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Re: Intrastate Access Tariff Revisions for  
St. Stephen Telephone Company (TDS)

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed for filing please find an Intrastate Access Tariff for St. Stephen Telephone Company (TDS) (the "Company"). This tariff is being filed to comply with the directives of the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") in its *USF-ICC Transformation Order*, FCC 11-161 in WC Docket No. 10-90, as set forth in the Order, FCC rules, and subsequent clarifying orders. The FCC requires that the Company's transitional intrastate access rates be no higher than its Interstate Terminating End Office Access Service and Terminating Tandem-Switched Transport Access Services rates and subject to the same structure. As far as structure, the Company's interstate switched access rates were converted to Local Transport Restructure ("LTR") in 1993, while its intrastate switched access rates were not. Therefore, the Company is required at this time to restructure its intrastate switched access rates to conform to its interstate rate structure. The Tariff reflects the FCC-mandated Effective Date of July 2, 2013.

In complying with these federal requirements, the Company determined that it would be helpful to restructure and reissue its Intrastate Access Tariff in its entirety. This allowed the Company to update its Intrastate Access Tariff to concur in the Company's Interstate Access Tariff, except where the company specifically deviates from its interstate tariff. The reissuance of the Tariff also allows the Company to provide its Intrastate Access Tariff to the Commission in an electronic format. While the Tariff is being reissued in its entirety, the vast majority of the changes are not substantive but involve text changes, the deletion of rate elements in the non-LTR structure, and the addition of rate elements in the LTR structure. To assist the Commission and the Office of Regulatory Staff in reviewing the Tariff, we are attaching a rate comparison sheet. This sheet lists the current and proposed rate for each rate element that is being changed.

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Because the Company is required to restructure its terminating intrastate switched access rates, it was determined that it is also desirable to restructure the Company's originating intrastate switched access rates at this time. While the FCC is not requiring companies to restructure originating access, it would be administratively burdensome for the Company to bill terminating access under one structure and originating access under another. For this reason, the Company is restructuring its originating switched access rates to conform to the terminating switched access rate structure (*i.e.*, LTR). The Company will restructure its originating switched access rates on a revenue-neutral basis. A price-out demonstrating that the rate restructure is revenue neutral to the company is being submitted to the Commission and the Office of Regulatory Staff under separate cover. The price-out includes demand data and revenue data, and will be submitted with a motion for confidential treatment.

Very truly yours,

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Enclosures

**St. Stephen**

**Rate Comparison Sheet**

Rate at  
12/29/2011

Rate at  
7/1/2013

(SC Tariff) (new)

Rate Band			3
Tandem Switching Band			1
Local Switching Band			1

Non-recurring			
Local Transport - Install	per 24 trunks / per order	\$ 324.00	\$ -
Directory Access Install	per trunk	\$ 324.00	\$ -
Interim NXX Translation	per order per LATA / Market Area	\$ 104.00	\$ 228.53
FGC & FGD Conversion	per 24 trunks	\$ 242.00	\$ 459.14
Local Transport - Install - per entrance	2-wire	n/a	\$ 467.46
	4-wire	n/a	\$ 467.46
	DS1	n/a	\$ 342.80
	DS3	n/a	\$ 462.26
	OC3	n/a	\$ 373.96
	OC12	n/a	\$ 373.96
Interim NXX Translation	per order per LATA / Market Area	\$ 104.00	\$ 228.53
FGC & FGD Conversion	per 24 trunks	\$ 242.00	\$ 459.14
Trunk Activation	per 24 trunks	n/a	\$ 476.80
Flex ANI	per end office, per CIC	n/a	\$ -
Transport - Entrance Facility, per termination	2-wire	n/a	\$ 26.25
	4-wire	n/a	\$ 42.01
	DS1	n/a	\$ 127.99
	DS3	n/a	\$ 1,168.59
	OC3	n/a	\$ 1,191.62
	OC12	n/a	\$ 1,272.26
Direct Trunk Transport, Direct Trunk Facility, per mile	2-wire	n/a	\$ 1.87
	4-wire	n/a	\$ 1.87
	DS1	n/a	\$ 8.77
	DS3	n/a	\$ 76.38
	OC3	n/a	\$ 81.76
	OC12	n/a	\$ 102.63
Direct Trunk Transport, Direct Trunk Termination, per termination	2-wire	n/a	\$ 18.79
	4-wire	n/a	\$ 18.79
	DS1	n/a	\$ 45.50
	DS3	n/a	\$ 292.14
	OC3	n/a	\$ 304.18
	OC12	n/a	\$ 662.30
Multiplexing, per arrangement	DS3 to DS1	n/a	\$ 266.54
	DS1 to Voice	n/a	\$ 102.91
Customer Node, per node	OC3 155.52 Mbps	n/a	\$ 276.69
	OC12 622.08 Mbps	n/a	\$ 799.36

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**Rate Comparison Sheet**

Rate at 12/29/2011      Rate at 7/1/2013

		(SC Tariff)	(new)
Customer Premises Port, per port	Non-Recurring (all)	n/a	\$ 664.83
	OC3 155.52 Mbps	n/a	\$ 90.79
	OC3 155.52 Mbps - Non-Recur	n/a	\$ -
	STS-1 51.84 Mbps	n/a	\$ 109.01
	STS-1 51.84 Mbps - Non-Recur	n/a	\$ 664.83
	DS3 44.736 Mbps	n/a	\$ 109.01
	DS3 44.736 Mbps - Non-Recur	n/a	\$ 664.83
	DS1 1.544 Mbps	n/a	\$ 27.94
	DS1 1.544 Mbps - Non-Recur	n/a	\$ 664.83
Add/Drop Multiplexing Central Office Port, per port	OC3 155.52 Mbps	n/a	\$ 90.79
	DS3 44.736 Mbps	n/a	\$ 55.90
	DS1 1.544 Mbps	n/a	\$ 22.35
Local Transport Termination Local Transport Facility	Per Access Minute	\$ 0.00036	n/a
	Per Access Minute, per mile	\$ 0.00004	n/a
Tandem Switched Transport, Tandem Switched Facility - Term Tandem Switched Transport, Tandem Switched Facility - Orig Tandem Switched Termination - Term Tandem Switched Termination - Orig Tandem Switching - Term Tandem Switching - Orig Network Blocking, per blocked call	Per Access Minute, per mile	n/a	\$ 0.000195
	Per Access Minute, per mile	n/a	\$ 0.000195
	Per Access Minute, per termination	n/a	\$ 0.001017
	Per Access Minute, per termination	n/a	\$ 0.001017
	Per Access Minute, per tandem	n/a	\$ 0.002564
	Per Access Minute, per tandem	n/a	\$ 0.002564
	Applies to FGD only	\$ 0.0297	\$ 0.0297
Signaling Network Access Link	Signaling Mileage Facility, per mile	\$ 5.83	\$ 5.83
	Signaling Mileage Termination, per ter	\$ 58.52	\$ 58.52
	Signaling Entrance Facility, per facility	\$ 75.64	\$ 75.64
	Signaling Entrance Facility - Non-Recur	\$ 176.00	\$ 176.00
STP Port, per port		\$ 886.00	\$ 886.00
800 Database Queries, per query	Basic	\$ 0.00400	\$ 0.004000
	Vertical Features	\$ 0.00400	\$ 0.004000
Local Switching, Prem & Non - Term Local Switching, Prem & Non - Orig Info Surcharge, Prem & Non - Term Info Surcharge, Prem & Non - Orig	Per Access Minute	\$ 0.007779	\$ 0.013992
	Per Access Minute	\$ 0.007779	\$ 0.006350
	Per 100 Access Minutes	\$ 0.037400	\$ 0.0513
	Per 100 Access Minutes	\$ 0.037400	\$ 0.037400

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

Regulations, Rates, and Charges  
applying to the provision of Intrastate  
InterLATA Access Service for Toll Carriers authorized  
by the South Carolina Public Service Commission to furnish  
such Intrastate Communications within the operating territory of

St. Stephen Telephone Company d/b/a TDS Telecom

in the State of South Carolina

as provided herein.

All material contained herein is new.

This tariff is filed (1) in accordance with the Rules and Regulations governing the filing of tariffs as prescribed by the South Carolina Public Service Commission, (2) in compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's Third Report and Order in CC Docket No. 78-72, Phase I, adopted December 22, 1982 and released February 28, 1983, as modified by the Commission's Memorandum Opinion and Order, adopted July 27, 1983 and released August 22, 1983, (3) in compliance with the Modification of Final Judgment entered August 24, 1982, in *United States v. Western Electric Co., et al.* (Civil Action No. 82-0192), and (4) in accordance with the South Carolina Public Service Commission Order No. 92-889, Docket No. 92-094-C, and the South Carolina Intrastate InterLATA Settlement Agreement and Stipulation issued October 16, 1992.

The name, title, and street address of this tariff's Issuing Officer are located on the bottom of Page 1, the Check Sheet.

Access Services are provided by means of wire, fiber optics, radio, or any other suitable technology or a combination thereof.

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## CHECK SHEET

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Issuing Officer: Joel Dohmeier, Vice President  
TDS Telecom

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CONCURRING CARRIERS

NO CONCURRING CARRIERS

CONNECTING CARRIERS

NO CONNECTING CARRIERS

OTHER PARTICIPATING CARRIERS

NO OTHER PARTICIPATING CARRIERS

EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

- (C) - To signify changed regulation
- (D) - To signify discontinued rate or regulation
- (I) - To signify increase
- (N) - To signify new rate or regulation
- (R) - To signify reduction
- (S) - To signify reissued matter
- (T) - To signify a change in text but no change in rate or regulation

Reference to Other Tariffs

Whenever reference is made in this Tariff to other Tariffs of the Telephone Company, the reference is to the tariffs in force as of the effective date of this tariff, and to amendments thereto and successive issues thereof.

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General Concurrence

For Intrastate Access Services, St. Stephen Telephone Company d/b/a TDS Telecom, hereinafter referred to as the Telephone Company, assents to, adopts and concurs with the terms and conditions for the provision of Access Services as specified in the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. ("NECA") as such tariff now exists, and as may be subsequently modified, with exceptions as noted in the following sections.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

### 1. Application of Tariff

The Telephone Company assents to, adopts and concurs with the terms and conditions for the provision of Access Services as specified in this section of the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. ("NECA") as such tariff now exists, and as may be subsequently modified, with exceptions as noted below.

- 1.1 This tariff contains regulations, rates and charges applicable to the provision of carrier common line, switched access and special access service, and miscellaneous services, hereinafter referred to collectively as service(s), provided by the Telephone Company, Intrastate InterLATA Toll Carrier(s), hereinafter referred to as IC(s).
- 1.2 The provision of such services by the Telephone Company as set forth in this tariff does not constitute a joint undertaking with the IC for the furnishing of any service.
- 1.3 The regulations, rates and charges contained herein are in addition to the applicable regulations, rates and charges specified in other tariffs of the Telephone Company which are referenced herein.
- 1.4 This tariff contemplates no subscriber (end user) charge.
- 1.5 The term "LATA" refers to Local Access Transport Area.

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2. General Regulations

2.1 – 2.6 General Regulations for this tariff are contained in the following sections of the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (“NECA”) as such tariff now exists and as may be subsequently modified.

- 2.1 Undertaking of the Telephone Company
- 2.2 Use
- 2.3 Obligations of the Customer
- 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances
- 2.5 Connections
- 2.6 Definitions

Exceptions to the above-referenced NECA Tariff sections are as follows:

2.7 Identification and Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic(A) Scope

- (1) VoIP-PSTN Traffic is defined as traffic exchanged between the Telephone Company end user and the customer in time division multiplexing (“TDM”) format that originates and/or terminates in Internet protocol (“IP”) format. This section governs the identification of VoIP-PSTN Traffic that is required to be compensated at interstate access rates by the Federal Communications Commission in its Report and Order in WC Docket No. 10-90, *etc.*, FCC Release No. 11-161 (November 18, 2011) (“FCC Order”). Specifically, this section establishes the method of separating such traffic (referred to in this tariff as “Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic”) from the customer’s traditional intrastate access traffic, so that such Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic can be billed in accordance with the FCC Order. The term “Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic” denotes a customer’s interexchange voice traffic exchanged with the Telephone Company in Time Division Multiplexing format over Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) facilities, which originates and/or terminates in Internet Protocol (IP) format. “Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic” originates and/or terminates in IP format when it originates from and/or terminates to an end user customer of a service that requires IP-compatible customer premises equipment.

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2. General Regulations (Cont'd)2.7 Identification and Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic (Cont'd)(B) Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic

The Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic identified in accordance with this tariff section will be billed at rates equal to the Telephone Company's applicable tariffed interstate switched access rates as specified in the Telephone Company's applicable federal access tariff.

