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**SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS, (Cont'd.)**

**Collect Call** - A billing arrangement by which the charges for a call may be billed to the called party, provided the called party agrees to accept the charges.

**Commission** - New York Public Service Commission.

**Company** - Verizon Long Distance LLC unless stated otherwise.

**Consumer** - A person who is not a Customer initiating any telephone calls using operator services.

**Customer** - Any person, firm, partnership, corporation or other entity which subscribes to or uses service under the terms and conditions of this tariff. The Customer is responsible for the payment of charges for service offered by the Company which are subscribed to or used by the Customer. The Customer is also responsible for payment of charges for a third person's use of service to which the Customer subscribes.

**Dedicated Access** - A dedicated communications channel that terminates on a switch facility provided by the Company.

**Equal Access** - The ability of the Company to serve Customers on a presubscribed basis rather than through the use of dial access codes such as, 1016963.

**Initial And Additional Period** - The Initial Period denotes the interval of time allowed for a service at the rate specified for a connection between given service points. The Additional Period denotes the interval of time used for measuring and charging for time in excess of the Initial Period.

**ISDN** - Integrated Services Digital Network

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**LATA** - Local access and transport area. A geographic area established by the US District Court for the District of Columbia in Civil Action No. 82-0192.

**LEC** - Local Exchange Company.