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GENERAL TARIFF

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

C. <u>CONNECTIONS OF CUSTOMER-PROVIDED TERMINAL EQUIPMENT AND COMMUNICATIONS</u> <u>SYSTEMS</u> (Cont'd)

- 1. General Provisions
 - a. General

Terminal equipment* and communications systems provided by the customer may be connected at the customer's premises to telecommunications services furnished by the Company where such connections are made in accordance with the provisions of this Paragraph C Telecommunications services, as used herein, include exchange service, Long Distance Message Telecommunications Service (LDMTS) and Wide Area Telecommunications Service (WATS).

- b. Responsibility of the Customer
 - (1) The customer shall be responsible for the installation, operation and maintenance of any Customer-provided terminal equipment or communications system or wiring not maintained by the Company. No combinations of Customer-provided terminal equipment or communications systems or wiring shall require change in or alteration of the equipment or services of the Company, (unless that change or alteration is specifically permitted under the provisions of Paragraph C.6. of this Section), cause electrical hazards to the Company personnel, damage to Company equipment, malfunction of the Company billing equipment, or degradation of service to persons other than the user of the subject terminal equipment or communications systems. Upon notice from the Company that a Customer-provided terminal equipment or degradation of service, the Customer shall make such changes as shall be necessary to remove or prevent such hazard, damage, malfunction or degradation of service.

(2)

For Rates and Charges, see Section 14.7 of this Tariff.

 Connections to Customer-owned Coin Operated Telephones are subject to Regulations set forth in Section 3 of this Tariff.

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