(C) Calculation and Application of Percent-VoIP-Usage Factor

The Telephone Company will determine the number of Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic minutes of use ("MOU") to which interstate rates will be applied under subsection (B), above, by applying a Percent-VoIP-Usage ("PVU") factor to the total terminating intrastate access MOU received by the Telephone Company from the customer. The PVU will be derived and applied as follows:

- (1) The customer will calculate and furnish to the Telephone Company a factor (the "PVU") representing the percentage of the total intrastate and interstate access MOU that the customer terminates to the Telephone Company in the State that is sent to the Telephone Company and that originated in IP format. This PVU shall be based on information such as traffic studies, actual call detail, or other relevant and verifiable information.
- (2) The Telephone Company will apply the PVU factor to the total terminating intrastate access MOU received from the customer to determine the number of Toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic MOUs.
- (3) If the customer does not furnish the Telephone Company with a PVU pursuant to the preceding paragraph 1, the Telephone Company will utilize a PVU equal to zero.

(D) Initial PVU Factor

If the PVU factor is not available and/or cannot be implemented in the Telephone Company's billing systems by December 29, 2011, once the factor is available and can be implemented the Telephone Company will adjust the customer's bills to reflect the PVU retroactively to January 1, 2012. This retroactive adjustment will be made to December 29, 2011, provided that the customer provides the factor to the Telephone Company no later than April 15, 2012; otherwise, it will set the initial PVU equal to zero, as specified in subsection (C)(3), above.

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2. General Regulations (Cont'd)2.7 Identification and Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic (Cont'd)(E) PVU Factor Updates

The customer may update the PVU factor quarterly using the method set forth in subsection (C)(1), above. If the customer chooses to submit such updates, it shall forward to the Telephone Company, no later than 15 days after the first day of January, April, July and/or October of each year, a revised PVU factor based on data for the prior three months, ending the last day of December, March, June and September, respectively. The revised PVU factor will apply prospectively and serve as the basis for billing until superseded by a new PVU.

(F) PVU Factor Verification

Not more than four times in any year, the Telephone Company may ask the customer to verify the PVU factor furnished to the Telephone Company. The party so requested shall comply, and shall reasonably provide the records and other information used to determine the PVU factors.

The customer-provided PVU and supporting documentation for the factor shall be based on information that is verifiable by the Telephone Company, including but not limited to the number of the customer's retail VoIP subscriptions in the state (*e.g.* as reported on FCC Form 477), traffic studies, actual call detail or other relevant and verifiable information.

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3. Federal Universal Service Charge, ISDN Line Ports and DS1 Line Port – Not Adopted

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4. End User Access Service – Not Adopted

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5. Access Ordering

5.1 – 5.5 Regulations pertaining to the Access Ordering Service are contained in the following sections of the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (“NECA”) as such tariff now exists and as may be subsequently modified.

- 5.1 General
- 5.2 Ordering Requirements
- 5.3 Access Orders for Services Provided by More than One Telephone Company
- 5.4 Charges Associated with Access Ordering
- 5.5 Minimum Periods and Cancellations

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### 6. Switched Access Service

6.1 – 6.10 Regulations pertaining to the Switched Access Service are contained in the following sections of the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (“NECA”) as such tariff now exists and as may be subsequently modified.

- 6.1 General
- 6.2 Undertaking of the Telephone Company
- 6.3 Obligations of the Customer
- 6.4 Rate Regulations
- 6.5 Description and Provision of Feature Group A (FGA)
- 6.6 Description and Provision of Feature Group B (FGB)
- 6.7 Description and Provision of Feature Group C (FGC)
- 6.8 Description and Provision of Feature Group D (FGD)
- 6.9 Interim Access
- 6.10 Chargeable and Non-Chargeable Optional Features

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7. Special Access Service

7.1 – 7.12 Regulations pertaining to the Special Access Service are contained in the following sections of the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (“NECA”) as such tariff now exists and as may be subsequently modified.

- 7.1 General
- 7.2 Rate Regulations
- 7.3 Surcharge for Special Access
- 7.4 Metallic Service
- 7.5 Telegraph Grade Service
- 7.6 Voice Grace Service
- 7.7 Program Audio Service
- 7.8 Video Service
- 7.9 Digital Data Service
- 7.10 High Capacity Service
- 7.11 Synchronous Optical Channel Service – Not Adopted
- 7.12 Individual Case Filings

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8. Billing and Collection Services

Regulations applicable to Billing and Collection Services are contained in the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Access Service Tariff Section E8 (issue date of July 9, 1986) filed with this Commission on December 11, 1992.

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9. Directory Assistance Service

9.1 – 9.4 Regulations pertaining to the Directory Assistance Service are contained in the following sections of the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (“NECA”) as such tariff now exists and as may be subsequently modified.

- 9.1 General Description
- 9.2 Undertaking of the Telephone Company
- 9.3 Obligations of the Customer
- 9.4 Rate Regulations

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10. Special Federal Government Services

10.1 – 10.6 Regulations pertaining to the Special Federal Government Service are contained in the following sections of the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (“NECA”) as such tariff now exists and as may be subsequently modified.

- 10.1 General
- 10.2 Emergency Conditions
- 10.3 Facility Availability
- 10.4 Federal Government Regulations
- 10.5 Service Offerings to the Federal Government
- 10.6 Rates and Charges

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11. Special Facilities Routing of Access Service

11.1 Regulations pertaining to the Special Facilities Routing of Access Service are contained in the following section of the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. ("NECA") as such tariff now exists and as may be subsequently modified.

11.1 Description

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12. Specialized Service or Arrangements

12.1 Regulations pertaining to Specialized Service or Arrangements are contained in the following section of the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. ("NECA") as such tariff now exists and as may be subsequently modified.

12.1 General

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13. Additional Engineering, Additional Labor and Miscellaneous Services

13.1 – 13.3 Regulations pertaining to the Additional Engineering, Additional Labor and Miscellaneous Services are contained in the following sections of the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (“NECA”) as such tariff now exists and as may be subsequently modified.

- 13.1 Additional Engineering
- 13.2 Additional Labor
- 13.3 Miscellaneous Services
- 13.6 Unauthorized Presubscribed Interexchange Carrier (PIC) Change

Exceptions to the above-referenced NECA Tariff sections are as follows:

13.4 IntraLATA Presubscription13.4.1 General

- (A) IntraLATA Presubscription is a procedure whereby a customer designates to the Telephone Company the carrier which the customer wishes to be the carrier of choice for intraLATA toll calls. Such calls are automatically directed to the designated carrier, without the need to use carrier access codes or additional dialing to direct the call to the designated carrier. IntraLATA presubscription does not prevent a customer, who has presubscribed to an intraLATA toll carrier, from using carrier access codes or additional dialing to direct calls to an alternative intraLATA toll carrier on a per call basis.

