

South Carolina
Resale Telecommunications Service Tariff
of

CUSTOM NETWORK SOLUTIONS, INC.

This tariff includes the rates, charges, terms and conditions of service for the provision of switched intrastate telecommunications services by Custom Network Solutions, Inc. ("CNS") between locations within the State of South Carolina.

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EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

- (C) To signify changed listing, rule, or condition which may affect rates or charges.
- (D) To signify discontinued material, including listing, rate, rule, or condition.
- (I) To signify an increase.
- (M) To signify material relocated from or to another part of tariff schedule with no change in text, rate, rule or condition.
- (N) To signify new material including listing, rate, rule or condition.
- (R) To signify reduction.
- (S) To signify reissued material.
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APPLICATION OF TARIFF

This tariff contains the regulations and rates applicable to the furnishing of intrastate resale common carrier communications services by Custom Network Solutions, Inc. within the State of South Carolina.

SERVICE AREA MAP

Custom Network Solutions, Inc. will provide intrastate service throughout the State of South Carolina.

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SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS

Access Line - An arrangement which connects the Customer's telephone to a CNS designated switching center or point of presence.

Authorization Code - A pre-defined series of numbers to be dialed by the Customer or Authorized User upon access to the Carrier's Travel Service network to identify the caller and validate the caller's authorization to use the services provided.

Authorized User - A person, firm, corporation, or any other entity authorized by the Customer to utilize the Carrier's service under the terms and conditions of this tariff. The Customer remains responsible for payment of services.

CNS - Used throughout this tariff to refer to Custom Network Solutions, Inc.

Commission - South Carolina Public Service Commission.

Company or Carrier - Custom Network Solutions, Inc. unless otherwise clearly indicated by the context.

Customer - The person, firm, corporation or other entity which orders, cancels, amends or uses service and is responsible for payment of charges and compliance with the Company's tariff.

Dedicated Access - A method of reaching the Company's services whereby the Customer is connected directly to the Company's Point of Presence without utilizing services of the local switched network.

Equal Access - A form of dialed access provided by local exchange companies whereby interexchange calls dialed by the Customer are automatically routed to the Company's network. Presubscribed Customers may also route interexchange calls to the Company's network by dialing an access code supplied by the Company.

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SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS, (CONT'D.)

Initial And Additional Period - The Initial Period denotes the interval of time allowed at the rate specified for a connection between given service points. The Additional Period denotes the interval of time used for measuring and charging for time in excess of the Initial Period.

LATA - Local Access and Transport Area. A geographic area established by the US District Court for the District of Columbia in Civil Action No. 17-49, within which a Local Exchange Company provides communications services.

LEC - Local Exchange Company.

NECA - National Exchange Carriers Association.

Personal Identification Number (PIN) - See Authorization Code. PINs may also be used in conjunction with shared 800 service to uniquely identify the terminating location for an incoming call. Upon dialing a shared 800 number, the caller enters the PIN number associated with the party they are trying to reach.

Premises - The physical space designated by the Customer for the termination of the Company's service.

Serving Wire Center - A specified geographic point from which the vertical and horizontal coordinate is used in calculation of airline mileage.

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SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS, (CONT'D.)

Subscriber - See Customer.

Switched Access Origination/Termination - Where access between the Customer and the interexchange carrier is provided on local exchange company Feature Group circuits and the connection to the Customer is a LEC-provided business or residential access line. The cost of switched Feature Group access is billed to the interexchange carrier.

Travel Card Call - A service whereby the Customer or Authorized User dials all of the digits necessary to route and bill a call placed from a location other than his/her residence or normal place of business. Service is accessed via a "1-800" or other access code dialing sequence.

V & H Coordinates - Geographic points which define the originating and terminating points of a call in mathematical terms so that the airline mileage of the call may be determined. Call mileage may be used for the purposed of rating calls.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS**2.1 Undertaking of Custom Network Solutions, Inc.**

CNS's services and facilities are furnished for communications originating and terminating within the State of South Carolina under terms of this tariff. The Company's services and facilities are available twenty-four (24) hours per day, seven (7) days per week.

CNS arranges for installation, operation, and maintenance of the communications services provided in this tariff for Customers in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth under this tariff. CNS may act as the Customer's agent for ordering access connection facilities provided by other carriers or entities, when authorized by the Customer, to allow connection of a Customer's location to the CNS network. The Customer shall be responsible for all charges due for such service arrangement.

