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SECTION 2 - GENERAL REGULATIONS

2.7 CONNECTIONS (Cont'd)

2.7.4 Connection to a Customer-Provided Communications System or to Service(s) Provided by Others

Any system or service connected to CUSTOM NETWORK SERVICES offerings must be operated and maintained so it will work satisfactorily with CUSTOM NETWORK SERVICES. Connections to CUSTOM NETWORK SERVICES will be made in accordance with the following:

A. Answer Supervision

Answer supervision must be provided when a CUSTOM NETWORK SERVICE offering is connected to switching equipment or a Customer-provided communications system which is not subject to Part 68 of the FCC Rules and Regulations, 47 C.F.R. Part 68. In such cases, the equipment or system must provide answer supervision so that the measure of chargeable time begins upon the delivery of the CUSTOM NETWORK SERVICE call to the switching equipment or to the equipment connected to the communications system and ends upon termination of the call by the calling party.

B. Minimum Protection Criteria

The connection at the station used for CUSTOM NETWORK SERVICES must be made so that it continually complies with the specified Minimum Protection Criteria, Section 2.7.5 of this tariff.

C. Customer-Provided Communications System Failures

When a Customer-provided communications system fails and the connection to CUSTOM NETWORK SERVICES is not through switching equipment, the Customer-provided communications system must be arranged to promptly return the CUSTOM NETWORK SERVICES to an idle (on-hook) state. In addition, the Customer must notify the Company when the Customer-provided communications system fails.

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