## SECTION 4. RATES (Cont'd.)

### 4.45 Excel Prime Business Select 4A Service

Excel Prime Business Select 4A Service is a combined inbound, outbound and calling card service offered to business Customers. Customers are billed at per minute rates based on Combined Monthly Usage volumes, and discounted rates are applied based upon the Customer's billed monthly usage. Combined Monthly Usage is defined as the Customer's billed usage for a monthly billing period for the combined total of interstate, intrastate, international and service calling card usage for a month billing period. Directory Assistance charges, monthly recurring charges, service fees, surcharges and taxes are not included in the determination of the Customer's Combined Monthly Usage.

Customers to this service offering commit to Combined Monthly Usage of $\$ 100.00$, hereinafter referred to as the $\$ 100.00$ Monthly Minimum Commitment. In the event Customer does not meet the $\$ 100.00$ Monthly Minimum Commitment during any monthly invoice period, the Customer will be responsible for paying a deficiency charge for that invoice period. The Customer's deficiency charge will be the difference between the Customer's $\$ 100.00$ Monthly Minimum Commitment and the Customer's actual Combined Monthly Usage.

Customers subscribing to this service must commit to a term of 12 months. A service term begins on the first day of the month following service enrollment. When the Customer's 12month service term expires, the Customer's service will automatically renew for another 12month period, unless the Company receives in writing a notice of non-renewal during the period between 60 and 30 days prior to the end of the Customer's 12 -month term period.

In the event a Customer terminates service with the Company prior to the end of the 12 -month Term Commitment Period, or in the event that the Company terminates service based on the Customer's default, the Customer will be responsible for paying a Termination Charge equal to the Customer's $\$ 100.00$ Monthly Minimum Commitment, multiplied by the number of months remaining in the Customer's agreed 12 -month Term Commitment period.