All intraLATA toll message calls are subject to IntraLATA Presubscription. An intraLATA toll message call is a completed call on the public switched network between the originating location and a terminating location within a given LATA, but outside the local service area of the originating location.

All 0- calls, calls to 1-HNPA-555-1212 or 555-1212, 411, 611, 911, Public Announcement Service calls (976-XXXX), and all local calls, including Extended Area Service (EAS) and Expanded Local Calling calls, are excluded from IntraLATA Presubscription. Calls using the 500, 700, 800 series, or 900 service access codes shall be routed in accordance with the North American Number Plan.

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13. Additional Engineering, Additional Labor and Miscellaneous Services (Cont'd)13.4 IntraLATA Presubscription (Cont'd)13.4.1 General (Cont'd)(B) IntraLATA Presubscription Options

Option A: Customers may select any carrier choosing to provide intraLATA toll service as the presubscribed carrier for intraLATA toll calls subject to presubscription.

Option B: Existing customers who do not select a presubscribed carrier for intraLATA toll calls subject to presubscription in the allotted time period, will be assigned to their current intraLATA carrier.

Option C: New customers who fail to make a selection for their presubscribed carrier for intraLATA toll calls subject to presubscription will be considered a "no pic." They will then be required to dial a carrier access code to route all intraLATA toll calls to the carrier of choice for each call.

(C) Rules and Regulations

Customers of record as of the effective date of this tariff will retain their current dialing arrangement until they request that their dialing arrangements be changed.

Customers of record or new customers may select either Options A, B, or C for intraLATA Presubscription.

Customers may change their Option and/or their presubscribed IntraLATA toll carrier at any time subject to charges specified in Section 17.4.4 (I).

(D) IntraLATA Presubscription Charges1. Application of Charges

Customers will be allowed to make an initial PIC free of charge during the first ninety (90) days following the implementation date. After the initial PIC or the lapse of the first ninety (90) day period, charges will be levied for each subsequent change of IntraLATA PIC.

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13. Additional Engineering, Additional Labor and Miscellaneous Services (Cont'd)13.4 Presubscription (Cont'd)13.4.1 General (Cont'd)(D) IntraLATA Presubscription Charges (Cont'd)

## 1. Application of Charges (Cont'd)

New local service customers will be asked to select a carrier(s) for their intraLATA and interLATA calls subject to presubscription at the time they place an order with the Telephone Company for local exchange service. If the new customer is unable to make a selection, at that time, the new customer will be read a random listing of all available intraLATA toll carriers to aid their selection. If the new customer is still unable to make a selection, at that time, the Telephone Company will inform the new customer that he/she will be given ninety (90) days in which to inform the Telephone Company of an intraLATA toll presubscription carrier choice at no charge. The new customer will also be informed that the Telephone Company will assess a charge for any selections made after the ninety (90) day window and that until such a selection is made, the customer will be required to dial a carrier access code to route all intraLATA toll calls.

After a customer's initial selection for a presubscribed intraLATA toll carrier, for any change thereafter, an IntraLATA Presubscription Change Charge, as set forth in Section 17.4.4 (I) will apply. The applicable presubscription charge for each interLATA PIC Change submitted is set forth in the National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff FCC No. 5, Section 13.4 as such tariff now exists, and as may be subsequently modified.

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14. Exceptions to Access Service Offerings

Regulations pertaining to Exceptions to Access Service Offerings are contained in the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. ("NECA") as such tariff now exists and as may be subsequently modified.

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15. Access Service Interfaces and Transmission Specifications

15.1 – 15.3 Regulations pertaining to the Access Service Interfaces and Transmission Specifications Services are contained in the following sections of the Access Service Tariff, FCC No. 5, filed with the Federal Communications Commission by the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (“NECA”) as such tariff now exists and as may be subsequently modified.

- 15.1 Switched Access Service
- 15.2 Special Access Service
- 15.3 Directory Access Service

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16. Public Packet Data Network – Not Adopted

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17. Rates and Charges

17.1 Reserved for future use.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2	<u>Switched Access Service</u>	NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 Section <u>Reference</u>
17.2.1	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Rate</u>
(A)	<u>Local Transport – Installation Per Entrance Facility</u>	6.4.1(B)(1)
	see current NECA Tariff	17.2.1(A)
(C)	<u>Interim NXX Translation Per Order</u>	6.4.1(B)(2)
	Per LATA or Market Area    see current NECA Tariff	17.2.1(C)
(D)	<u>FGC and FGD Conversion of Multifrequency Address Signaling to SS7 Signaling or SS7 Signaling to Multifrequency Address Signaling</u>	6.4.1(B)(3)
	– Per 24 Trunks Converted or Fraction thereof, on a Per Order Basis                    see current NECA Tariff	17.2.1(D)
(E)	<u>Trunk Activation Per Order</u>	6.4.1(B)(1)
	– Per 24 Trunks Activated or Fraction thereof, on a Per Order Basis                    see current NECA Tariff	17.2.1(E)
(F)		
(G)	<u>Flexible Automatic Number Identification (Flex ANI)</u>	6.10.1(AA)
	– Per End Office, Per CIC    see current NECA Tariff	17.2.1(G)

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

17.2.2 Local Transport

Premium Access

NECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference

Entrance Facility, Per Termination

6.1.3(A)(1)

Monthly Rate

Voice Grade <u>2-wire</u>	Voice Grade <u>4-wire</u>	High Capacity <u>DS1</u>	High Capacity <u>DS3</u>	Synchronous Optical Channel <u>OC3</u>	Synchronous Optical Channel <u>OC12</u>
see current NECA Tariff					
17.2.2					

NECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference

Direct Trunked Transport

Direct Trunked Facility, Per Mile

6.1.3(A)(2)

Monthly Rate

Voice Grade <u>2-wire</u>	Voice Grade <u>4-wire</u>	High Capacity <u>DS1</u>	High Capacity <u>DS3</u>	Synchronous Optical Channel <u>OC3</u>	Synchronous Optical Channel <u>OC12</u>
see current NECA Tariff					
17.2.2					

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

17.2.2 Local Transport (Cont'd)

Premium Access (Cont'd)

NECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference

Direct Trunked Transport

Direct Trunked Termination, Per Termination

6.1.3(A)(2)