2.2 Use

Services provided under this tariff may be used by the Customer for any lawful telecommunications purpose for which the service is technically suited.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.3 Limitations**

- 2.3.1** Service is offered subject to the availability of the necessary facilities and/or equipment and subject to the provisions of this tariff. The Company may decline applications for service to or from a location where the necessary facilities or equipment are not available. The Company may discontinue furnishing service in accordance with the terms of this tariff.
- 2.3.2** The Company reserves the right to discontinue service when necessitated by conditions beyond its control, or when the Customer is using the service in violation of the provisions of this tariff, or in violation of the law.
- 2.3.3** The Company does not undertake to transmit messages, but offers the use of its facilities when available, and will not be liable for errors in transmission or for failure to establish connection.
- 2.3.4** The Company reserves the right to discontinue service, limit service, or to impose requirements on Customers as required to meet changing regulatory or statutory rules and standards, or when such rules and standards have an adverse material affect on the business or economic feasibility of providing service, as determined by CNS in its reasonable judgment.
- 2.3.5** Service may be limited or discontinued by CNS, without notice to the Customer, by blocking traffic to certain countries, cities, or NXX exchanges, or by blocking calls using certain Authorization Codes, when CNS deems it necessary to take such action to prevent unlawful use of its service. CNS will restore service as soon as it can be provided without undue risk, and will, upon request by the Customer affected, assign a new Authorization Code to replace the one that has been deactivated.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)

2.4 Assignment or Transfer

All service provided under this tariff is directly or indirectly controlled by the Company and neither the Customer nor its Authorized Users may transfer or assign the use of service without the express prior written consent of the Company. Such transfer or assignment shall only apply where there is no interruption of the use or location of service. All terms and conditions contained in this tariff shall apply to all such permitted transferees or assignees, as well as all conditions of service.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.5 Liability**

- 2.5.1** The liability of the Company for damages of any nature arising from errors, mistakes, omissions, interruptions, or delays of the Company, its agents, servants, or employees, in the course of establishing, furnishing, rearranging, moving, terminating, maintaining, restoring, or changing the service or facilities or equipment shall not exceed an amount equal to the charges applicable under this tariff (calculated on a proportionate basis where appropriate) to the period during which such error, mistake, omission, interruption or delay occurs.
- 2.5.2** In no event shall the Company be liable for any incidental, indirect, special, or consequential damages (including lost revenue or profits) of any kind whatsoever regardless of the cause or foreseeability thereof.
- 2.5.3** When the services or facilities of other common carriers are used separately or in conjunction with the Company's facilities or equipment in establishing connection to points not reached by the Company's facilities or equipment, the Company shall not be liable for any act or omission of such other common carriers or their agents, servants or employees.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.5 Liability, (cont'd.)**

- 2.5.4** The Company shall not be liable for any failure of performance hereunder if such failure is due to any cause or causes beyond the reasonable control of the Company. Such causes shall include, without limitation, acts of God, fire, explosion, vandalism, cable cut, storm or other similar occurrence, any law, order, regulation, direction, action or request of any other government or of any civil or military authority, national emergencies, insurrections, riots, wars, strikes, lockouts or work stoppages or other labor difficulties, supplier failures, shortages, breaches or delays, or preemption of existing service to restore service in compliance with the Commission's Rules and Regulations.
- 2.5.5** The Company shall not be liable for interruptions, delays, errors, or defects in transmission, or for any injury whatsoever, caused by the Customer, the Customer's agents, or Authorized Users, or by facilities or equipment provided by the Customer.
- 2.5.6** The Company shall not be liable for any claim, loss, or refund as a result of loss, theft or fraudulent use of Authorization Codes or Personal Identification Numbers issued for use with the Company's services.

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- 2.5.7** The Customer shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Company (including the costs of reasonable attorney's fees) against:
- A. Claims for libel, slander, infringement of copyright or unauthorized use of any trademark, trade name or servicemark arising out of the material, data, information, or other content transmitted over the Company's facilities or equipment;
 - B. Claims for patent infringement arising from combining or connecting the Company's facilities or equipment with facilities, equipment, apparatus or systems of the Customer; and
 - C. All other claims (including, without limitation, claims for damage to any business or property, or injury to, or death of, any person) arising out of any act or omission of the Customer, the Customer's agents or Authorized Users, in connection with any service or facilities or equipment provided by the Company.

