
SECTION 2 - GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

2.14 Termination Liability

2.14.1 Facilities

The Customer will furnish the Company with forty-five (45) days prior written notice should it desire to terminate an application or contract, in whole or in part, for which the initial application or contract period is in excess of one month at the same location.

Existing customers who have not renewed their contracts prior to the effective date of this tariff will be subject to these notice requirements. New customers who sign a contract on or after the effective date are subject to these notice requirements. Upon the Customer's discontinuance of a term agreement for facilities prior to the expiration of the agreed upon term, the termination liability will be equal to the monthly charge multiplied by the number of months remaining on the contract - discounted for present value of 6%.

2.14.2 Usage

The Customer will furnish the Company with forty-five (45) days prior written notice should it desire to terminate an application or contract, in whole or in part, for which the initial application or contract period is in excess of one month at the same location. Existing customers who have not renewed their contracts prior to the effective date of this tariff will be subject to these notice requirements. New customers who sign a contract on or after the effective date are subject to these notice requirements. In the event that a customer has a term commitment for usage and disconnects service prior to the expiration of the usage term, the termination liability with respect to minutes of use charges shall be a monthly usage charge applied for the remaining months of the usage contract - discounted for present value of 6%. The monthly usage charge will be determined by calculating the average monthly usage of the first 6 months of the term. In the event that a customer disconnects within the first 6 months of their usage term, the liability usage charges will be calculated by averaging total usage dollars divided by the number of months activated.

2.14.3 Termination Liability

In the event that one or more Local Services are terminated prior to the completion of the Minimum Retention Period, a Service Termination Charge will apply. For Local Services that are terminated with less than twelve months remaining to be completed in the Minimum Retention Period for that Local Service, a Service Termination Charge equal to three months recurring charges will apply. For Local Services that are terminated with between twelve and twenty-three months remaining to be completed in the Minimum Retention Period for that Local Service, a Service Termination Charge equal to six months recurring charge will apply. For Local Services that are terminated with twenty-four or more months remaining to be completed in the Minimum Retention Period for that Local Service, a Service Termination Charge equal to nine months recurring charges will apply.