Monthly Rate

Voice Grade <u>2-wire</u>	Voice Grade <u>4-wire</u>	High Capacity <u>DS1</u>	High Capacity <u>DS3</u>	Synchronous Optical Channel <u>OC3</u>	Synchronous Optical Channel <u>OC12</u>
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—see current NECA Tariff—

—17.2.2

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

17.2.2 Local Transport (Cont'd)

Premium Access (Cont'd)

NECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference

Multiplexing, Per Arrangement

6.1.3(A)(5)

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Monthly Rate

DS3 to DS1      DS1 to Voice

\_\_\_\_\_ see current NECA Tariff \_\_\_\_\_ 17.2.2

Customer Node, Per Node

6.1.3(A)(7)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Monthly Rate

OC3  
155.52 Mbps

OC12  
622.08 Mbps

Nonrecurring Charge  
All

\_\_\_\_\_ see current NECA Tariff \_\_\_\_\_ 17.2.2

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

17.2.2 Local Transport (Cont'd)

Premium Access (Cont'd)

NECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference

Customer Premises Port. Per Port

6.1.3(A)(7)

Monthly Rate

Nonrecurring Charge

OC3 155.52 Mbps

\_\_\_\_\_ see current NECA Tariff \_\_\_\_\_ 17.2.2

STS-1 51.84 Mbps

\_\_\_\_\_ see current NECA Tariff \_\_\_\_\_ 17.2.2

DS3 44.736 Mbps

\_\_\_\_\_ see current NECA Tariff \_\_\_\_\_ 17.2.2

DS1 1.544 Mbps

\_\_\_\_\_ see current NECA Tariff \_\_\_\_\_ 17.2.2

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

17.2.2 Local Transport (Cont'd)

Premium Access (Cont'd)

NECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference

Add/Drop Multiplexing Central Office Port, Per Port

6.1.3(A)(6)

Monthly Rate

OC3  
155.52 Mbps

DS3  
44.736 Mbps

DS1  
1.544 Mbps

see current NECA Tariff

17.2.2

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)17.2.2 Local Transport (Cont'd)Premium Access (Cont'd)RateNECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference

- <u>Tandem Switched Transport – Originating</u>		6.1.3(A)(3)
- <u>Tandem Switched Facility</u>		
Per Access Minute Per Mile	\$0.000195	
- <u>Tandem Switched Termination – Originating</u>		
Per Access Minute Per Termination	\$0.001017	
- <u>Tandem Switching – Originating</u>		
Per Access Minute Per Tandem	\$0.002564	
- <u>Tandem Switched Transport-- Terminating</u>		
- <u>Tandem Switched Facility</u>		
Per Access Minute Per Mile	see current NECA Tariff	17.2.2
- <u>Tandem Switched Termination – Terminating</u>		
Per Access Minute Per Termination	see current NECA Tariff	17.2.2
- <u>Tandem Switching – Terminating</u>		
Per Access Minute Per Tandem	see current NECA Tariff	17.2.2
<u>Network Blocking Per Blocked Call</u>		6.8.6
Applies to FGD only	\$0.02970	

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

NECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference

17.2.2 Local Transport (Cont'd)

(A) Common Channel Signaling Network Connection

6.10.3

(1) Signaling Network Access Link

<u>Monthly Rate</u>			<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
<u>Signaling Mileage Facility Per Mile</u>	<u>Signaling Mileage Termination Per Termination</u>	<u>Signaling Entrance Facility Per Facility</u>	<u>Signaling Entrance Facility Per Facility</u>
\$5.83	\$58.52	\$75.64	\$176.00

(2) STP Port, Per Port

Monthly Rate

\$886.00

NECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference

(B) 800 Data Base Access Service Queries, Per Query

6.10.3

	<u>Rate</u>
Basic	\$0.004000
Vertical Features	\$0.004000

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

NECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference

17.2.3 End Office

(A)(1) <u>Local Switching – Originating</u>	<u>Rate</u>	6.1.3(B)(1)
<u>Premium and Non-Premium</u> Per Access Minute	\$0.006350	
(A)(2) <u>Local Switching - Terminating</u>	<u>Rate</u>	
<u>Premium and Non-Premium</u> Per Access Minute	see current NECA Tariff	17.2.3(A)
(B)(1) <u>Information Surcharge – Originating</u>		6.1.3(B)(2)
– Premium and Non-Premium Per 100 Access Minutes	\$0.0374	
(B)(2) <u>Information Surcharge – Terminating</u>	<u>Rate</u>	
– Premium and Non-Premium	see current NECA Tariff	17.2.3(B)

17.2.4 Reserved for future use.

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

NECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference

17.2.5 Directory Assistance Service

Rate

(A)	<u>Directory Assistance Service</u>	\$0.49	9.4.2
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A Directory Assistance Service Charge applies for each call to Directory Assistance Service.

(B)	<u>Directory Access Service Per Call</u>	\$0.0123	9.4.3
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Directory Access Service is made-up of an Interface Group and Directory Transport.

(C)	<u>Credit Allowance for Uncompleted DA Calls</u>		
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In addition to the credit allowances for Directory Assistance Service Call and Directory Transport as set forth respectively in 9.4.8(A) and (B) of the NECA Tariff, there is also a credit allowance for the Switched Access Service Portion in the originating LATA of such DA call. The credit will be as set forth following:

(1)	Credit per call when Switched Access Service is billed using non-premium per minute rates*	\$0.0432	9.4.8(C)
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(2)	Credit per call when Feature Group A or B Switched Access Service is billed using premium per minute rates*	\$0.0432	9.4.8(C)
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(3)	Credit per call when Feature Group C or D Switched Access Service is billed using premium per minute rates	\$0.0432	9.4.8(C)
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\* Per Docket No. 82-134-C, issued November 2, 1984 by the South Carolina Public Service Commission, there is no discount for Feature Group A and B service.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.2 Switched Access Service (Cont'd)17.2.6 Assumed Minutes of Use

		Assumed Minutes Per Month Per Line or Trunk	NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 Section <u>Reference</u>
(A)	Feature Group A, Two Way Calling	4,195	6.5.4
(B)	Feature Group A, Originating Only	1,510	6.5.4
(C)	Feature Group A, Terminating Only	2,685	6.5.4
(D)	Feature Group B, Two Way Calling	8,700	6.6.4
(E)	Feature Group B, Originating Only	3,132	6.6.4
(F)	Feature Group B, Terminating Only	5,568	6.6.4

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service17.3.1 Surcharge for Special Access Service

This tariff does not contemplate a surcharge for Special Access Service.

