

CenturyLink Communications, LLC
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Interexchange Services
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2. GENERAL REGULATIONS

2.2 ESTABLISHING AND FURNISHING SERVICE

2.2.2 OBLIGATION TO FURNISH SERVICE (Cont'd)

N. Access Arbitrage, for purposes of this provision:

1. "High Cost Minutes" are minutes of use that originate or terminate at numbers for which the customer's switched exchange access per minute rate is equal to or exceeds \$0.0250.
2. The originating or terminating switched exchange access per minute rate charged to the Company will be the sum of the per minute charges imposed by the originating or terminating Local Exchange Carrier, plus the prorated portion of all other charges imposed by the originating or terminating Local Exchange Carrier for originating or terminating switched exchange access, expressed on a cost per minute basis.
3. Using any service provided by the Company in connection with Access Arbitrage is considered an abuse and is prohibited. Access Arbitrage is a scheme or device to profit by exploiting differences between the cost of originating or terminating access (as charged to interexchange) and the pricing of 1+ and 8XX long distance service provided by the Company. Access Arbitrage includes:
 - a. Using switching equipment or a call processing system (such as a prepaid card, calling card, or teleconferencing platform) to segregate calls and systematically route to the Company calls that are characterized by a greater discrepancy between the access cost and the price charged by the Company.
 - b. Using the Company's long distance telephone services (such as CenturyLink Total Advantage, CenturyLink Connect, Virtual Network Services (product), and IPLD) as a substitute for, or to avoid, originating or terminating switched exchange access obtained from local exchange providers, for the origination or termination of domestic calls originated over the network of another carrier (through 1+ access, special access, carrier access code dial around, or otherwise);
 - c. If the Company determines through an investigation that calls originate over the network of another interexchange carrier or were routed through a call processing system such that the percentage of High Cost minutes routed to the Company using the service is more than 11.4%.

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