

P.S.C. No. 2 - Telephone

New York State Telecommunications Association, Inc.

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SPECIAL EQUIPMENT, SERVICES, AND PROGRAMS

A. LIFELINE TELEPHONE SERVICE

1. Lifeline Telephone Service Options

a. Description

1. Lifeline Discounted Service

This service provides a 100 percent reduction of the Federal Subscriber Line Charge and a \$1.75 reduction in the monthly rate for local exchange telephone service for residential customers. Qualified customers may choose any type or grade of local telephone service, which is normally offered by the Company. The federal reduction is calculated from the Federal Subscriber Line Charge and is revised each time the Federal Subscriber Line Charge is revised by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC).

2. Basic Lifeline Service

This is a message rate service that provides for a \$1 monthly rate for exchange access and no monthly allowance for local calls. In addition to the \$1 monthly rate, customers will pay a message rate (as listed in the concurring Company's tariff, Section 3, Group 9) for each call made within their local calling area. These calls are un-timed and billed on a per message basis. A ten percent discount applies to the first \$5 of direct-dialed usage. In addition, this service offers a 100% waiver of the Federal Subscriber Line Charge.

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