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ST. STEPHEN, SOUTH CAROLINA

GENERAL EXCHANGE TARIFFS

This tariff cancels and supersedes all previous tariffs filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina by the St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc., d/b/a TDS Telecom prior to the date this tariff is ordered to become effective by the Public Service Commission of South Carolina.

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EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

C - Signifies a changed regulation.

D - Signifies a discontinued rate, treatment or regulation.

I - Signifies an increased rate or new treatment resulting in an increase rate.

N - Signifies a new rate, treatment or regulation.

O - Signifies an obsolete rate, regulation or text.

R - Signifies a reduced rate or new treatment resulting in a reduced rate.

S - Signifies reissued tariff matter unchanged in intent.

T - Signifies a change in text, but no change in rate, treatment or regulation.

The above symbols will apply except where additional symbols are identified at the bottom of an individual page.

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DEFINITIONS OF TERMS

CONCURRENCE

St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the Definitions of Terms as set forth in Section 1 of the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

EXCEPTIONS

No Exceptions

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

CONCURRENCE

St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the General Regulations as set forth in Section 2 of the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

EXCEPTIONS

No Exceptions

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BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

CONCURRENCE

St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the Basic Local Exchange Service as set forth in Section 3 of the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

EXCEPTIONS

A. General Company Data

1. Local exchange service rates in the tariff are identified with St Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom of St. Stephen, South Carolina.
2. The Basic Service Area for the Telephone Company is from and between the exchanges of Bonneau, Pineville and St. Stephen.

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SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGES

CONCURRENCE

St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the Service Connection Charges as set forth in Section 4 of the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

EXCEPTIONS

1. Residential customers returning to St. Stephen for telephone service will receive a waiver of the installation or service connection charges. The customer must not have any outstanding balances with the Company to be eligible for the waiver

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CHARGES APPLICABLE UNDER SPECIAL CONDITIONS

CONCURRENCE

St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the Charges Applicable Under Special Conditions as set forth in Section 5 of the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

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DIRECTORY LISTINGS

CONCURRENCE

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EXCEPTIONS

A. Miscellaneous Listings

1. Temporary Listings:

A charge for an additional listing applies with a minimum charge of \$1.00 for any listing period. All charges including such additional listing charges will continue to be rendered in the name of the customer who shall continue to remain responsible for all such charges.

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SPECIAL DIAL TONE ARRANGEMENTS

CONCURRENCE

St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the Special Dial Tone Arrangements as set forth in Section 7 of the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

EXCEPTIONS

A. Virtual Telephone Network (VTN) Service

No Exceptions

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(T) St. Stephen Telephone Company concurs in the ISDN-PRI service as set forth in Section 7 of the McClellanville Telephone Company tariff.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE SERVICE⁽²⁾

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CONCURRENCE

St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the Foreign Exchange (FX) Service as set forth in Section 8 of the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

EXCEPTIONS

1. Regulations

- a. Foreign Exchange Service arrangements with Home Telephone company will be provided to contiguous exchanges only.

2. Rates

- a. Open End (Foreign Exchange)

	<u>Non Recurring Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
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FX Arrangements between the Company
and Home Telephone Company*

Foreign Exchange Dial Tone Service	(1)	(1)
Interoffice Facility - Termination	N/A	\$20.00
Interoffice Facility - Mileage, per mile	N/A	\$4.25

All Other FX Arrangements

The Company concurs with Bell South's Foreign Exchange Service offerings.

- b. Closed End (Local Exchange)

FX Arrangements between the Company
and Home Telephone Company

Local Channel Distribution, first mile	(1)	\$3.50
Local Channel Distribution, Each additional 1/4 mile	(1)	\$1.00
Interoffice Facility - Termination	N/A	\$20.00
Interoffice Facility - Mileage, per mile	N/A	\$4.25

All Other FX Arrangements

The Company will bill Closed End Foreign Exchange Service through its Special Access tariff.

(1) See applicable rates for the appropriate class of service located elsewhere in this tariff.

* See Regulation letter a above.

(2) This service is grandfathered to existing customers effective 8/21/15. The service will not be available to new customers after this date.

