

LOCAL DEDICATED SERVICE

1. GENERAL

Local Dedicated Service (LDS) provides a business customer with a connection to the Company's switching network which enables the customer to:

- a. receive calls from other stations on the public switched telephone network;
- b. access the Company's local calling service;
- c. access the Company's operators and business office for service related assistance; access toll-free telecommunications service such as 800/888/877/866 NPA; and access 911 service for emergency calling; and
- d. access the service of providers of interexchange service. A customer may presubscribe to such provider's service to originate calls on a direct dialed basis or to receive toll-free number service from such provider, or may access a provider on an ad hoc basis by dialing the provider's Carrier Identification Code (1010xxx).

Local Dedicated Service is provided via digital circuits terminated at the customer's premises. Each Local Dedicated Service circuit corresponds to one or more voice-grade telephony communications channels that can be used to place or receive one call at a time.

Connection charges as described in Section 2 apply to all service on a one-time basis unless waived pursuant to this Tariff.

2. SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES

The following Local Dedicated Services are offered:

Local Dedicated Service (T1)
Local Dedicated Service (PRI)
Local Dedicated Service (DS3)

In connection with the above listed services, the Company also offers Extended Wiring, Direct Inward Dialing Number Blocks and Local Service Features as set forth in the Company's local tariff on file with the Commission.