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2. REGULATIONS (cont'd.)

- 2.5 Payment Arrangements (cont'd.)
 - 2.5.2 Billing and Collection of Charges (cont'd.)
 - 2.5.2.3 When service does not begin on the first day of the month, or end on the last day of the month, the charge for the fraction of the month in which service was furnished will be calculated on a pro rata basis. For this purpose, every month is considered to have 30 days.
 - 2.5.2.4 Billing of the Customer by the Company will begin on the Service Commencement Date, which is the first day following the date on which the Company notifies the Customer that the service or facility is available for use, except that the Service Commencement Date may be postponed by mutual agreement of the parties, or if the service or facility does not conform to standards set forth in this tariff or the Service Order. Billing accrues through and includes the day that the service, circuit, arrangement or component is discontinued.
 - 2.5.2.5 If any portion of the payment is received by the Company after the date due, or if any portion of the payment is received by the Company in funds which are not immediately available, then a late payment penalty shall be due to the Company. The late payment penalty shall be the portion of the payment not received by the date due, multiplied by a late factor. The late factor shall be the lesser of:
 - a) a rate 2 percentage points above the <u>Wall Street</u> <u>Journal</u> prime rate, as published from time to time; or
 - b) the highest interest rate which may be applied under state law for commercial transactions.