2.6 Minimum Period

The minimum period for which services are provided and for which rates and charges are applicable is one (1) month unless otherwise specified in this tariff or by mutually agreed upon contract. When a service is discontinued prior to the expiration of the minimum period, charges are applicable, whether the service is used or not.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.7 Billing and Payment for Service****2.7.1 Responsibility for Charges**

Charges for installations, service connections, moves, and rearrangements, where applicable, are payable upon demand to the Company or its authorized agent. Billing thereafter will include recurring charges and actual usage as defined in this tariff.

The Customer is responsible for payment of all charges for services and equipment furnished to the Customer for transmission of calls via the Company. In particular and without limitation to the foregoing, the Customer is responsible for any and all cost(s) incurred as the result of:

- A. any delegation of authority resulting in the use of his or her communications equipment and/or network services which result in the placement of calls via the Company;
- B. any and all use of the service arrangement provided by the Company, including calls which the Customer did not individually authorize;
- C. any calls placed by or through the Customer's equipment via any remote access feature(s);
- D. any calls placed via the Company's Travel Service as a result of the Customer's intentional or negligent disclosure of Authorization Codes or PIN numbers assigned to the Customer; and
- E. any and all calls placed to an 800 service number provided to the Customer by the Company.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.7 Billing and Payment for Service, (cont'd)****2.7.2 Payment for Service**

All charges due by the Customer are payable to the Company or any agent duly authorized to receive such payments. The billing agent may be the Company, a local exchange telephone company, credit card company, or other billing service. Terms of payment shall be according to the rules and regulations of the agent and subject to the rules of regulatory bodies having jurisdiction. Any objections to billed charges must be reported to the Company or its billing agent. Objections must be made within the time frames established in R.106-623 or the Commission's rules and regulations, as amended. Adjustments to Customers' bills shall be made to the extent that circumstances exist which reasonably indicate that such changes are appropriate.

2.7.3 Late Payment Fees

The Company reserves the right to assess a late payment fee, as provided in Section 6 on any past due balance. A balance is considered past due if unpaid thirty (30) days following the date of the bill listing amounts owed by the Customer. Any applicable late payment fees will be assessed according to the terms and conditions of the Company or its billing agent and pursuant to South Carolina state law.

2.7.4 Return Check Charge

The Company reserves the right to assess a return check charge, as provided in Section 6 whenever a check or draft presented for payment of service is not accepted by the institution upon which it is written. Any applicable return check charges will be assessed according to the terms and conditions of the Company or its billing agent and pursuant to South Carolina state law.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.8 Deposits**

The Company reserves the right to examine the credit record of the Customer. If the Customer's financial condition is unknown or unacceptable to the Company, the Customer may be required to provide the Company with a security deposit which the Company may apply against overdue charges. The amount of the security deposit shall not exceed two month's estimated usage, may vary with the Customer's credit history and projected usage, and be collected and maintained in accordance with Commission rules. The fact that a security deposit has been made in no way relieves the Customer from the prompt payment of bills upon presentation.

2.9 Advance Payments

The Company does not collect advance payments for service.

2.10 Taxes and Fees

The Company reserves the right to bill any and all applicable taxes and fees in addition to normal rates and charges for services provided to the Customer. Taxes and fees include, but are not limited to: Federal Excise Tax, State Sales Tax, Municipal Tax, and Gross Receipts Tax. Unless otherwise specified in this tariff, such taxes and fees are in addition to rates as quoted in this tariff and will be itemized separately on Customer invoices.

2.11 Terminal Equipment

The Company's facilities and service may be used with or terminated in terminal equipment or communications systems such as a PBX, key system, single line telephone, or pay telephone. Such terminal equipment shall be furnished and maintained at the expense of the Customer. The Customer is responsible for all costs at his or her premises, including personnel, wiring, electrical power, and the like, incurred in the use of CNS's service. When such terminal equipment is used, the equipment shall comply with the generally accepted minimum protective criteria standards of the telecommunications industry.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.12 Interconnection**

- 2.12.1** Service furnished by the Company may be interconnected with services or facilities of other authorized communications common carriers and with private systems, subject to technical limitations established by the Company. Service furnished by the Company is not part of a joint undertaking with such other common carriers or systems. The Company does not undertake to provide any special facilities, equipment, or services to enable the Customer to interconnect the facilities or the equipment of the Company with services or facilities of other common carriers or with private systems.
- 2.12.2** Interconnection with the services or facilities of other common carriers shall be under the applicable terms and conditions of this tariff and the other common carrier's tariffs.
- 2.12.3** The Customer shall ensure that the facilities or equipment provided by the Customer are properly interconnected with the facilities or equipment of the Company. If the Customer maintains or operates the interconnected facilities or equipment in a manner which results or may result in harm to the Company's facilities, equipment, personnel, or the quality of service, the Company may, upon written notice, require the use of protective equipment at the Customer's expense. If this written notice fails to eliminate the actual or potential harm, the Company may, upon written notice, terminate the existing service of the Customer.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.13 Inspection, Testing and Adjustment**

