## **SECTION 2 - REGULATIONS**

## 2.11 Definitions (Cont'd)

<u>Installation Charge</u>: A nonrecurring charge made at the time of installation of communications service which may apply in place of or in addition to service charges and other applicable charges for service or equipment.

<u>Interconnection Traffic:</u> IntraLATA traffic which (a) originates on LEC's network and terminates to TCG's network or (b) originates on another LEC's network, transits LEC's network and terminates to TCG's network and is subject to the terms of the interconnection agreement executed between the parties.

<u>Interface</u>: The term "Interface" denotes that point on the premises of the Customer at which provision is made for connection of other than Company provided facilities to facilities provided by the Company.

<u>Interface Equipment</u>: Equipment provided by the Company at the interface location to accomplish the direct electrical connection of facilities provided by the Company with facilities provided by other than the Company.

<u>Joint User</u>: A person, firm or corporation which is designated by the Customer as a user of TCG Service furnished to the Customer and to whom a portion of the charges for the service will be billed under a joint user arrangement as specified herein.

Kbps: Kilobits per second, denotes thousands of bits per second.

<u>LATA</u>: A Local Access and Transport Area established pursuant to the Modification of Final Judgment entered by the United States District Court for the District of Columbia in Civil Action No. 82-0192; or any other geographic area designated as a LATA in the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff F.C.C. No. 4.

<u>Local Telephone Company</u>: A company authorized by the Commission to provide local exchange services in New York State.

Local Exchange Carrier ("LEC"): A local exchange carrier as that term is defined at 47 U.S.C. §153 (26).

<u>Maintenance Visit Charge</u>: A charge applied when the location of reported trouble is found to be in Customer-provided equipment.

Mbps: Megabits per second, denotes millions of bits per second.

<u>Minimum Contract Period</u>: The minimum length of time for which a Customer is obligated to pay for service, facilities and equipment whether or not retained by the Customer for such minimum length of time.