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## **SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (Cont'd)**

## 2.3 Obligations of the Customer (Cont'd)

2.3.4 Identification and Rating of VoIP-PSTN Traffic

## A. Scope

- 1. VoIP-PSTN traffic is defined as traffic exchanged over the public switched telephone network ("PSTN") facilities that originates and/or terminates in Internet protocol ("IP") format. This section governs the identification of toll VoIP-PSTN ("toll VoIP") traffic that in the absence of an interconnection agreement will be subject to interstate switched access rates in accordance with the Federal Communications Commission Report and Order in WC Docket Nos. 10-90, etc., FCC No. 11-161 (released Nov. 18, 2011) ("FCC Order"), as it may hereinafter be amended or clarified. Specifically, this section establishes the method of distinguishing toll VoIP traffic from the Customer's total intrastate access traffic, so that toll VoIP traffic will be billed in accordance with the FCC Order.
- 2. This section will be applied to the billing of switched access charges to a Customer that is a local exchange carrier only to the extent that the Customer has also implemented billing of interstate access charges for VoIP-PSTN Traffic in accordance with the FCC Order.

## B. Rating of toll VoIP-PSTN Traffic

The Telephone Company will bill toll VoIP-PSTN traffic which it identifies in accordance with this tariff section at rates equal to the Telephone Company's applicable tariffed interstate switched access rates.

C. Calculation and Application of Percent-VoIP-Usage Factor

On April 25, 2012 the FCC released its Second Order of Reconsideration in WC Docket No. 10-90, etc., FCC Release No. 12-47 ("Reconsideration Order") which affected the compensation of originating VoIP-PSTN traffic. In compliance with the Reconsideration Order, applicable interstate access rates will apply to originating VoIP-PSTN traffic for the period of December 29, 2011 through July 12, 2012. Beginning July 13, 2012 through June 30, 2014 originating VoIP-PSTN traffic will be rated at the applicable intrastate access rates. Effective July 1, 2014 originating VOIP-PSTN traffic will be rated at interstate access rates.

The Telephone Company will determine the number of toll VoIP traffic minutes of use ("MOU") to which it will apply its interstate rates under subsection B., above, by applying an originating Percent VoIP Usage ("OPVU") factor to the total intrastate access MOU originated by a Telephone Company end user and delivered to the Customer and by applying a terminating PVU ("TPVU") factor to the total intrastate access MOU terminated by a Customer to the Telephone Company's end user. The OPVU and TPVU will be derived and applied as follows: