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SECTION 3 - SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE (CONT'D.)

3.3 Rate Categories

There are four rate categories which apply to Switched Access Service:

- Common Line
- End Office Switching
- Switched Transport  
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3.3.1 Common Line

The Common Line rate category includes the charges related to the use of common lines by Customers and End Users for Intrastate access.

3.3.2 End Office Switching

The End Office Switching rate category includes the charges related to the use of end office switching the line terminations in the End Office Switch, the Signaling Transfer Point (STP) costs, and the SS7 signaling function between the end office and the STP.

3.3.3 Switched Transport

The Switched Transport rate category includes the charges related to the transmission and Tandem Switching facilities used for originating or terminating the Customer's communications.