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OPTIONAL SERVICES

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St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the Optional Services as set forth in Section 9 of the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. TDS Telecom tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

EXCEPTIONS

A. Custom Calling Services

1. Service Descriptions

a. 6-Way Calling

This service allows a customer to call up to five parties and establish a six-way conference call. To activate this service, the customer dials an access code, dials the desired telephone number (calling party must answer), depresses the switchhook to add the calling party to the line, then depresses the switchhook again to receive a new dial tone. If the called party line is busy or there is no answer, the customer must dial a special access code to drop the line. This process needs to be repeated until all parties (up to five) have been connected to the customer's line. All 6-Way Calls are subject to transmission limitations and all applicable local and long distance charges.

b. Personal Ringing

This service allows the customer to have two distinct telephone numbers on a single line. The second number will have a distinctive ringing pattern so the customer can identify which number has been called. If a customer also subscribes to Call Waiting, each phone number will have a distinctive Call Waiting tone. If a customer also subscribes to Call Forward, the main directory number or both telephone numbers can be forwarded.

2. Rates

<u>One Service Per Line</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>		<u>Trans Code</u>	<u>Activation Code</u>	<u>Deactivation Code</u>	
	<u>Res</u>	<u>Bus</u>				
a. Call Hold	\$1.00	\$1.00	CCCH	*52	N/A	
b. 6-Way Calling	3.75	3.75	CC6W	*41	N/A	(l)
c. Personal Ringing	6.00	6.00	CPR2	N/A	N/A	
d. Speed Calling 8	1.75	2.00	CCSE	*74	N/A	(l)

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OPTIONAL SERVICES

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B. 900/976 Toll Restrictions

1. Toll Restriction for the Blocking capabilities to 900/976 numbers is provided to customers with no initial recurring or non-recurring charges. However, any subsequent requests for toll restriction for 900/976 will incur the applicable charges.
2. 900/976 Restriction is furnished only for central offices equipped to provide this service.

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MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS

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St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the Miscellaneous Service Arrangements as set forth in Section 10 of the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

EXCEPTIONS

A. Ground Start

Not available.

B. Direct Inward Dialing (DID) Service

1. Rates

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Installation Charge</u>
a. DID Facility Charge, Per Trunk	\$40.00	\$90.00
b. DID Software Translation Charge, c. Per Trunk	\$0.20	\$85.00
d. DID Number Assignment Charge (per number)	\$0.20	\$0.75

C. Relocation Forwarding Service (RFS)

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1. General

- a. Relocation Forwarding Service (RFS) is a voice service which accepts calls to special telephone numbers in ESS central offices programmed for this service and automatically forwards them to a customer's terminating premises equipment. RFS is available as an optional reversed charge toll service with calls forwarded to an exchange outside the local calling area of the call forwarding location. RFS is also available as a local remote call forwarding arrangement. On local RFS, both the call forwarding location and the terminating premises equipment location must be within the same exchange. (C)
- b. RFS service is offered subject to availability of suitable facilities. (C)

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C. Relocation Forwarding Service (RFS) (C)

1. General (continued)

- c. RFS service is not offered where the terminating station is a coin telephone. (C)
- d. RFS is provided on the condition that the Telephone Company's facilities are able to adequately handle calls to the RFS customer without interfering with or impairing any services offered by the Telephone Company. If in the opinion of the Telephone Company, the facilities are inadequate to handle the calls to the RFS customer, the customer will be required to pay for the cost of additional services and facilities. (C)
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- e. One listing in the white and yellow page directories, covering the exchange in which the call forwarding central office is located, is provided without additional charge. (C)

2. Recurring Rates

- 1. The following RFS rate is charged to the subscriber in addition to local charges specified elsewhere in the tariff. (C)

	<u>Per Month</u>	<u>Trans. Code</u>	
Relocation Forwarding Service	\$20.00	CCBRF	(C)

3 Nonrecurring Charges

Service connection charges, as stated in Section 4, are applicable.

- a. Per remote call forwarding feature arranged for service.
- b. To change the number at the call forwarding location.
- c. To change the number to which calls are forwarded at the request of the customer.
- d. To change both numbers as in b. and c. above at the same time.

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MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS

EXCEPTIONS (Continued)

C. Relocation Forwarding Service (RFS)
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4. Message Charges

The message charges applicable to remotely forwarded calls shall be comprised of two separate charges; (i) a charge for that portion of the call from the originating station to the call forwarding location, and (ii) a toll charge for that portion of the call from the call forwarding location to the terminating premises equipment. The respective charge for each such portion shall be as follows:

- a. Between the originating station and call forwarding location.