2.13.1 The Company may, upon reasonable notice, make such tests and inspections as may be necessary to determine whether the terms and conditions of this tariff are being complied with in the installation, operation or maintenance of the Customer's or the Company's facilities or equipment. The Company may interrupt service at any time, without penalty or liability, due to the departure from or reasonable suspicion of the departure from any of these terms and conditions.

2.13.2 Upon reasonable notice, the facilities or equipment provided by the Company shall be made available to the Company for such tests and adjustments as may be necessary for their maintenance in a condition satisfactory to the Company. No interruption allowance shall be granted for the time during which such tests and adjustments are made, unless such interruption exceeds twenty-four hours in length and is requested by the Customer.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.14 Credit Allowances for Interruption of Service**

Credit allowances for interruptions of service which are not due to the Company's inspection or testing, to the negligence of the Customer, or to the failure of channels, equipment and/or communications systems provided by the Customer, are subject to the general liability provisions set forth in this tariff.

It shall be the obligation of the Customer to notify the Company immediately of any interruption in service for which a credit allowance is desired by Customer. Before giving such notice, the Customer shall ascertain that the trouble is not within his or her control, or is not in wiring or equipment, if any, furnished by Customer.

Interruptions caused by Customer-provided or Company-provided automatic dialing equipment are not deemed an interruption of service as defined herein since the Customer has the option of using the long distance network via LEC access.

No credits will be given for usage sensitive or message rated toll charges due to interruption of service. For services with a monthly recurring charge, no credit shall be allowed for an interruption of continuous duration of less than twenty-four hours.

For purposes of credit computation every month shall be considered to have 30 days. The Customer shall be credited for an interruption of one day (24 hours) or more at the rate of 1/30th of the monthly charge for the services affected for each day that the interruption continues.

Credit Formula:

$$\text{Credit} = A/30 \times B$$

A = outage time in days

B = total monthly charge for affected service.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.15 Cancellation by the Customer**

The Customer may have service discontinued upon written or verbal notice to the Company. The Company shall hold the Customer responsible for payment of all bills for service furnished until the cancellation date specified by the Customer or until the date that the written or verbal notice of cancellation is received, whichever is later.

2.16 Refusal or Discontinuance by the Company

Service continues to be provided until canceled by the Customer, verbally or in writing, or until discontinued by the Company as set forth below. The Company may render bills subsequent to the termination of service for charges incurred before termination.

2.16.1 CNS may refuse or discontinue service under the following conditions provided that the Customer shall be given fifteen (15) days notice to comply with any rule or remedy any deficiency:

- A. For failure of the Customer to pay a bill for service when it is due;
- B. For failure of the Customer to meet the Company's deposit and credit requirements;
- C. For failure of the Customer to make proper application for service;
- D. For Customer's violation of any of the Company's rules on file with the Commission;
- E. For failure of the Customer to provide the Company reasonable access to its equipment and property;

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2.16 Refusal or Discontinuance by the Company, (cont'd.)

2.16.1 continued

- F. For Customer's breach of the contract for service between the Company and the Customer;
- G. For a failure of the Customer to furnish such service, equipment, and/or right-of-way necessary to serve said Customer as shall have been specified by the Company as a condition of obtaining service;
- H. When necessary for the Company to comply with any order or request of any governmental authority having jurisdiction.

2.16.2 CNS may refuse or discontinue service without notice to the Customer for any of the following reasons:

- A. In the event of tampering with the Company's equipment;
- B. In the event of a condition determined to be hazardous to the Customer, to other Customers of the Company, to the Company's equipment, the public, or to employees of the Company;
- C. In the event of a Customer's use of equipment in such a manner as to adversely affect the Company's equipment or the Company's service to others.
- D. In the event of fraudulent use of the service.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.17 Restoration of Service**

If service has been discontinued for nonpayment or as otherwise provided herein and the Customer wishes it continued, service shall, at the Company's discretion, be restored when all past due amounts are paid or the event giving rise to the discontinuance (if other than nonpayment) is corrected.

