

SBC Long Distance, LLC
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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS

2.13 Timing of Calls

- 2.13.1 Unless otherwise indicated in this Tariff, on Station-to-Station calls and on Direct-Dialed calls chargeable time begins when the called station answers and the connection is established between the calling station and the called station, miscellaneous common carrier, mobile radio system, or PBX system. Answer detection is determined based on standard industry answer detection methods, including hardware and software answer detection. However, when Services are directly connected to a Customer-provided communications systems at the Customer's or End User's premises, chargeable time begins when a call terminates in, or passes through, the first Customer equipment on that Customer-provided communications system. It is the Customer's responsibility to furnish appropriate answer supervision to the point of interface with the Company's Service so that chargeable time may begin.
- 2.13.2 On Person-to-Person calls, chargeable time begins when connection is established between the calling person and the particular person or station specified or an agreed alternate.
- 2.13.3 Unless otherwise indicated in this Tariff, chargeable time ends when the calling station hangs up thereby releasing the network connection. If the called station hangs up but the calling station does not, chargeable time ends when the network connection is released either by the automatic timing equipment in the telecommunications network or by the operator.

2.14 Rate Periods

2.14.1 General

Different rates may be applicable to a call at different times of the day and on certain days of the week, as specified in the appropriate rate schedule for that call. The rate periods shown below apply. All times shown are local time at the calling station in the case of an outbound call and at the called station in case of an inbound toll free call.

2.14.2 Reserved for future use

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