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## **SECTION 2 - GENERAL REGULATIONS**

## 2.9 DEFINITIONS (Cont'd)

<u>Interstate Communications</u> - a term that describes communications between and among individual states. It includes both interstate and foreign communications.

<u>Intrastate Communications</u> - a term which describes communications which take place within a state's boundaries and which are not terminated in a switch permitting interstate communications.

<u>Local Access and Transport Area</u> - a geographic area established for the provision and administration of communications service. It encompasses one or more designated exchanges which are grouped to serve common social, economic and other purposes.

<u>Local Channel</u> - a private line channel furnished under Tariff P.S.C. No. 26 that connects an AT&T central office to a Customer's premises.

<u>Multifrequency Pulsing</u> - An inband interoffice address signaling method in which ten decimal digits and five auxiliary signals are each represented by selecting two frequencies out of a group consisting of: 700, 900, 1100, 1300, 1500, and 1700 Hz.

<u>Multipoint</u> - a private line service directly connecting three or more AT&T central offices.

<u>Network Interface</u> - The point of demarcation on the end user's premises at which the access supplier's responsibility for the provision of access ends

<u>Office Connections</u> - provide the physical connection, at an AT&T central office, of access, an office function(s) or an IOC.

Office Function - a private line service component located and furnished at an AT&T central office to perform channel derivation, switching, conversion or transfer functions.

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