

BELLSOUTH LONG DISTANCE, INC.
d/b/a AT&T Long Distance Service
N.Y. DPS Tariff No. 4 - Telephone
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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS

2.3 Liabilities Of Company

- 2.3.1 The Company's liability for damages arising from any failure of service shall not exceed an amount equivalent to the proportionate charge to the Customer for the period during which the failure occurs.
- 2.3.2 The Company shall not be liable for any claim or loss not directly caused by negligence of the Company.
- 2.3.3 The Company is not liable for any act or omission of any other company or companies furnishing a portion of the facilities, equipment or services used in connection with the services provided by the Company.
- 2.3.4 The Company shall not be liable for the use or abuse of a Customer's service by any party including, but not limited to, the Customer's employees or members of the public. "Use or abuse" includes, but is not limited to, any calls placed by means of a PBX re-origination or other legal or illegal equipment, service or device. The Company shall not be liable for any action, such as blocking or refusal to accept certain calls, that it deems necessary to take in order to prevent unlawful use of its services. Compensation for any injury the Customer may suffer due to the fault of parties other than the Company must be sought from such other parties.
- 2.3.5 Acceptance by the Commission of the liability provisions contained in this tariff does not constitute its determination that the limitation of liability imposed by the Company should be upheld in a court of law, but the recognition that, as it is the duty of the courts to adjudicate negligence claims and rights to recover damages therefore, so it is the duty of the courts to determine the validity of the exculpatory provisions of this tariff.

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