## INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE TARIFF

## 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS

## 2.2 ESTABLISHING AND FURNISHING SERVICE (Cont'd)

## 2.2.7 PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS

- A. The Customer is responsible for payment of all charges for services furnished to the Customer and/or authorized users. This responsibility is not changed by virtue of any use, misuse, or abuse of the Customer's service or Customer-provided equipment or facilities by third parties, including, without limitation, the Customer's employees or the public.
- B. Billing will be payable upon receipt. Amounts not paid within thirty (30) days after the invoice is rendered will be considered past due. Interest at the rate of one and one-half percent (1.50%) per month (unless a lower rate is prescribed by law, in which event at the highest rate allowed by law) may accrue upon any unpaid amount commencing five (5) days after the date the payment is past due.
- C. Usage charges are billed after each usage cycle. In the event that Company's usage recording system fails or is otherwise unavailable for all or part of any billing period, the Company shall be entitled to make a reasonable estimate of Customer's usage of Services in the period in question for billing purposes.
- D. Non-recurring charges are payable when the service for which they are specified has been ordered. If an entity other than the Company (e.g., another carrier or supplier) imposes or will impose charges on the Company in connection with an ordered service those costs will also be charged to the Customer.
- E. If an entity other than the Company (e.g. another carrier or suppler) imposes charges on the Company in connection with the provision of any aspect of the Service, the Customer shall pay all such charges, either directly to the local access provider or to the Company. The Company, at its sole discretion, reserves the right to reimburse or waive such charges.
- F. All stated charges in this Tariff are computed by the Company exclusive of any federal, state, local, use, excise, gross receipts, sales or privilege taxes, duties, fees or similar liabilities. Such taxes, fees, etc. shall be paid by the Customer in addition to the rates and charges set forth herein.

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