17.3.2 Metallic Service

		<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
(A)	Channel Termination Per Termination	\$24.58	\$230.00
(B)	Channel Mileage		
	(1) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$35.37	
	(2) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$ 2.47	
(C)	Optional Features and Functions		
	(1) Bridging		
	(a) Three Premises Bridging Per Port	\$ 6.50	
	(b) Series Bridging Per Port	\$ 6.50	

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.3 Telegraph Grade Service

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
(A) Channel Termination Per Termination		
– Two-Wire	\$24.58	\$230.00
– Four-Wire	\$49.17	\$230.00
(B) Channel Mileage		
(1) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$ 2.94	
(2) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$29.56	
(C) Optional Features and Functions		
(1) Telegraph Bridging Per Port		
– Two-Wire	\$ 6.50	
– Four-Wire	\$ 6.50	

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.4 Voice Grade Service

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
(A) Channel Termination Per Termination		
– Two-Wire	\$41.29	\$230.00
– Four-Wire	\$66.07	\$230.00
(B) Channel Mileage		
(1) Channel Mileage Facility Per Mile	\$ 2.94	
(2) Channel Mileage Termination Per Termination	\$29.56	
(C) Optional Features and Functions		
(1) Bridging		
(a) <u>Voice Bridging</u> Per Port		
– Two-Wire	\$ 6.50	
– Four-Wire	\$ 6.50	

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.4 Voice Grade Service (Cont'd)

(C) Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
(1) Bridging (Cont'd)	
(b) <u>Data Bridging</u> per port	
– Two-Wire	\$ 6.50
– Four-Wire	\$ 6.50
(c) <u>Telephoto Bridging</u> per port	
– Two-Wire	\$ 6.50
– Four-Wire	\$ 6.50
(d) <u>DATAPHONE Select-A-Station Bridging</u>	
Sequential Arrangement, Ports Per channel connected	
– Two-Wire	\$ 22.19
– Four-Wire	\$117.70
Addressable Arrangement, Ports	
– Two-Wire	\$ 23.75
– Four-Wire	\$102.80
(e) <u>Telemetry and Alarm Bridging</u>	
Active Bridging Channel Connection Per channel connected	
– Split Band	\$ 8.89
– Summation	\$ 3.47
Passive Bridging Channel Connections Per channel connected	\$ 0.24

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.4 Voice Grade Service (Cont'd)

(C)	Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
(2)	Conditioning Per Termination	
	– C-Type	\$ 7.20
	– Improved Attenuation Distortion*	None
	– Improved Envelope Delay Distortion*	None
	– Data Capability	\$ 4.95
	– Telephoto Capability	\$ 9.02
	– Sealing Current	None
(3)	Improved Return Loss for Effective Two-Wire or Four-Wire Transmission Per Termination	
	– Two-Wire	\$ 12.80
	– Four-Wire	\$ 12.80
(4)	Customer Specified Receive Level per two-wire termination	\$ 8.80

\* Improved Attenuation Distortion and Improved Envelope Delay Distortion will continue to be provided to all customers who were provided with either or both of these optional features in conjunction with C-Type Conditioning prior to May 4, 1988.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.4 Voice Grade Service (Cont'd)

(C)	Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
(5)	Multiplexing per arrangement Voice to Telegraph Grade	\$226.19
(6)	Signaling Capability per termination	\$ 12.95
(7)	Selective Signaling Arrangement per arrangement	\$ 6.50
(8)	Transfer Arrangement (key activated* or dial up**)	
	– Per four port arrangement including control channel termination***	\$ 3.13
	– Per five port arrangement including control channel termination***	\$ 7.14
(9)	Public Packet Switching Network (PPSN) Interface Arrangement per arrangement	ICB

ICB rates and charges are filed in Section 17.3.9 following.

\* The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.

\*\* The Dial-up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement from Section 13.3.8 of the NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 effective July 1, 1991.

\*\*\* An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional channel mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.5 Program Audio Service

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Daily*</u> <u>Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	
			<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Daily</u>
(A) Channel Termination per termination				
- 200 to 3500 Hz	\$43.76	\$4.38	\$230.00	\$230.00
- 100 to 5000 Hz	\$76.20	\$7.62	\$230.00	\$230.00
- 50 to 8000 Hz	\$76.20	\$7.62	\$230.00	\$230.00
- 50 to 15000 Hz	\$76.20	\$7.62	\$230.00	\$230.00
(B) Channel Mileage				
(1) Channel Mileage Facility per mile		<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Daily Rate</u>	
- 200 to 3500 Hz		\$ 2.94	\$ 0.29	
- 100 to 5000 Hz		\$ 5.89	\$ 0.59	
- 50 to 8000 Hz		\$ 8.83	\$ 0.88	
- 50 to 15000 Hz		\$ 11.77	\$ 1.18	
(2) Channel Mileage Termination per termination				
- 200 to 3500 Hz		\$ 29.56	\$ 2.96	
- 100 to 5000 Hz		\$ 59.11	\$ 5.91	
- 50 to 8000 Hz		\$ 88.67	\$ 8.87	
- 50 to 15000 Hz		\$118.22	\$11.82	

\* Daily Rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in NECA Tariff FCC No. 5, Section 7.2.2(B) as such tariff now exists, and as may be subsequently modified.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.5 Program Audio Service (Cont'd)

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Daily* Rate</u>
(C) Optional Features and Functions		
(1) Bridging, Distribution Amplifier per port	\$19.97	\$2.00
(2) Gain Conditioning per service	\$12.90	\$1.29
(3) Stereo per service	\$22.15	\$2.22

\* Daily rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in NECA Tariff FCC No. 5, Section 7.2.2(B) as such tariff now exists, and as may be subsequently modified.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

17.3.6 Video Service

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Daily*</u> <u>Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	
			<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Daily</u>
(A) Channel Termination per termination				
- TV-1 or 2	\$452.16	\$248.69	\$251.00	\$251.00
- 4TV-5	\$452.16	\$248.69	\$251.00	\$251.00
- 6TV-5	\$452.16	\$248.69	\$251.00	\$251.00
- TV-15	\$452.16	\$248.69	\$251.00	\$251.00
(B) Channel Mileage				
(1) Channel Mileage Facility per mile		<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Daily Rate*</u>	
- All		\$384.86	\$211.67	
(2) Channel Mileage Termination per termination				
- All		\$410.05	\$225.53	

