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NETWORK INTERCONNECTION SERVICES TARIFF

SECTION 1 - TARIFF INFORMATION AND GENERAL REGULATIONS (CONT'D.)

1.2 Referencing (Cont'd.)

1.2.3 Reference to Local Exchange Carriers (LECs)

- A. Local Exchange Carrier - A facilities-based common carrier which meets the following criteria:
1. Is authorized under the Transportation Corporations Law, Public Service Law, or by the PSC to provide local exchange services as a facilities-based carrier.
 2. Provides dial tone and local exchange service under tariff within the State of New York.
 3. Provides reciprocal interconnection arrangements under tariff to all local exchange carriers upon request.
 4. Provides access to 911 and E911 services and statewide relay service.
 5. Complies with industry standards on all matters such as technical interconnection standards and billing standards.
 6. Participates in intercarrier compensation arrangements and provides data for such arrangements required according to industry standards and practices.