phone or 1182 from a rotary dial phone before placing a call. After completion of the call, the line reverts back to the privacy status. Law enforcement, domestic shelters, and other special agencies will be offered free Per Line Blocking. Per Line Blocking will not be available to public, semi-public, two-party and four-party service customers.

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5.2 CLASS SERVICES (Cont'd)

5.2.2 Description of Features (Cont'd)

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F. Call Trace

Call Trace allows customers to key in a code that alerts the network to trace the last call received. The traced telephone number is automatically sent to the company for storage for a limited amount of time and is retrievable by legally constituted authorities upon proper request by them. By contacting the company the customer can use this application to combat nuisance calls.

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5.2 CLASS SERVICES (Cont'd)

5.2.2 Description of Features (Cont'd)

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5.3 SERVICE AND PROMOTIONAL TRIALS (Cont'd)

5.3.2 Regulations (Cont'd)

- B. During a Service Trial, the service(s) is provided automatically to all eligible customers, except those customers who choose not to participate. Customers will be offered the opportunity to decline the trial service both in advance and during the trial. A customer can request that the designated service be removed at any time during the trial and not be billed a recurring charge for the period that the feature was in place. At the end of the trial, customers that do not contact the Company to indicate they wish to retain the service will be disconnected from the service at no charge.
- C. During a Promotional Trial, the service is provided to all eligible customers who ask to participate. Customers will be notified in advance of the opportunity to receive the service in the trial for free. A customer can request that the service be removed at any time during the trial and not be billed a recurring charge for the period that the service was in place. At the end of the trial, customers that do not contact the Company will be disconnected from the service.
- D. Customers can subscribe to any service listed as part of a Promotional Trial and not be billed the normal Connection Charge. The offering of this trial period option is limited in that a service may be tried only once per customer, per premises.
- E. The Company retains the right to limit the size and scope of a Promotional Trial.

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5.6 LOCAL OPERATOR SERVICE

Local calls may be completed or billed with the live or mechanical assistance by the Company's operator center. Calls may be billed collect to the called party, to an authorized 3rd party number, to the originating line, or to a valid authorized calling card. Local calls may be placed on a station to station basis or to a specified party (see Person to Person), or designated alternate. Usage charges for local operator assisted calls are those usage charges that would normally apply to the calling party's service.

See Rate Schedule in Sections 12 of this tariff.

5.7 BLOCKING SERVICE

5.7.1 General

Blocking service is a feature that permits customers to restrict access from their telephone line to various discretionary services. The following blocking options are available to residential and business customers:

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5.7 BLOCKING SERVICE (Cont'd)

5.7.4 Chatline Information Provider Services (Cont'd)

5.7.4.2 Revenue Sharing

The Company will file, as a supplement to this Tariff, the terms and conditions of its provision of service to information providers, including any chatline-type discounts or revenue sharing arrangements, where the provision of such service is on terms and conditions that vary from those contained In this Tariff.

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### 9.2 NON-ROUTINE INSTALLATION AND/OR MAINTENANCE

At the customer's request, installation and/or maintenance may be performed outside the Company's regular business hours, or (in the Company's sole discretion and subject to any conditions it may impose) in hazardous locations. In such cases, charges based on the cost of labor, material, and 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.

### 9.3 INDIVIDUAL CASE BASIS (ICB) ARRANGEMENTS

At the option of the Company, Service may be offered on an individual case basis ("ICB") to meet the specialized requirements of Customers. The terms of each such ICB arrangement shall be mutually agreed upon between the Customer and Company and may include discounts off of the rates contained herein, waiver of recurring or nonrecurring charges, charges for specially designed and constructed services not contained in this Tariff, or other customized features. The terms of such an ICB arrangement may be based partially or completely on a Term or volume commitment, the LATA involved, the type of equipment involved, distance from the central office to the Customer's premises, the service description, quantity of circuits, the type of originating or terminating access, mixture of services or other distinguishing features. Such ICB arrangements will be available to all similarly situated Customers for a fixed period of time following the initial offering to the first ICB Customer as specified in each ICB contract, subject to, in the Company's sole discretion, the availability of facilities.

