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equipment and Facilities. The magnitude and character of the voltages and currents impressed on Company-provided equipment and wiring by the connection, operation, or maintenance of such equipment and wiring shall be such as not to cause damage to the Company-provided equipment and wiring or injury to the Company's employees or to other persons. Any additional protective equipment required to prevent such damage or injury shall be provided by the Company at the Customer's expense, subject to prior Customer approval of the equipment expense.

#### 2.26.3 Interconnection of Facilities

**SECTION 2.26.3 IS AVAILABLE ONLY TO CARRIERS THAT ARE CERTIFIED BY THE NEW YORK PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TO PROVIDE LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICES.**

(A) Local Traffic Exchange provides the ability for another Local Exchange Provider to terminate local traffic on the Company's network. In order to qualify for Local Traffic Exchange the call must: (a) be originated by an End User of a company that is authorized by the New York Public Service Commission to provide Local Exchange Service; (b) originate and terminate within a local calling area of the Company.

(B) Any special interface equipment necessary to achieve compatibility between the Facilities and equipment of the Company used for furnishing Communications Services and the channels, Facilities, or equipment of others shall be provided at the Customer's expense.

(C) Communications Services may be connected to the Services or Facilities of other communications carriers only when authorized by, and in accordance with, the terms and conditions of the Tariffs of the other communications carriers that are applicable to such connections.

(D) Facilities furnished under this Tariff may be connected to Customer provided Terminal Equipment in accordance with the provisions of this Tariff. All such Terminal Equipment shall be registered by the Federal Communications Commission pursuant to Part 68 of Title 47, Code of Federal Regulations; and all user-provided wiring shall be installed and maintained in compliance with those regulations.

#### 2.26.4 Inspections

(A) Upon suitable notification to the Customer, and at a reasonable time, the Company may make such tests and inspections as may be necessary to determine that the Customer is complying with the requirements set forth in Section

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