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**INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE TARIFF**

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**2. GENERAL REGULATIONS**

**2.11 ACCESS ARBITRAGE**

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A. For purposes of this provision (Cont'd)

3. Using any service provided by the Company in connection with Access Arbitrage is considered an abuse and is prohibited. Access Arbitrage is a scheme or device to profit by exploiting differences between the cost of originating or terminating access (as charged to interexchange) and the pricing of 1+ and 8XX long distance service provided by the Company. Access Arbitrage includes:
  - a. Using switching equipment or a call processing system (such as a prepaid card, calling card, or teleconferencing platform) to segregate calls and systematically route to the Company calls that are characterized by a greater discrepancy between the access cost and the price charged by the Company.
  - b. Using the Company's long distance telephone services (such as Qwest Total Advantage, Qwest Connect, Virtual Network Services (product), and IPLD) as a substitute for, or to avoid, originating or terminating switched exchange access obtained from local exchange providers, for the origination or termination of domestic calls originated over the network of another carrier (through 1+ access, special access, carrier access code dial around, or otherwise);
  - c. If the Company determines through an investigation that calls originate over the network of another interexchange carrier or were routed through a call processing system such that the percentage of High Cost minutes routed to the Company using the service is more than 11.4%.
  - d. Segregating calls within another carrier's network or a call processing system to systematically route calls to the Company where the access costs exceed the price of long distance service provided by the Company.
  - e. Transporting intrastate traffic into a different state in order to cause the traffic to be rated by the Company at a lower rate than would otherwise apply.