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NETWORK INTERCONNECTION SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION 5 - LEC SWITCHED SERVICE (CONT'D.)

5.10 Rating and Rating Schedules (Cont'd.)

5.10.2 Minutes of Use (MOU)

- A. MOU is available for one-way terminating POTS traffic for MPA, MPB, MPC, and for two-way terminating POTS' traffic for 2 Way MPA RTET and 2 Way MPB RTET. The MOU schedule is comprised of NRCs, monthly rates and usage charges. There are various rate categories which may apply to eligible and ineligible LECs under the MOU schedule.
1. For MPB arrangements provided under MOU, the LEC must elect either the usage sensitive port option or the dedicated port option.
 2. MOU Usage Rates will apply to all LEC access minutes when terminating usage is to MPA, MPB, MPC, 2 Way MPA RTET or 2 Way MPB RTET arrangements. Usage rates apply on a per access minute basis or on a per call basis.
- B. MPA, 2 Way MPA RTET, 2 Way MPB RTET
1. The per minute of use rate for eligible LECs consists of local switching, intercept and port termination described as follows.
 - a. Local Switching - Provides for the use of Telephone Company end office switching equipment. It provides local dial switching for the exchange of intraLATA POTS traffic.
 - b. Intercept - Provides for the termination of a LEC end user originated call from the Telephone Company end office to a Telephone Company intercept operator or recording at the dedicated intercept network. The operator or recording tells a caller why a call to a Telephone Company end user, as dialed, could not be completed, and if possible, provides the correct number.
 - c. Port Termination - Provides for the connection of the trunk at the end office switch or tandem switch from the point of termination.