## 4. Message Toll Telephone Two-Point Service4.4 Application of Rates and Charges

4.4.1	Time Periods
Α.	Where rates or discounts are applied on a time period basis, the following definitions apply. The following periods apply for all toll messages including basic coin access line sent-paid, operator assisted, and person-to-person.
1.	Day Rates— Apply from 8AM to but not including 5PM, Monday through Friday.
2.	Evening Rates— Apply from 5PM to but not including 11PM, Sunday through Friday.
3.	Night Rates— Apply as follows.
a.	From 11PM to but not including 8AM, all days.
b.	From 8AM to but not including 11PM, Saturday.
c.	From 8AM to but not including 5PM, Sunday.
4.	<b>Holiday Rates</b> — On Christmas Day (December 25), on New Year's Day (January 1), on Independence Day (July 4), on Labor Day (i.e., the first Monday in September) and on Thanksgiving (the fourth Thursday in November) and on resulting legal holidays when Christmas, New Year's Day or Independence Day legal holidays fall on dates other than December 25, January 1 or July 4, the holiday rate applicable is the evening rate unless a lower rate would normally apply.
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4.4.2	Rating Periods
Α.	Business Message Toll Rates
1.	<b>Initial Period</b> — The interval of time allowed at the rate quoted for toll connections between given points. Initial period rates apply per one minute or fraction thereof.
2.	<b>Overtime Period</b> — The unit of time used for measuring and charging for time in excess of the initial period. Overtime period rates apply for each additional minute or fraction thereof.
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4.4.3	Basic Message Toll Schedule
Α.	Residence and business period rates are applicable between intraLATA points in New York state.
1.	The business initial and overtime period rates for day, evening, and night apply (by rate step) for dial type telephone communication and for non-coin and coin operator handled telephone communication station-to-station and person-to-person calls.
2.	Residence per minute (or fraction thereof) rates apply (by rate step) for day, evening, and night periods for non-coin and coin operator handled telephone communication station-to-station and person-to-person calls.