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## SECTION 1 – GENERAL INFORMATION

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APPLYING TO COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES WITHIN

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### 1.3 Definitions

#### ACCESS LINES

A Telephone facility which permits access to and from both the Customer's premises and the telephone exchange or serving central office.

#### ADD/DROP MULTIPLEXING

A multiplexing function that allows lower level signals to be added or dropped from an Optical Carrier (OC) channel.

#### ADDITIONAL LISTING

Any listing of a name or other authorized information in connection with a Customer's telephone number in addition to that which is entitled in connection with his regular service.

#### ADVANCE PAYMENT

A payment required before the start of service.

#### AGENCY

For 911 or E911 service, the government agency(s) designated as having responsibility for the control and staffing of the emergency report center.

#### ALTERNATE ROUTING ("AR")

Allows E911 calls to be routed to a designated alternate location if (1) all E911 exchange lines to the primary PSAP (see definition of PSAP below) are busy, or (2) the primary PSAP closes down for a period (night service).

#### ANALOG

A transmission method employing a continuous (rather than a pulsed or digital) electrical signal that varies in amplitude or frequency in response to changes of sound, light, position, etc., impressed on a transducer in the sending device.

#### APARTMENTS

A building or group of buildings used primarily to provide complete residential apartments but not lodging on a day-to-day basis.

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#### APPLICANT

A person who applies for telecommunications service. Includes persons seeking reconnection of their service after Company-initiated termination.

#### APPLICATION

A request made orally or in writing for telephone service.

#### ASCII

American Standard Code for Information Interchange. An eight-level code for data transfer adopted by the American Standards Association.

#### ASYNCHRONOUS

Transmission in which each information character is individually synchronized usually by the use of start-stop elements. The gap between each character is not of a fixed length.

#### ATTENDANT

An operator of a PBX console or telephone switchboard.

#### AUTHORIZED USER

A person, corporation or other entity who is authorized by the Company's customer to utilize service provided by the Company to the customer. The customer is responsible for all charges incurred by an Authorized User.

#### AUTOMATIC LOCATION IDENTIFICATION ("ALI")

The name and address associated with the calling party's telephone number (identified by ANI as defined below) is forwarded to the PSAP for display. Additional telephones with the same number as the calling party's (secondary locations, off premises, etc.) will be identified with the address of the telephone number at the main location.

#### AUTOMATIC NUMBER IDENTIFICATION ("ANI")

A system whereby the calling party's telephone number is identified and sent forward with the call record for routing and billing purposes. E911 Service makes use of this system.

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#### AUXILIARY LINE SERVICE

Auxiliary line service is additional individual line service furnished to supplement the main individual line service of a Customer.

#### BASE RATE AREA

A specific area, within which the schedule rates for local exchange service apply without exchange line mileage or without special rates in lieu of mileage.

#### BIT

The smallest unit of information in the binary system of notation.

#### BUILDING

A structure enclosed within exterior walls or firewalls, built, erected and framed of component structural parts and designed for permanent occupancy.

#### BUSINESS SERVICE

Determination as to whether or not Customer's service should be classified as Business will be based on the character or use to be made of the service. The practice of advertising a telephone number in newspapers, business cards, or on trucks shall be a contributing, but not an exclusive factor in determining the classification of service. Service will be classified as Business service where the use is primarily or substantially of a business, professional, institutional, or otherwise occupational nature.

#### CALL INITIATION

The point in time when the exchange network facility are initially allocated for the establishment of a specific call.

#### CALL TERMINATION

The point in time when the exchange network facility allocated to a specific call is released for reuse by the network.

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#### CENTRAL OFFICE

A switching unit in a telephone system which provides service to the general public, having the necessary equipment and operating arrangements for terminating and interconnecting Customer lines and trunks or trunks only. There may be more than one central office in a building or exchange.

#### CENTRAL OFFICE AREA

The area within which the Customer's lines are connected to the central office operating unit, or units, established by the telephone Company to serve that area. More than one central office may be located in the same building.

