

PSC NY Tariff No. 5 – Telephone  
PAETEC Communications, Inc.  
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### SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES

#### 3.1 General

Carrier provides interexchange telecommunications services, including direct-dialed message telecommunications services and 800/888/877 service. Calls are rated based on the duration of the call. Services are available twenty-four (24) hours a day, seven (7) days a week. Carrier does not charge for service on a mileage basis.

#### 3.2 Charges Based on Duration of Use

Where charges for a service are specified based on the duration of use, such as the duration of a telephone call, the following rules apply:

- 3.2.1 Calls are measured in durational increments identified for each service. All calls which are fractions of a measurement increment are rounded up to the next whole unit.
- 3.2.2 Timing on completed calls begins when the call is answered by the called party. Answering is determined by hardware answer supervision in all cases where this signaling is provided by the terminating local carrier and any intermediate carrier(s).
- 3.2.3 Timing terminates on all calls when the calling party hangs up or the Company's network receives an on-hook signal from the terminating carrier.
- 3.2.4 Calls originating in one time period and terminating in another will be billed in proportion to the rates in effect during different segments of the call.
- 3.2.5 All times refer to local times.
- 3.2.6 Rates are not distance sensitive. As such, unless otherwise indicated, mileage bands are not applicable to the services offered.
- 3.2.7 Unless otherwise indicated, rates do not vary depending upon day or the time of day (Day, Evening, and Night/Weekend).

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