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ACCESS SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION 1 - TARIFF INFORMATION (CONT'D.)

1.3 Definitions, (Cont'd.)

<u>Customer(s)</u> - Any individual, partnership association, joint stock company, trust, corporation or governmental entity which subscribes to the services offered under this tariff including Interexchange Carriers, end-users and Cable TV companies.

<u>Data-Circuit Terminating Equipment</u> - Company network channel terminating equipment that interfaces with customer- provided data terminal equipment.

<u>Data Terminal Equipment</u> - Terminals or computers that interface with the packet network or ISDN.

<u>Data Transmission (107 Type) Test Line</u> - An arrangement which provides for a connection to a signal source which provides test signals for one way testing of data and voice transmission parameters.

<u>Decibel</u> - A unit used to express relative difference in power, usually between acoustic or electric signals, equal ten times the common logarithm of the ratio of two signals.

<u>Decibel Reference Noise C-Message Weighting</u> - Noise power measurements with C-message weighting in decibels relative to power measurement with C-message weighting in decibels relative to a reference 1000 Hertz Tone of 90 db below one milliwatt.

<u>Decibel Reference Noise C-Message Referenced to 0</u> - Noise power decibel reference noise C-message weighting referred to or measured at a zero transmission level point.

<u>Dedicated Transport</u> - The use of circuits and equipment for transport by a signal customer.

<u>Department</u> - refers to the Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Energy

<u>Detail Billing</u> - The listing of each message and / or rate element for which charges to a customer are due on a bill prepared by the Company.

<u>Direct Trunk Transport</u> - Transport of switched access service, over facilities dedicated to the use of a single customer, without switching at the tandem, either between the serving wire center and the end office, or between two customer designated Company offices.

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