#### CHANNEL

A path (or paths) for electrical communication between two or more stations or telephone Company offices and furnished in such a manner as the telephone Company may elect.

#### CIRCUIT

A channel used for the transmission of electrical energy in the furnishing of telephone and other communication services.

#### COLLEGE

An establishment for higher education authorized to confer degrees where lodging for the students is maintained on the premises.

#### COMMISSION

The New York State Public Service Commission.

#### COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS

Channels and other facilities which are capable of two-way communications between subscriber -provided terminal equipment or Telephone Company stations, even when not connected to exchange and message toll communications service.

#### COMPANY

TC Systems, Inc or TCG , unless otherwise clearly indicated from the context.

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#### COMPLETED CALL OR TELEPHONIC COMMUNICATION

A call, or other telephonic communication, originated by a person or mechanical/electrical device from a number to another number which is answered by a person or mechanical/electrical device. The numbers may be located any distance apart within New York; and the communication may consist of voice, data, the combination of both, or other transmission via a wire or wireless medium; and may be for any duration of time.

#### CONNECTING ARRANGEMENT

The equipment provided by the Company to accomplish the direct electrical connection of Customer-provided facilities with the facilities of the Company; or facilities of the Company with other facilities of the Company.

#### CONNECTING COMPANY

A corporation, association, partnership or individual owning or operating one or more exchanges and with which communications services are interexchanged.

#### CONSTRUCTION CHARGE

A separate nonrecurring charge made for the construction of facilities in excess of those contemplated under the rates quoted in this tariff.

#### CONTRACT

The agreement between a Customer and the Company under which service and facilities are furnished in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Tariffs.

#### COST

The cost of labor and materials, which includes appropriate amounts to cover the Company's general operating and administrative expenses.

#### CUSTOMER

The person, firm, corporation, or other entity which orders service pursuant to this Tariff and utilizes service provided under Tariff by the Company. A customer is responsible for the payment of charges and for compliance with all terms of the Company's Tariff.

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#### CUSTOMER PREMISES EQUIPMENT (CPE)

Equipment provided by the customer for use with the Company's services. CPE can include a station set, facsimile machine, key system, PBX, or other communication system.

#### DATE OF PRESENTATION

Postmark date on billing envelope.

#### DAY

Day Rates apply for any portion of a call occurring Monday through Friday during the period from 8:00 A.M. to but not including 5:00 P.M.

#### DEDICATED

A facility or equipment system or subsystem set aside for the sole use of a specific Customer.

#### DEFAULT ROUTING ("DR")

When an incoming E911 call cannot be selectively routed due to an ANI failure, garbled digits or other causes, such incoming calls are routed from the E911 Control Office to a default PSAP. Each incoming E911 facility group to the Control Office is assigned to a designated default PSAP.

#### DEMARCATIION POINT

The physical dividing point between the Company's network and the customer.

#### DIAL PULSE ("DP")

The pulse type employed by a rotary dial station set.

#### DIGITAL BIT STREAM

Synchronous flow of binary data in digital from a single Customer-provided source at a predetermined speed.

#### DIRECT INWARD DIAL ("DID")

A service attribute that routes incoming calls directly to stations, by-passing a central answer point.



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#### DIRECT OUTWARD DIAL ("DOD")

A service attribute that allows individual station users to access and dial outside numbers directly.

#### DIRECTORY LISTING

A publication in the Dominant Telephone Company's alphabetical directory of information relative to a Customer's name or other identification and telephone number.

#### DISCONNECT NOTICE

The written notice sent to a Customer following billing, notifying him that his service will be discontinued if charges are not satisfied by the date specified on the notice.

#### DROP WIRE

Wires between an open wire lead or aerial or underground cable terminal and the point of entrance to the premises in which the Customer's telephone service is located, The drop wire terminates in the protector or its equivalent.