\* Daily rates will be topped and maximum rates derived as set forth in NECA Tariff FCC No. 5, Section 7.2.2(B) as such tariff now exists, and as may be subsequently modified.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.7 Digital Data Service

(A) Channel Termination per termination	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
- 2.4 kbps	\$76.20	\$240.00
- 4.8 kbps	\$76.20	\$240.00
- 9.6 kbps	\$76.20	\$240.00
- 56.0 kbps	\$76.20	\$240.00
- 64.0 kbps	\$76.20	\$240.00
 (B) Channel Mileage		
(1) Channel Mileage Facility per mile		
- 2.4 kbps	\$2.80	
- 4.8 kbps	\$2.80	
- 9.6 kbps	\$2.80	
- 19.2 kbps	\$2.80	
- 56.0 kbps	\$3.96	
- 64.0 kbps	\$3.96	
 (2) Channel Mileage Termination per termination		
- 2.4 kbps	\$28.08	
- 4.8 kbps	\$28.08	
- 9.6 kbps	\$28.08	
- 19.2 kbps	\$28.08	
- 56.0 kbps	\$39.79	
- 64.0 kbps	\$39.79	

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

17.3.7 Digital Data Service (Cont'd)

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
(C) Optional Features and Functions	
(1) Bridging per port	\$7.85
(2) Loop Transfer Arrangement per four port arrangement* Key activated** or Dial-up***	\$6.21
(3) Public Packet Switching Network Interface Arrangement	
- Per 9.6 kbps arrangement	ICB
- Per 56.0 kbps arrangement	ICB
- Per 64.0 kbps arrangement	ICB
(D) Channel Service Unit Per Termination****	
- 2.4 kbps	\$31.05
- 4.8 kbps	\$31.05
- 9.6 kbps	\$31.05
- 56.0 kbps	\$31.05

ICB rates and charges are filed in Section 17.3.9 following.

\* An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional Channel Mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.

\*\* The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.

\*\*\* The Dial-Up option requires the customer to purchase the Controller Arrangement from NECA Tariff FCC No. 5, Section 13.3.4 as such tariff now exists, and as may be subsequently modified.

\*\*\*\* Channel Service Units will only be provided under tariff if they existed in the Telephone Company's inventory as of November 18, 1983.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.8 High Capacity Service

(A) Channel Termination per termination	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
- 1.544 Mbps	\$176.82	\$251.00
- 3.152 Mbps	ICB	ICB
- 6.312 Mbps	ICB	ICB
- 44.736 Mbps	ICB	ICB
- 274.176 Mbps	ICB	ICB
(B) Channel Mileage	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	
(1) Channel Mileage Facility per mile		
- 64 kbps*		\$ 3.96
- 1.544 Mbps		\$19.14
- 3.152 Mbps		ICB
- 6.312 Mbps		ICB
- 44.736 Mbps		ICB
- 274.176 Mbps		ICB
(2) Channel Mileage Termination per termination		
- 64 kbps*		\$ 39.76
- 1.544 Mbps		\$ 94.38
- 3.152 Mbps		ICB
- 6.312 Mbps		ICB
- 44.736 Mbps		ICB
- 274.176 Mbps		ICB

\* Applies to through connections of 2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 56.0 and 64 kbps.

ICB rates and charges are filed in Section 17.3.9 following.

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

17.3.8 High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
(C) Optional Features and Functions	
(1) Multiplexing, per arrangement	
DS4 to DS1	ICB
DS3 to DS1	\$474.31
DS2 to DS1	ICB
DS1C to DS1	ICB
DS1 to Voice*	\$183.12
DS1 to DS0	\$183.12
DS0 to Subrates	
– Up to 20 2.4 kbps services	\$390.00
– Up to 10 4.8 kbps services	\$265.00
– Up to 5 9.6 kbps services	\$235.00

\* A channel of this DS1 to the Hub can be used for Digital Data services.

ICB rates and charges are filed in Section 17.3.9 following.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)17.3.8 High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

## (C) Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)

Monthly  
Rate

(2)	Automatic Loop Transfer per arrangement*	\$158.00
(3)	Transfer Arrangement (key-activated** or dial-up*** per four port arrangement including control channel termination****	\$172.20

(D) Network Channel Terminating  
Equipment (NCTE) per termination#

-	1.544 Mbps	\$ 89.60
-	Automatic Loop Transfer	\$360.00

\* An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever the spare line is provided as a leg to the customer designated premises.

\*\* The key activated control channel is rated as a Metallic Channel Termination and Channel Mileage, if applicable.

\*\*\* The Dial-up option requires the customer to purchase to Controller Arrangement from the NECA Tariff FCC No. 5, Section 13.3.4 as such tariff now exists, and as may be subsequently modified.

\*\*\*\* An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever a spare channel is configured as a leg to the customer designated premises. Additional channel mileage charges will also apply when the transfer arrangement is not located in the customer designated premises serving wire center.

# NCTE will only be provided under tariff if it existed in the Telephone Company's inventory as of November 18, 1983.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.3 Special Access Service (Cont'd)

17.3.9 Individual Case Filings

Reserved for future use.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other ServicesNECA Tariff  
FCC No. 5  
Section  
Reference17.4.1 Access OrderingCharge\*(A) Access Order Charge

Per Order

\$104.00

5.4.1

(B) Service Date Change Charge

A Service Date Change Charge will apply, on a per order per occurrence basis, for each service date changed. The Access Order Charge as specified in 17.4.1(A) preceding does not apply. The applicable charge is:

Service Date Change Charge,  
per order

\$40.00

5.4.3

(C) Design Change Charge

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

Design Change Charge, per order

\$40.00

5.4.3

(D) Miscellaneous Service Order Charge

Per Occurrence

\$40.00

5.4.2

\* These charges apply to Special Access Services. The charges applicable to Switched Access Services are the same as those listed in the NECA Tariff FCC No. 5.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.2 Additional Engineering

<u>Additional Engineering Periods</u>	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof*</u>	<u>NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 Section Reference</u>
(A) Basic Time per engineer normally scheduled working hours	\$16.97	13.1
(B) Overtime per engineer outside of normally scheduled working hours	\$25.46	13.1
(C) Premium Time per engineer outside of scheduled work day	\$33.95	13.1

\* These charges apply to Special Access Services. The charges applicable to Switched Access Services are the same as those listed in the NECA Tariff FCC No. 5.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.3 Additional Labor

<u>Additional Labor Periods</u>	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof*</u>	<u>NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 Section Reference</u>
(A) Installation or Repair		
– Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day per technician	\$23.71**	13.2.1 & 13.2.2
– Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day per technician	\$31.62**	13.2.1 & 13.2.2
(B) Stand By		
– Basic Time, normally scheduled working hours per technician	\$16.20**	13.2.3
– Overtime, outside or normally scheduled working hour on a scheduled work day per technician	\$24.30**	13.2.3
– Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day per technician	\$32.40**	13.2.2

\* These charges apply to Special Access Services. The charges applicable to Switched Access Services are the same as those listed in the NECA Tariff FCC No. 5.

