

INTERCONNECTION

1. Definitions

Company

MCImetro Access Transmission Services, Inc. a Delaware corporation, which is the issuer of this tariff.

Co-Provider

Any other telecommunications provider licensed by the Michigan Public Service Commission to provide basic local exchange service in Michigan.

Local Switching Center

The switching center where telephone exchange service customer station channels are terminated for purposes of interconnection to each other and to interoffice trunks.

Local Traffic

For the purposes of compensation for local traffic, calls that originate and terminate within the local calling area of the Company (as defined in MCImetro Access Transmission Services, Inc. Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 3R).

Meet Point

A point of interconnection that is not at an end office or tandem.

PLU (Percent Local Usage)

The percentage of traffic over any transport facilities that is local traffic.

POI (Point of Interconnection)

A place where the Company's and a co-provider's network physically connect for the purpose of exchanging local traffic.

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Signaling System 7 (SS7)

SS7 denotes the common channel out of band signaling protocol developed by the Consultative Committee for International Telephone and Telegraph (CCITT) and the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) protocol.

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