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**d/b/a Birch**  
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LOCAL AND INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES

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SECTION 5 – LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE (CONT'D.)

5.4 Cleartel Services (Cont'd.)

5.4.3 Payphone Service Provider (PSP) Services (Cont'd.)

2. Rules and Regulations (Cont'd.)

U. Violations of Regulations

1. Where any PSP telephone is used and/or connected in violation of this tariff, the Company will promptly notify the customer of the violation.
2. Violations of the tariff, Commission rules pertaining to public telephone service or certification requirements will subject subscribers of service to suspension and/or termination of service consistent with Section 2.6.1 of this tariff.

V. Service Features

Zone Sensitive Rate for PSP

Central Office Blocking with Operator Screening for Flat Rate Service. Subscribers to this service are required to take one of the following options where facilities are available to provide such service.

1. Two-Way Service:

- a. Provides central office blocking of 011+ calls. Provides screening information to the operator to prevent operator assisted sent-paid calls from being billed to the line.
- b. Provides central office blocking of 7 digit local, 1+DDD, 1+ 900 and 011+ calls. Provides screening information to the operator to prevent operator assisted sent-paid calls from being billed to the line.
- c. Provides central office blocking of 1+DDD, 1+900 and 011+ calls. Provides screening information to the operator to prevent operator assisted sent-paid calls from being billed to the line.

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