2.18 Toll-Free Numbers

- 2.18.1** The Company will make every effort to reserve "800/888" vanity numbers on behalf of Customers, but makes no guarantee or warrantee that the requested "800/888" number(s) will be available or assigned to the Customer requesting the number.
- 2.18.2** If a Customer accumulates undisputed past-due charges, the Company reserves the right not to honor the Customer's request for a change in 800 service to another carrier (e.g., "porting" of the 800/888 number), including a request for a Responsible Organization (Resp Org) change, until such time as all charges are paid in full.
- 2.18.3** 800/888 numbers shared by more than one Customer, whereby individual Customers are identified by a unique Personal Identification Number, may not be assigned or transferred for use with service provided by another carrier. Subject to the limitations provided in Section 2.18.2, the Company will only honor Customer requests for change in Resp Org or 800 service provider for 800/888 numbers dedicated to the sole use of that single Customer.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)**2.19 Marketing**

As a telephone utility under the regulation of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, Custom Network Solutions, Inc., hereby asserts and affirms that as a reseller of intrastate telecommunications service, CNS will not indulge or participate in deceptive or misleading telecommunications marketing practices to the detriment of consumers in South Carolina, and CNS will comply with those marketing procedures, if any, set forth by the Public Service Commission. Additionally, CNS will be responsible for the marketing practices of its contracted telemarketers for compliance with this provision. Custom Network Solutions, Inc., understands that violation of this provision could result in a rule to Show Cause as to the withdrawal of its certification to complete intrastate telecommunications traffic within the state of South Carolina.

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SECTION 3 - SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES**3.1 General**

CNS offers direct dialed (1+) service, inbound 800 number service and travel card service for communications originating and terminating within the State of South Carolina under terms of this tariff. Operator services and directory assistance are not furnished by CNS. Operator services and directory assistance service will be provided and billed to the Customer by the Company's underlying carrier.

Customers are billed based on their use of Custom Network Solutions, Inc.'s network and services. Charges may vary by service offering, mileage band, class of call, time of day, day of week, and/or call duration.

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SECTION 3 - SERVICE DESCRIPTION AND RATES, (CONT'D.)**3.2 Timing of Calls**

Billing for calls placed over the CNS network is based in part on the duration of the call as follows, unless otherwise specified in this tariff:

- 3.2.1 Call timing begins when the called party answers the call (i.e., when two way communications are established.) Answer detection is based on standard industry answer detection methods, including hardware and software answer detection.
- 3.2.2 Chargeable time for calls ends when one of the parties disconnects from the call.
- 3.2.3 For billing purposes, minimum call duration periods vary by service and are specified by product or option in subsequent sections of this tariff.
- 3.2.4 For billing purposes, usage after the initial period varies by service and is specified by product or option in subsequent sections of this tariff.
- 3.2.5 The Company will not bill for unanswered calls. When a Customer indicates that he/she was billed for an incomplete call, CNS will reasonably issue credit for the call.
- 3.2.6 Should a call originate in one rate period and terminate in another rate period the entire call will be billed by the rates in effect at the time of connection based on the originating rate period.

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3.3 Rate Periods

Unless otherwise specified in this tariff, the following rate periods apply to all services subject to time of day discounts:

	MON	TUES	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT	SUN
8:00 AM TO 5:00 PM*	PEAK PERIOD						
5:00 PM TO 11:00 PM*	OFF-PEAK PERIOD						
11:00 PM TO 8:00 AM*							

* Up to but not including.

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Usage charges for all mileage sensitive products are based on the airline distance between serving wire centers associated with the originating and terminating points of the call.

The serving wire centers of a call are determined by the area codes and exchanges of the origination and destination points.

The distance between the Wire Center of the Customer's equipment and that of the destination point is calculated by using the "V" and "H" coordinates found in BellCore's V&H Tape and NECA FCC Tariff No. 4.