#### DUAL TONE MULTI-FREQUENCY ("DTMF")

The pulse type employed by tone dial station sets. (Touch tone)

#### DUPLEX (CHANNELS) SERVICE

When applied to a channel service, denotes one with the capability of the simultaneous transmission, to the extent of its defined characteristics, of two messages, one in each direction.

#### END OFFICE

The term "end office" denotes the LEC switching system office or serving wire center where Customer station loops are terminated for purposes of interconnection to each other and/or to trunks.

#### ENTRANCE FACILITIES

Facilities extending from the point of entrance on private property to the premises on which service is furnished.

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#### E911 SERVICE AREA

The geographic area in which the government agency will respond to all E911 calls and dispatch appropriate emergency assistance.

#### E911 CUSTOMER

A governmental agency that is the customer of record and is responsible for all negotiations, operations and payment of bills in connection with the provision of E911 service.

#### ERROR

A discrepancy or unintentional deviation by the Company from what is correct or true. An "error", can also be an omission in records.

#### EVENING

Evening Rates apply for any portion of a call occurring Monday through Friday during the period from 5:00 P.M. to but not including 11:00 P.M.

#### EXCHANGE

A geographical area established for the administration of telephone service in a specified area, called the "Exchange Area", which usually embraces a city, town or village, and its environs. It may contain one or more central offices together with the associated plant, equipment and facilities used in furnishing communication service within that area.

#### EXCHANGE AREA

The area within which the telephone Company furnishes complete telephone service from one specific exchange at the exchange rates applicable within that area.

#### EXCHANGE SERVICE

The provision to the subscriber of access to the exchange system for the purpose of sending and receiving calls. This access is achieved through the provision of a central office line (exchange access line) between the central office and the subscriber's premises.

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#### EXTENDED AREA SERVICE (INTRALATA TOLL SERVICE)

A type of telephone service furnished under tariff provisions whereby Customers of a given exchange may complete calls to and receive messages from one or more exchanges without the application, where provided by the tariff, of long distance message telecommunications charges.

#### FACILITIES

Includes, in the aggregate or otherwise, but is not limited to, the following:

channels	lines
apparatus	devices
equipment	accessories
communications paths	systems

which are provided by the Company and utilized by it in the furnishing of telecommunications services or which are provided by a Customer and used for telecommunications purposes.

#### FINAL ACCOUNT

A customer whose service has been disconnected who has outstanding charges still owed to the Company.

#### GROUND START

Describes the signaling method between the PBX/key system interface and the Company's switch. It is the signal requesting service.

#### HANDICAPPED PERSON

A person who is legally blind, visually handicapped or physically handicapped, under the following definitions from the Federal Register (Vol. 35 #126 dated June 30, 1970).

Legally Blind - a person whose visual acuity is 20/200 or less in the better eye with correcting glasses, or whose widest diameter of visual field subtends an angular distance no greater than 20 degrees.

Visually Handicapped - a person whose visual disability, with correction and regardless of optical measurement with respect to legal blindness, are certified as unable to read normal printed material.

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#### HANDICAPPED PERSON (cont'd)

Physically Handicapped - a person who is certified by competent authority as unable to read or use ordinary printed materials as a result of physical limitation, or a person whose disabling condition causes difficulty with hand and finger coordination and use of a coin telephone.

The term "Handicapped Person", when used in connection with a person having a speech or hearing impairment which requires that they communicate over telephone facilities by means other than voice is defined below:

Hearing - a person with binaural hearing impairment of 60% or higher on the basis of the procedure developed by the American Academy of Otolaryngology (A.A.O.) as set forth in "Guide for Conservation of Hearing in Noise" 38-43, A.A.O., 1973; "guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment" 103-107, American Medical Association, 1971.

Speech - a person with 65% or higher of impairment on the basis of the procedure recommended by the American Medical Association's Committee on Rating of Mental and Physical Impairment to evaluate speech impairment as to three categories: audibility, intelligibility and functional efficiency, as set forth in "Guides to the Evaluation of Permanent Impairment" 109-III, American Medical Association, 1971.

