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ACCESS SERVICE

5. RATES AND CHARGES

5.1 General

This section contains the specific regulations governing the rates and charges that apply for Switched Access Services:

There are three types of rates and charges that apply to Switched Access Service:

Non-Recurring Charges: One-time charges that apply for a specific work activity.
Recurring Charges: Fixed charges apply each month and depend on the number and type of facilities in place.

Usage Charges: Charges that are applied on a per access minute basis. Usage rates are accumulated over a monthly period.

Notwithstanding the maximum rate levels shown in this tariff, total combined charges for intrastate switched rates, on an average per-minute of use basis, including switching, transport and carrier common line (CCL), cannot exceed the average rate per-minute realized by the largest carrier in the LATA, without a showing that higher rates are cost-based and in the public interest, pursuant to the Commission's Order in Cases 94-C-0095 and 28425 (Opinion 98-10, issued and effective June 2, 1998).

5.2 Rate Categories

5.2.1 There are several rate categories which apply to Switched Access Service:

- Carrier Switched Access Originating
- Carrier Switched Access Terminating
- Toll-Free 8XX Data Base Access Service

The Company provides originating and terminating switched access service through a single blended rate based on aggregate traffic volumes from the following cost categories:

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