

General Exchange Tariff
Section 17
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RULES AND REGULATIONS APPLYING TO ALL CUSTOMERS' CONTRACTS

17.10 TERMINATION OF CONTRACTS-(Continued)

17.10.5 General Provisions-(Continued)

- B. The service is furnished subject to the condition that it not be used for an unlawful purpose. Service will not be furnished if any law enforcement agency, acting within its jurisdiction, advises that such service is being used or will be used in violation of law or if the Telephone Company receives other evidence convincing to it that such service is being or will be so used.
- C. Abandonment of equipment or service by a customer is regarded by the Telephone Company as a voluntary termination of the contract.
- D. If it is deemed necessary by the Telephone Company, in compliance with Paragraphs 17.4.2, A. and/or B., customers may be required to provide security satisfactory to the Telephone Company in the amount sufficient to guarantee payment of the termination charge. If a cash deposit is made, simple interest at the rate of nine (9) percent per annum will be paid on deposits held thirty (30) days or more.

17.11 SPECIAL TAXES, FEES AND CHARGES

There shall be added to the customer's bill or charge, as a part of the rate for service, a surcharge equal to the pro rata share of any franchise, occupation, business, license, excise, privilege or other similar tax, fee or charge (hereafter called "tax") now or hereafter imposed upon the Telephone Company by any taxing body or authority, whether by statute, ordinance, law or otherwise and whether presently due or to hereafter become due.

On and after the effective date thereof, any subsequent increase, decrease, imposition or determination of liability for such taxes, fees or charges as described above shall be applied, in the manner provided below, to the customer's bill or charge on each individual billing date.

When such tax or taxes are imposed in terms of a flat sum payment of money, the surcharge applicable to each customer's bill or charge, as the pro rata share of such taxes described above, shall be determined by relating the flat sum payment to the total local exchange revenues within the jurisdiction of the taxing body; the fraction so described

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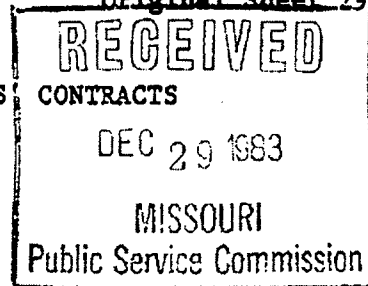
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17.12 SPECIAL SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS-(Continued)

17.12.2 Rates-(Continued)

A. Computation-(Continued)

4. In computing the rates for special service arrangements, the Telephone Company will, at its option, use one of the following three rate treatments: (1) a recurring monthly rate and termination contract with or without an installation charge; (2) a recurring monthly rate with an installation charge; (3) an installation charge only.

17.12.3 Termination Contract

A Termination Contract may apply in those cases where non-recoverable costs are substantial. Non-recoverable cost is equivalent to the estimated installed cost, plus removal cost less immediate salvage value.

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