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### 12.6 SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES

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**EXHIBIT C**  
**SUMMARY OF CHANGES**

## **EXHIBIT C**

### **SUMMARY OF CHANGES**

All switched residential and business line services have been removed except DS0/DS1/DS3 trunk lines. Prices have been removed as all services are offered only on in Individual Case Basis (ICB). Section 6 (residential services), Section 8 (Special Services and Programs), and Section 10 (directories) have been removed in their entirety.

<b>Pages</b>	<b>Summary of Change</b>
1	Title page updated
2	Check Sheet updated
3	Table of contents updated to delete Sections 6 and 10
4-54	Unchanged
55-56	Delete reference to unregulated custom calling services
57-58	Unchanged
59	Delete unregulated feature
60	Delete all but call trace
61	Delete all content
62	Unchanged
63	Delete Section 5.4
64	Delete all content
65	Delete all but operator and blocking service
66	Unchanged
67	Delete all but blocking service
68-73	Delete all content
74-76	Unchanged
77	Delete all content
78	Delete business line service
79	Delete all content
80	Delete 7.2.1 and 7.2.2
81-86	Unchanged
87-95	Unchanged
96-97	Unchanged
98	Update and revise ICB Section
99-103	Delete Section 10
104-135	Unchanged
136-137	Delete switched toll rates
138	Indicates all pricing is on ICB
139-155	Delete all content
156	Unchanged
A-1	Unchanged
B-1	Indicates all pricing is on ICB
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B-12	Unchanged
C-1	Delete all content



**EXHIBIT D**

**EXPLANATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 4901**

## **EXHIBIT D**

### **EXPLANATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 4901:1-6-05(G)(3) REGARDING DISCLOSURE OF RATES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR DETARIFFED SERVICES**

Web address, and Company physical address where customers may obtain copies of the materials and publications are as follows. Detariffed services are available at the Company's headquarters and at the web address set forth below.

1.      Physical Address:      US Signal Company, L.L.C.  
   201 Ionia Ave SW  
   Grand Rapids, MI 49503
  
2.      Web Address:            [www.ussignalcom.com](http://www.ussignalcom.com)

**EXHIBIT E**  
**CUSTOMER NOTICE**



## IMPORTANT NON-RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMER NOTICE

January 15, 2010

Dear Valued Customer:

Beginning on March 1, 2010, the prices, service descriptions, and the terms and conditions of service for certain telecommunications services that you are provided by US Signal Company, LLC in Ohio will no longer be on file at the Public Utility Commission of Ohio (PUCO).

This modification does not automatically result in a change in the prices, terms, or conditions of those services to which you currently subscribe. US Signal Company, LLC must still provide a customer notice at least fifteen days in advance of rate increases, changes in terms and conditions and discontinuance of existing services. Additionally, you will be able to view the company's future service offerings online at [www.ussignalcom.com](http://www.ussignalcom.com) or you can request a copy of this information by contacting US Signal Company, LLC at 201 Ionia Ave SW, Grand Rapids, MI 49503 or Toll Free at 866.2.SIGNAL.

Since the services will no longer be on file with the PUCO, this means that the agreement between the customer and the company, instead of the document on file at the PUCO, will now control the new services or changes in service. This agreement, whether it is verbal or written, will still be subject to consumer protections required and enforced by the PUCO.

For any new services or changes in service, it will be important that you carefully review and confirm the price, terms, and conditions.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact US Signal Company, LLC at the address or web site set forth above.

Sincerely,

US Signal Company, LLC

**EXHIBIT F**  
**CUSTOMER NOTICE AFFIDAVIT**

## CUSTOMER NOTICE AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF MICHIGAN

SS.

COUNTY OF KENT

### AFFIDAVIT

I, Barbara Boshoven, am an authorized agent of the applicant, US Signal Company, LLC, and am authorized to make this statement on its behalf. I attest that customer notices accompanying this affidavit were sent to affected customers through the United States Postal Service on January 15, 2010, in accordance with Rule 4901:1-6-16, Ohio Administrative Code. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

\ Executed on January 15, 2010 201 Ionia Avenue SW Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503  
(Date) (Location)

/s/ Barbara Boshoven, VP of Corporate Affairs  
(Signature and Title)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2010.

Sara Mullenburg  
Notary Public

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