\*\* A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

17.4.3 Additional Labor (Cont'd)

Additional Labor Periods

Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof

	<u>Installation and repair Technician*</u>	<u>Central Office Maintenance Technician*</u>	<u>NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 Section Reference</u>
(C) Testing and Maintenance with other Telephone Companies, or Other Labor			
– Basic Time per technician normally scheduled working hours	\$15.81	\$17.01	13.2.4 & 13.2.5
– Overtime per technician outside or normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day	\$23.71**	\$25.51**	13.2.4 & 13.2.5
– Premium Time per technician outside of scheduled work day	\$31.62**	\$34.02**	13.2.4 & 13.2.5

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INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

17.4.4 Miscellaneous Services

(A) Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing – Switched Access

<u>Testing Periods</u>	Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof	NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 Section <u>Reference</u>
Basic Time, Overtime* and Premium Time*	See the rates for Additional Labor as set forth in 17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.1(A)(1)

(B) Additional Automatic Testing – Switched Access

To First Point of Switching

Additional Tests

	<u>Per Test Per Transmission Path</u>	
Gain-Slope Tests	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
C-Notched Noise Tests	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
1004 Hz Loss**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
C-Message Noise**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
Balance (return loss)**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)

\* A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

\*\* 1004 Hz Loss, C-Message Noise and Balance are non-chargeable routine tests; however, they may be requested on an as needed or more than routine scheduled basis, in which case the charges herein apply.

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

17.4.4 Miscellaneous Services (Cont'd)

(C) Additional Manual Testing – Switched Access

To First Point of Switching

Additional Tests

	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>	<u>NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 Section Reference</u>
Gain-Slope, C-Notched Noise and any other agreed to tests, per technician	See the rates for Additional Labor as set forth in 17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.1(A)(3)

(D) Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing – Special Access

	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>	<u>NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 Section Reference</u>
<u>Testing Periods</u>		
Basic Time, Overtime* and Premium Time*	See the rates for Additional Labor as set forth in 17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.1(B)(1)

\* A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

17.4.4 Miscellaneous Services (Cont'd)

(E) Additional Manual Testing – Special Access

<u>Testing Periods</u>	Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof	NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 Section <u>Reference</u>
Basic Time, Overtime* and Premium Time*	See the rates for Additional Labor as set forth in 17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.1(B)(2)

(F) Maintenance of Service

<u>Maintenance of Service Periods</u>	Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof	NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 Section <u>Reference</u>
Basic Time, Overtime* and Premium Time*	See the rates for Additional Labor as set forth in 17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.2

\* A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

17.4.4 Miscellaneous Services (Cont'd)

(G) Telecommunications Service Priority

	<u>Nonrecurring Charges*</u>	NECA Tariff FCC No. 5 Section <u>Reference</u>
Per service arranged	\$54.63	13.3.3

(H) Controller Arrangement

	<u>Monthly Rate*</u>	
Per arrangement	\$100.00	13.3.4(A)

\* These charges apply to Special Access Services. The charges applicable to Switched Access Services are the same as those listed in the NECA Tariff FCC No. 5.

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

17.4.4 Miscellaneous Services (Cont'd)

		<u>Section Reference</u>
(I)	<u>Presubscription</u>	Nonrecurring <u>Charge</u> 13.4
	Per Telephone Exchange Service line or trunk	
	Intrastate InterLATA	N/A
	Intrastate IntraLATA	\$1.25
	Simultaneous IntraLATA and InterLATA Change Charge	
	Per business or resident line trunk or port	
	– Initial line, trunk or port	\$0.62

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.5 Special Federal Government Access Services

(A)	<u>Voice Grade Secure Communications</u>	<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Termination Charges</u>
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Type I, each T-3 Conditioning,			ICB rates and charges apply	
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Additional Conditioning, per service termination			ICB rates and charges apply	
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Type II, each G-1 Conditioning,			ICB rates and charges apply	
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Type III, each G-2 Conditioning,			ICB rates and charges apply	
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Additional Conditioning, per service termination			ICB rates and charges apply	
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Type IV, each G-3 Conditioning,			ICB rates and charges apply	
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Additional Conditioning, per service termination			ICB rates and charges apply	
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(B) Wideband Digital Special Access Service

<u>Wideband Secure Communications</u>	<u>Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Termination Charges</u>
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Type I, each			ICB rates and charges apply
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Type II, each			ICB rates and charges apply
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Type III, each			ICB rates and charges apply
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INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

17.4.6 Special Facilities Routing of Access Services

(A) Diversity

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.1 of NECA Tariff FCC No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

Reserved for future use.

(B) Avoidance

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.2 of NECA Tariff FCC No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

Reserved for future use.

(C) Diversity and Avoidance Combined

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.1 and 11.1.2 of NECA Tariff FCC No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

Reserved for future use.

(D) Cable-Only Facilities

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.4 of NECA Tariff FCC No. 5, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

Reserved for future use.

INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

17.4.7 Specialized Service or Arrangements

Specialized Service or Arrangements are provided on an individual case basis as set forth following:

Reserved for future use.

## INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICE

17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.5 <u>Billing and Collection Services</u>		<u>Rates</u>	<u>Section Reference</u>
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(A)	Recording – per message recorded	\$0.0140	
(B)	Message Processing (Rating) – per message processed	\$0.0100	
(C)	Message Billed Processing – per message processed for billing	\$0.0610	
(D)	Message-Billed Inquiry – per message processed for billing	\$0.0130	
(E)	Message-Billed investigation of bill charges – per message processed for billing	\$0.0033	
(F)	Message-Billed message investigation – per message processed for billing	\$0.0013	
(G)	Message-Billed Processing – per bill rendered		
	Intrastate only	\$0.3600	
	Interstate and Intrastate	\$0.1800	
(H)	Data Transmission – per message transmitted or received	\$0.0030	
(I)	CMDS Sampling – per record processed	\$0.0010	