#### HOSPITAL

An establishment for treatment of human patients by members of the medical profession where lodging for the patients is maintained on the premises.

#### HOTEL

An establishment offering lodging with or without meals to the general public on a day-to-day basis.

#### INDIVIDUAL CASE BASIS

A service arrangement in which the regulations, rates and charges are developed based on the specific circumstances of the case.

#### INTERFACE

The term "Interface" denotes that point on the premises of the Customer at which provision is made for connection of other than Company provided facilities to facilities provided by the Company.

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#### INTERFACE EQUIPMENT

Equipment provided by the Company at the interface location to accomplish the direct electrical connection of facilities provided by the Company with facilities provided by other than the Company.

#### INTERFACE JACK

A connecting device provided for use as a point of demarcation between network access service and Customer owned equipment.

#### INTEROFFICE MILEAGE

The segment of a line which extends between the central offices serving the originating and terminating points.

#### INTERRUPTION

The inability to complete calls, either incoming or outgoing or both, due to Company facilities malfunction or human errors.

#### JOINT USER

A person, firm or corporation which is designated by the Customer as a user of Local Exchange Service furnished to the Customer and to whom a portion of the charges for the services will be billed under a joint user arrangement as specified herein.

#### LATA

A Local Access and Transport Area established pursuant to the Modification of Final Judgment entered by the United States District Court for the District of Columbia in Civil Action No. 82-0192; or any other geographic area designated as a LATA in the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff FCC No 4.

#### LINK

The physical facility from the network interface on an end-user's or carrier's premises to the point of interconnection on the main distribution frame of the Company's central office.

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#### LOCAL CALL

A call which, if placed by a customer over the facilities of the Company, is not rated as a toll call.

#### LOCAL CALLING AREA

The area, consisting of one or more central office districts, within which a subscriber for access service may make telephone calls without a toll charge.

#### LOCAL TELEPHONE NUMBER PORTABILITY

The ability of end users to retain their existing telephone numbers when remaining at a location, or changing their location within the geographic area served by the initial carrier's serving central office, regardless of the LEC or CLC selected.

#### LOCAL SERVICE

Telephone exchange service within a local calling area.

#### LOOP START

Describes the signaling between the terminal equipment or PBX/key system interface and the Company's switch. It is the signal requesting service.

#### LOOPS

Segments of a line which extend from the serving central office to the originating and to the terminating point.

#### MEGABIT

One million bits.

#### MESSAGE RATE SERVICE

A type of exchange service provided at a monthly rate with an additional charge for local calling based on the usage of the local network. One completed call is equal to one message.

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#### MILEAGE

The measurement upon which charges are computed for line extensions.

#### MINIMUM CONTRACT PERIOD

The minimum length of time for which a Customer is obligated to pay for service, facilities and equipment whether or not retained by the Customer for such minimum length of time.

#### MOVE

The disconnection of existing equipment at one location and reconnection of the same equipment at a new location in the same building or in a different building on the same premises.

#### MULTI-FREQUENCY ("MF")

An inter-machine pulse-type used for signaling between telephone company switches, or between telephone company switches and PBX/key systems.

#### MULTILINE HUNT

A method of call signaling by which a call placed to one number is subsequently routed to one or more alternative numbers when the called number is busy.

#### NETWORK CONTROL SIGNALING

The transmission of signals used in the telecommunications system which perform functions such as supervision (control, status and charging signals), address signaling (e.g. dialing), calling and called number identification, audible tone signals (call progress signals indicating re-order or busy conditions, alerting) to control the operation of switching machines in the telecommunications system.

#### NETWORK CONTROL SIGNALING UNIT

The terminal equipment furnished, installed and maintained by the Telephone Company for the provision of network control signaling.

#### NODE

The location to which digital channels are routed and where access is provided to such lines and associated equipment for testing.

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#### NSF CHECK

Any negotiable instrument returned by a bank, savings institution, or other eligible institution which is returned by that institution with one of the following instructions: non sufficient funds, uncollectible funds, account closed, account frozen, no account.

