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INTRASTATE SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION 5 - LOCAL AND OEAS TRAFFIC EXCHANGE AND TERMINATION

5.1 General

This section establishes the methodology for the exchange and termination of local and OEAS traffic for carriers that do not have an interconnection agreement with the Company.

5.2 Ordering Conditions

The Customer may order switched access through a Constructive Order, as defined herein, or through an ASR. The format and terms of the ASR will be as specified in the Industry Access Service Order Guidelines, unless otherwise specified herein.

5.3 Local and OEAS Traffic Compensation

Local and OEAS traffic exchange will be conducted under a Bill and Keep arrangement. All local traffic will be exchanged under a Meet Point Billing Arrangement which utilizes Category 92 summary usage record exchange, unless and until either the Commission or FCC requires an alternative approach for the exchange of usage information for such traffic for use by all industry participants, pursuant to which the Company and the Terminating Carriers shall recover the costs of transporting and terminating such traffic on their networks from other parties in accordance with the then applicable regulations, including to the extent practicable, any Internet Service Provider access charge exemption. This provision does not apply to access traffic, transit traffic, or wireless traffic.