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SECTION 2 - CONNECTION CHARGES

2.1 INSTALLATION CHARGE

The Company may choose to waive installation charges for contract terms of 3 years or more. Customer install charges will be based on the Company's direct cost to install facilities at customer premise. This will be billed at 4% over Companies cost

2.2 MOVES, ADDS AND CHANGES

The Company may choose to waive Moves add, and changes costs for contract terms of 3 years or more. Customer charges will be based on the Company's direct cost. This will be billed at 4% over Companies cost

2.3 CHARGES ASSOCIATED WITH PREMISES VISIT

2.3.1 Trouble Isolation Charge

Billed at \$50 per hr or 4% over Companies costs whichever is the lesser amount for trouble calls found not to be the responsibility of the Company

2.3.2 Customer owned, Wire Maintenance and Installation

Billed at \$50 per hr or 4% over Companies costs whichever is the lesser amount for work performed at the request of the Customer on Customer premise Southern Tier Network, Inc. P.S.C. No. 1 Effective Date: August 15, 2011

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2.4 CARRIER RATES:

Carrier customers who will use lease fiber to resell data and telecommunications services to business entities will have the option of leasing fiber by the fiber mile as identified in 2.4.1 or by the Ring Access method found in 2.4.2.

2.4.1 CHARGES PER FIBER MILE:

| Mileage | Monthly Recurring charges per fiber mile leased | | Monthly Maintenance fee per fiber mile | |
|-----------|--|------|---|--------|
| | Max | Min | Max | Min |
| 0-100 | \$50 | \$10 | \$2.50 | \$0.50 |
| 101 - 300 | \$50 | \$10 | \$2.50 | \$0.50 |
| 301 - 450 | \$50 | \$10 | \$2.50 | \$0.50 |
| over 450 | \$50 | \$10 | \$2.50 | \$0.50 |

Mileage = Based on the total accumulative miles of fiber leased by the Customer. Two fibers leased for 10 miles = 20 miles leased.

Charges per fiber mile include monthly recurring charges per fiber mile leased plus the monthly maintenance fee per fiber mile leased.

2.4.2 CHARGES PER RING ACCESS:

| Access | Monthly Recurring Charge | | Monthly Maintenance Fee | |
|--------------|--------------------------|------|-------------------------|--------|
| | Max | Min | Max | Min |
| Ring Access | \$4,000 | \$50 | \$200.00 | \$2.50 |
| Egress Point | \$1,000 | \$50 | \$50.00 | \$2.50 |

The monthly Ring Access Charge provides the Carrier with a lease of 2 fibers throughout the STN network.

The monthly Ring Egress Charge provides the Carrier with an access point onto or off of the STN network.

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2.5 ENTERPRISE RATES:

Enterprise customers are business and organizations who wish to interconnect their own facilities in a point to point manner.

| Access | Monthly Recurring Charge | | Monthly Maintenance Fee | |
|--------------|--------------------------|------|-------------------------|--------|
| | Max | Min | Max | Min |
| Location Fee | \$1,000 | \$50 | \$50.00 | \$2.50 |

Business Customers will pay a monthly recurring fee per site for a connection to the fiber optic backbone; a monthly maintenance fee will be applied to the Customer Bill.