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3.0 General Rules and Regulations (Cont'd)

3.4 Equipment

3.4.1 <u>Inspection, Testing, and Adjustment</u>

Company may, upon reasonable notice, make such tests and inspections as may be necessary to determine whether the requirements of this tariff are being complied with in the installation, operation, or maintenance of the Customer's equipment. Company may interrupt the service at any time, without penalty to itself, unless interruption exceeds twenty-four (24) hours.

3.4.2 Interference and Hazard

The operating characteristics of Customer premises equipment or communications systems connected to Company's services must not interfere with, or impair, any of the services offered by Company. Additionally, connected Customer premises equipment must not endanger the safety of Company employees or the public, damage or interfere with the proper functioning of Company's equipment, or otherwise injure the public in its use of Company's services.

3.4.3 Maintenance and Repair

A. <u>Customer Liability</u>

The Customer shall be responsible for damages to Company's facilities used in the provision of regulated services caused by the negligence or willful act of the Customer or those using Company's service through the Customer. The Customer may not physically modify or intrude upon, rearrange, disconnect, remove, or attempt to repair any of Company's facilities except upon written consent of Company.