- Step 1 - Obtain the "V" and "H" coordinates for the Wire Centers serving the Customer and the destination point.
- Step 2 - Obtain the difference between the "V" coordinates of each of the Wire Centers. Obtain the Difference between the "H" coordinates.
- Step 3 - Square the differences obtained in Step 2.
- Step 4 - Add the squares of the "V" difference and "H" difference obtained in Step 3.
- Step 5 - Divide the sum of the square obtained in Step 4 by ten (10). Round to the next higher whole number if any fraction results from the division.
- Step 6 - Obtain the square root of the whole number obtained in Step 5. Round to the next higher whole number if any fraction is obtained. This is the distance between the Wire Centers.

$$\text{SQRT } \{ \{ (V \text{ SUB } 1 - V \text{ SUB } 2) \text{ SUP } 2 + (H \text{ SUB } 1 - H \text{ SUB } 2) \text{ SUP } 2 \} \text{ OVER } 10 \}$$

Formula:

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3.5 CNS One Plus Switched Service

CNS One Plus Switched Service is an interstate service designed for outbound calling. Calls are billed in six (6) second increments with an initial billing period of eighteen (18) seconds. Calls originate from Customer-provided standard business or residential switched access lines. Rates are based on the term commitment agreed to between the Company and the Customer.

MAXIMUM USAGE CHARGES:

Mileage	Peak		Off-Peak	
	Initial Period	Add'l. Period	Initial Period	Add'l. Period
All	\$0.105	\$0.035	\$0.087	\$0.029

3.6 CNS One Plus Dedicated Service

Interstate dedicated outbound service designed for business Customers. Calls are billed in six (6) second increments with an eighteen (18) second minimum billing period. No minimum commitment is required. Calls originate from Customer-provided dedicated access lines.

MAXIMUM USAGE CHARGES:

Mileage	Peak		Off-Peak	
	Initial Period	Add'l. Period	Initial Period	Add'l. Period
All	\$0.071	\$0.024	\$0.059	\$0.020

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3.8 CNS Dedicated 800 Service

CNS Dedicated 800 Service is available to Subscribers for incoming calls. Calls originate from any interstate or intrastate location over an 800 number and terminate to a Customer-provided dedicated access line. Call charges are billed to the subscriber rather than to the originating caller. Calls are billed in six (6) second increments with a minimum call duration for billing purposes of eighteen (18) seconds. A monthly service charge per 800 number applies.

MAXIMUM USAGE CHARGES:

Mileage	Peak		Off-Peak	
	Initial Period	Add'l. Period	Initial Period	Add'l. Period
All	\$0.071	\$0.024	\$0.059	\$0.020

MAXIMUM RECURRING CHARGES:

Monthly Service Charge \$15.00

3.9 Travel Card Service

Travel Card is available to Subscribers for placing calls while away from home or office. Calls are originated by dialing a 1-800 access number, followed by the terminating telephone number and personal identification number. Calls may originate from standard residential, business, hotel or pay telephone access lines and may terminate to any interstate or intrastate location. Calls are billed in six (6) second increments with a minimum call duration for billing purposes of eighteen (18) seconds.

MAXIMUM USAGE CHARGES:

Per Minute Rate: \$0.359

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SECTION 4 - MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES AND RATES

4.1 Reserved for future use.

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SECTION 5 - PROMOTIONS**5.1 General**

From time to time the Company shall, at its option, promote subscription or stimulate network usage by offering to waive some or all of the nonrecurring or recurring charges for the Customer (if eligible) of target services for a limited duration. Such promotions shall be made available to all similarly situated Customers in the target market area.

5.2 Demonstration of Service

From time to time the Company may demonstrate service for potential Customers by providing free use of its network on a limited basis for a period of time, not to exceed one (1) month. Demonstration of service and the type and duration of service provided will be at the Company's discretion.

5.3 Comparable Pricing Promotion

CNS will, at its discretion, match certain standard or promotional offerings of other interexchange carriers or resellers in order to acquire new Customers or retain existing Customer accounts. The Customer must demonstrate to the Company's satisfaction that 1) an alternative service offering is valid and currently available from a competing interexchange carrier or reseller and 2) the Customer intends to either subscribe to or remain subscribed with the competing interexchange carrier or reseller.

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SECTION 6 - CURRENT PRICE LIST

6.1 Late Payment Fee

1.5% or the maximum allowed by law.

6.2 Return Check Charge

\$20.00

6.3 CNS One Plus Switched Service

USAGE CHARGES:

Mileage	Peak		Off-Peak	
	Initial Period	Add'l. Period	Initial Period	Add'l. Period
All	\$0.070	\$0.023	\$0.058	\$0.019

6.4 CNS One Plus Dedicated Service

USAGE CHARGES:

Mileage	Peak		Off-Peak	
	Initial Period	Add'l. Period	Initial Period	Add'l. Period
All	\$0.047	\$0.016	\$0.039	\$0.013

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