
SECTION 1 - DEFINITION OF TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

Acceptance and Confirmation - Written acknowledgment to Customer that an Application for Service has been accepted by Carrier.

Additional Period - Unit of time used for measuring and charging for a connection in excess of the Initial Period.

Application for Service - Customer request in the form of standard Carrier order that provides applicable service description, technical data and pertinent information that allows Carrier to design the network facilities for Customer and its Authorized Users.

Authorized User - Person, firm or corporation authorized by Customer to be connected to Customer.

Bit - Smallest unit of information in a binary system of notation.

Bits per second (Bps) - Number of bits transmitted in a one second interval.

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Channel - Electrical transmission path for two-way communications.

Commission - The Pennsylvania Public Utilities Commission.

Contract Service Arrangement – Agreement in which Carrier provides service under specific terms and conditions of this Tariff.

Customer - Company, individual, or other entity which purchases a service from Carrier and uses service, and is therefore responsible for payment of all charges due and for compliance with Carrier's Tariff regulations.

Customer Premise - Customer or user premises, including customer designated non-carrier premises.

Data - Information represented as characters in digital or analog form to which meaning can be assigned.

DS-0 - Facilities provide for the two-way transmission of isochronous bipolar serial data at a rate of 56/64 Kbps. The particular speed available is dependent on availability of facilities.

DS-1 - Facilities provide for the two-way transmission of isochronous bipolar serial data at a rate of 1.544 Mbps.

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Facility (or Facilities) - Any item or items of communications plant or equipment used to provide or to connect to specialized services.

Initial Period - Minimum unit of time for which a rate is charged for a connection between given points.

Local Access and Transport Area (LATA) - Defined geographic area within which the local telephone company may provide telephone services and/or facilities.

Main Billed Account - Customer's name, address and account number to which charges are billed.

MRC - Monthly Recurring Charge.

Network Interface - Demarcation point on Customer's premise that defines the end of Carrier's responsibility.

NRC - Non-Recurring Charge.

Service - Any or all service(s) provided by Carrier pursuant to this Tariff.

Service Period - Period from service date to customer requested end date.

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