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GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

F. LIABILITY (Cont'd)

2. Liability of Company for Service Interruptions, Errors, etc. (Cont'd)

f. Use of lines of other companies

When the lines of other companies are used in establishing connection to points not reached by the Company's lines or for connection to a port or ports offered in Section 12 of this Tariff, the Company is not liable for any act or omission of the other company or companies and their agents, servants or employees.

g. Indemnification by subscriber

The subscriber indemnifies against (i.e., promises to reimburse the Company for any amounts the Company must pay as the result of), and saves the Company harmless against, claims for libel, slander, or infringement of copyright arising from the material transmitted over its facilities; against claims for infringement of patents arising from combining with, or using in connection with, facilities of the Company, equipment and systems of the subscriber; and against all other claims, including but not limited to injuries to persons or property from voltages or currents, arising out of any act or omission of the subscriber or interconnector in connection with facilities provided by the Company, the interconnector, or the subscriber.

h. Subscriber-provided equipment

The services and facilities furnished by the Company, in addition to the limitations set forth in Paragraph F.2.a. through g. preceding, also are subject to the following limitation: the Company shall not be liable for damage arising out of mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, errors or defects in transmission or other injury, including but not limited to injuries to persons or property from voltages or currents transmitted over the facilities of the Company, (1) caused by subscriber-provided equipment, power or premises wire, or (2) which would not have occurred if Company-provided terminal equipment or premises wire had been used.

i. Directory errors

In the absence of gross negligence or willful misconduct and except for the allowances stated hereinafter in Paragraphs F.2.i. (1), (2), and (3), no liability for damages arising from errors or mistakes in or omissions of directory listings, or errors or mistakes in or omissions of listings obtainable from the directory assistance operator, including errors in the reporting thereof, shall attach to the Company.

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