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## **SECTION 2-GENERAL REGULATIONS**

## 2.8 PAYMENTS AND TERMINATION OF SERVICE (Cont'd)

## 2.8.3 PAYMENTS AND DEPOSITS IN CONNECTION WITH ELECTION SERVICE

- (a) Any Applicant or Subscriber who is furnished facilities or service for use in connection with a federal, state or local election campaign for political office or in connection with a question, proposition or any other matter which is on an election ballot (Election Service) shall be required to deposit a sum equal to the total of the estimated charges for two months for the facilities or service; provided, however, that when the facilities or service are to be furnished for a period of less than two months, the Subscriber shall be required to deposit a sum equal to the estimated charges for such facilities or service for such period.
- (b) In any case where the deposit is determined to be insufficient, the Company shall forthwith give written notice to the Subscriber of the additional amount of deposit required and of its intention to suspend or terminate service in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph I.4. of this Section if such additional amount of deposit is not received by the date specified in the notice.
- (c) Any Applicant or Subscriber who is furnished facilities or service for use in connection with Election Service shall be required to sign a written application for Election Service which shall identify the Applicant or Subscriber and which shall expressly state that the person or persons signing the application will be liable for payment of all charges and that the person or persons signing the application understands that the Company will discontinue service under the provisions of Paragraph I.4. of this Section, if any amount due, or any deposit requested, is not paid.
- (d) Except as provided in Paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) above, all other regulations for deposits set forth in Paragraph 2.8.2 apply.

## 2.8.4 RESPONSIBILITY FOR MESSAGE CHARGES

The Subscriber is responsible for all messages sent over the Subscriber's line and for all messages charged to the Subscriber's line where the Subscriber, or any person answering the Subscriber's line, agrees to accept such charge.

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