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SBC Telecom, Inc. Revision: 0

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(J) Any delay or failure of performance or equipment due to causes beyond the Company's control, including but not limited to: acts of God, fire, flood, explosion or other catastrophes; any law, order, regulation, direction, action or request of the United States Government, or of any other government, including state and local governments having or claiming jurisdiction over the Company, or of any department, agency, commission, bureau, corporation, or other instrumentality of any one or more of these federal, state, or local governments, or of any civil or military authority; national emergencies; insurrection; riots; wars; unavailability of rights-of-way or materials; or strikes, lock-outs, work stoppages, or other labor difficulties; or

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- (K) Failure to disclose the lawful rates and charges published in this Tariff, so long as the Company has complied with any applicable N.Y.P.S.C. rules and regulations related thereto; or
- (L) Fees the Company delivered to a jurisdiction in question and not returned to the Company as provided in the Taxes, Surcharges, and Fees section of this Tariff; or