#### NXX RATING POINT

The end office/wire center location designated in the Local Exchange Routing Guide as the assignment point for an NPA-NXX code.

#### OC-n

Optical Carrier-n. A SONET optical signal transmitted at rates of  $n \times 51.840$  Mbps. OC-3 = 155.52 Mbps, OC-12 = 622 Mbps.

#### PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGE SYSTEM (PBX)

An arrangement of equipment, consisting of switching apparatus with attendant's telephones, trunks to a central office and stations connected with the switching apparatus, thereby providing for telephone interconnection between these stations, and also communication with the general exchange system.

#### PERSON

A natural person, firm partnership, corporation, association, municipality, cooperative, organization, government agency, real estate trust, or other legal entity.

#### POINT OF DEMARCATION

The Point of Demarcation is a point in a Customer's circuit to which the Telephone Company is responsible for service and beyond which the Customer is responsible for service.

#### PORT

A connection to the switching network with one or more voice grade communications channels, each with a unique network address (telephone number) dedicated to the customer. A port connects a link to the public switched network.

#### PREMISES

The space occupied by a customer or authorized user in a building or buildings or contiguous property not separated by a public right of way.



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#### PUBLIC ACCESS LINE SERVICE

Service providing facilities for a customer owned coin operated telephone ("COCOT").

#### PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINT ("PSAP")

An answering location for E911 calls originating in a given area. A PSAP may be designated as primary or secondary, which refers to the order in which calls are directed for answering. Primary PSAPs respond first; secondary PSAPs receive calls on a transfer basis only and generally serve as a centralized answering location for a particular type of emergency call.

#### RATE CENTER

A geographic reference point with specific coordinates on a map used for determining mileage when calculating charges.

#### RECURRING CHARGES

The monthly charges to the Customer for services, facilities and equipment, which continues for the agreed upon duration of the service.

#### REFERRAL PERIOD

The time frame during which calls to a number which has been changed will be sent to a recording which will inform the caller of the new number.

#### REGISTERED EQUIPMENT

The term "Registered Equipment" as used in this tariff denotes equipment which complies with and has been approved within the registration provisions of Part 68 of the Federal Communications Commission's Rules and Regulation.

#### RESALE OF SERVICE

The subscription to communications service and facilities by one entity and the reoffering of communications service to others (with or without `adding value') for profit.

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#### RESIDENCE SERVICE

Service will be classified as residence service where the business use, if any, is merely incidental and where the major use is of a social or domestic nature.

#### SAME PREMISES

All space in the same building in which one subscriber has the right of occupancy, and all space in different buildings on contiguous property when occupied solely by the same subscriber. Foyers, hallways and other space for the common use of all occupants of a building are considered the premises of the operator of the building.

#### SELECTIVE ROUTING ("SR")

A feature that routes an E911 call from a Central Office to the designated primary PSAP based upon the identified number of the calling party.

#### SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGE

The nonrecurring charge a Customer is required to pay at the time of the establishment of telephone service or subsequent additions to that service.

#### SERVICE ORDER

The written request for the Company's services executed by the Customer and the Company in the format devised by the Company. The signing of a Service Order Form by the Customer and acceptance by the Company initiates the respective obligations of the parties as set forth therein and pursuant to this tariff.

#### SERVING CENTRAL OFFICE

The central office from which local service is furnished.

#### SERVING WIRE CENTER

A serving wire center denotes the wire center from which the Customer designated premises would normally obtain dial tone from the Company.

#### SHARING

An arrangement in which several users collectively use communications service and facilities provided by a carrier, with each user paying a pro-rata share of the communication related costs.

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#### STANDARD NETWORK INTERFACE

The point where Company network services or facilities terminate and the Company's responsibility for installing and maintaining such services or facilities ends.

#### STATION

Each telephone on a line and where no telephone associated with the line is provided on the same premises and in the same building, the first termination in station key equipment or a jack for use with a portable telephone.

