

LOCAL EXCHANGE TARIFF
NEW YORK METROPOLITAN LOCAL AND TRANSPORT AREA

A. APPLICATION OF TARIFF

This tariff contains the schedules of rates and specific regulations applicable to local exchange telephone service furnished within the New York Metropolitan Local Access and Transport Area (NY Metro LATA) comprising the City of New York and the counties of Nassau, Suffolk, Westchester, Putnam, Rockland and portions of Orange and Dutchess Counties served by the central offices listed hereinafter.

The rates, charges and rentals for classes of service and facilities not specifically shown in this tariff are given in PSC NY No. 1--COMMUNICATIONS.

Additional detail concerning telephone service provided in Zones and Exchanges outside the City of New York is found in Tariff PSC NY No. 3--COMMUNICATIONS.

1. Local Access and Transport Area (LATA)

The term "Local Access and Transport Area" denotes a geographic area established for the administration of communications service by Verizon New York Inc. It encompasses designated exchanges, including those of Independent Companies, which are grouped to serve common social, economic and other purposes.

The six LATAs, and the tariffs in which specific information is found, are:

<u>LATA</u>	<u>Tariff</u>
*New York Metropolitan (New York Metro) (132)	2/3
Poughkeepsie (133)	3
Albany (134)	3
Syracuse (136)	3
Binghamton (138)	3
Buffalo (140)	3

There are, in addition, the Rochester (974) and Fishers Island (921) Market Areas in which Verizon New York Inc. does not offer local exchange telephone service.

* The Exchanges of Byram and Greenwich in Connecticut are part of the NY Metro LATA, but are not part of the Regional Call Plan. Calls between these exchanges and other parts of the NY Metro LATA are at local and toll charges as specified in this Tariff, PSC NY No. 3--COMMUNICATIONS, State of Connecticut Tariff No. 2 and F.C.C. Tariff No. 12.