The charge between the originating station and the call forwarding telephone number location shall be the charge specified in applicable tariffs for the type of call involved chargeable to the originating station with the exception of collect toll calls, which shall be billed to the RFS customer. (C)

- b. Between the call forwarding location and the terminating premises equipment.

The RFS customer is responsible for the customer-dialed station-to-station toll charges specified in applicable tariffs. The above charge applies to all calls answered at the terminating premises equipment, including person-to-person and collect calls, even though such calls might not be accepted at the answering location. (C)

5. Minimum Contract Period

The minimum contract period for this service is two months.

D. Volume Control Equipment

Noise canceling device to cancel background noise \$0.50

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**CONNECTION WITH CERTAIN FACILITIES
AND/OR EQUIPMENT OF OTHERS**

CONCURRENCE

St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the Connection with Certain Facilities and/or Equipment of Others as set forth in Section 11 of the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

EXCEPTIONS

A. Customer Provided Terminal Equipment

Not applicable.

B. Maintenance Service Charge

Not applicable.

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PRIVATE LINE SERVICE

CONCURRENCE

St. Stephen Telephone Company hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the Private Line Service as set forth in Section 13 of the McClellanville Telephone Company's tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

EXCEPTIONS

13.3 Intra-Exchange Service

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A. Local Private Line Service

1. Regulations

a. Scope of Service

- (1) Local private lines connect two or more points within the same exchange service area for telephone communication, but are not connected to general telephone facilities, for either exchange or toll service. All station equipment and channels for local private line telephone service shall be provided by the Company.
- (2) Both two-point and multi-point service ordinarily contemplates communication between two stations only at the same time.

In connection with multi-point service, arrangements may be made to permit communication between three or more stations at the same time. Special equipment and arrangements, which may be required to furnish such service are furnished at rates and charges based upon estimated costs.

- (3) The minimum contract period for local private line telephone service is one month.

b. Allowance for Interruptions

No allowance is made for interruptions of less than twenty-four hours. For interruptions of twenty-four hours or more, credit is allowed for the proportionate part of the monthly charge in multiples of one day for each twenty-four hours or major fraction thereof, of interruption for the portion of the facilities rendered inoperative by reason of the interruption.

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EXCEPTIONS (continued)

A. Local Private Line Service (continued)

2. Channel Rates

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	
a. For the first mile or fraction thereof, airline measurement	\$5.00	
b. For each additional quarter mile or fraction thereof, airline measurement	\$0.75	
c. 4 Wire Voice Grade Private Line Service	\$49.17	(N)

NOTE: Where because of the characteristics of the customer's equipment or operation or at the request of the customer, it is necessary to provide two pairs of circuits, a charge for two local channels will apply.

3. Nonrecurring Charges

- a. For installation, move or change of each channel termination, with or without associated private line telephone set \$10.00

NOTE: For the above purpose, each local private line channel is considered to have two terminations only, except that where different buildings are involved, each building is considered to have one termination per building only.

- b. For installation, move or change of private line telephone sets, other than as covered in item a. above, each \$10.00
- c. Transfer of service and responsibility from one customer to another, or reconnection of left-in facilities without move or change, entire service \$10.00

NOTE: Above charge does not apply if transfer of service or reconnection of left-in facilities is made coincident with transfer or connection of left-in exchange service for which service connection charge applies.

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OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS

CONCURRENCE

St. Stephen Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a TDS Telecom hereby assents to, adopts and concurs in the Obsolete Service Offerings as set forth in Section 100 of the McClellanville Telephone Company, Inc. TDS Telecom tariff, on file with the South Carolina Public Service Commission and makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions therein with the exceptions listed below:

EXCEPTIONS

A. Systems Plus Service

1. Rates and Charges

- 1. Access line rates for Systems Plus exchange access lines are arranged in a Customer Service group as follows:

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
1 to 2 lines, each	\$19.30
3 to 6 lines, each	14.50
7 to 10 lines, each	10.90
11 to 19 lines, each	8.20
20 and above, each	Individual Contract Basis with Termination Agreement

B. South Carolina LATA-Wide Area Calling Plan

1. TDS Telecom Plus (TDS T+)

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
a. 7 to 10 Centrex lines, each	\$17.25
b. 11 to 19 Centrex lines, each	13.75