#### SUSPENSION

Suspension of service for nonpayment is interruption of outgoing service only. Suspension of service at the subscriber's request is interruption of both incoming and outgoing service.

#### SYNCHRONOUS

Transmission in which there is a constant time interval between bits, characters or events.

#### SYNCHRONOUS OPTICAL NETWORK (SONET)

A set of International standards for fiber based transmission systems. SONET defines standard optical carrier transmission rates and utilizes a modular multiplexing signal approach based on the application of Synchronous Transport Signals.

#### TELEPHONE CALL

A voice connection between two or more telephone stations through the public switched exchange system.

#### TELEPHONE GRADE LINES

Lines furnished for voice transmission or for certain signaling purposes.

#### TERMINATION OF SERVICE

Discontinuance of both incoming and outgoing service.

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#### TOLL CALL

Any call extending beyond the local exchange of the originating caller which is rated on a toll schedule by the Company.

#### TOLL MESSAGE

A message between stations in different exchange areas and furnished under the provisions of the applicable toll tariff.

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#### STATION-TO-STATION TOLL MESSAGE

A toll message in which the user stipulates a desire for communication only with a specified telephone or switchboard.

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#### CREDIT CARD MESSAGE

A toll message in which associated charges are billed to a credit card number assigned by a telephone Company and issued to either the called or calling party.

#### TOLL RATE

The initial period charge prescribed for toll message usually based upon a minimum initial period and distance between changes.

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#### TONE DIAL SIGNALING ("TD")

An electronic signal emitted by the circuitry of Touch-Tone-type push-button dials to represent a dialed digit.

#### TOUCH CALLING

Multifrequency dialing arrangement furnished from central offices whereby calls are originated through the use of push buttons in lieu of a rotary dial.

#### TRANSMISSION FACILITIES

The facilities used to provide analog or digital voice grade signals to Customers, consisting of cable television facilities available for the Company's use and suitably equipped to provide two way voice communications.

#### TRUNK

A communication line between two switching systems. The term switching system typically includes equipment in a central office (the telephone Company) and PBXs. A tie trunk connects PBXs. Central office trunks connect a PBX to the switching system at the central office.

#### TWO WAY

A service attribute that includes DOD for outbound calls and can also be used to carry inbound calls to a central point for processing.

#### USER

A customer, joint user, or any other person authorized by a customer to use service provided under this Tariff.

#### VOICE GRADE FACILITY

A communications path between two points comprised of any form or configuration of physical plant capable of and typically used in the telecommunications industry for transmission within the frequency bandwidth of approximately 300 to 3000 Hertz.

#### WEEKEND

Weekend rates apply for any portion of a call occurring during the period from 11:00 P.M. to but not including 8:00 A.M. Sunday through Friday, all Saturday, and Sunday to but not including 5:00 P.M.

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## SECTION 1 – GENERAL INFORMATION

### 1.4 APPLICATION OF TARIFF

#### 1.4.1 Application of Tariff

This Tariff sets forth the regulations and rates applicable to services provided by TC Systems, Inc., as follows:

The furnishing of intrastate communications services by virtue of one-way and/or two-way information transmission between points within the State of New York.

Services under this Tariff may be offered and billed under the name of the Teleport Communications Group Operating Company serving the customer's location, or under the name of a subsidiary or affiliate, including but not limited to AT&T Corp. or AT&T Communications. Services may be offered singly or in bundles with services offered by Teleport Communications Group Operating Companies or their affiliates.

#### 1.4.2 Service Territory

TC Systems, Inc. will provide service in the following local calling areas:

Business Network Switched Services - These services are available for calls originating and terminating in the 212/718 area, originating and terminating in the Nassau and Suffolk County region of the 516 area, and originating and terminating in the Lower Westchester, Upper Westchester and parts of the Rockland region of the 914 area, originating and terminating in the Albany region of the 518 area, originating and terminating in the Buffalo and Rochester regions of the 716 area, and originating and terminating in the Syracuse region of the 315 area.

#### 1.4.3 Availability

Service is available where facilities permit.

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