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## ACCESS SERVICES

## 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS-(Continued)

## 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances-(Continued)

## 2.4.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved

When an Access Service is ordered by a customer where one end of the service is in one Exchange Telephone Company operating territory and the other end is in another Exchange Telephone Company operating territory (i.e. Jointly Provided Access Service), the Exchange Telephone Companies involved will agree upon a billing, design and ordering arrangement which is consistent with the provisions contained in this section and the Ordering and Billing Forum standards, Multiple Exchange Carrier Access Billing (MECAB) and Multiple Exchange Carrier Ordering and Design (MECOD). If any changes are made in these arrangements, the Exchange Telephone Companies involved will give affected customers 30 days notice prior to implementation.

At the time an order is placed, the customer will be notified of the arrangement which will apply and any pertinent information pertaining thereto, e.g., the entity to which payment should be made, the entity to which billing inquiries should be made, the entity which will be responsible for adjustments to bills, etc.

(AT) A. Single Bill Arrangement for FGA and BSA-A Switched Access Services

(AT) 1. General - A single bill will be rendered for FGA and BSA-A service.

(AT) 2. Ordering - The company where the first point of switching is located shall accept the order  
(AT) for FGA and BSA-A service. The other company(ies) involved shall also receive a copy of the order from the carrier.

The Exchange Telephone Companies involved in providing the Access Service, will develop a mutually agreeable working arrangement to allow one of the Exchange Telephone Companies to perform "Access Service Coordination" (ASC) for all services requested.

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### 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS-(Continued)

#### 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances-(Continued)

##### 2.4.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved-(Continued)

#### (AT) A. Single Bill Arrangement for FGA and BSA-A Switched Access Services-(Continued)

3. Rating and Billing of Service - The company that accepts the order for service will arrange to provide the service, bill and collect all appropriate charges in accordance with the regulations, rates and charges in its Access Services Tariff.

#### (AT) B. Meet Point Billing Arrangement for FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, DNAL, Special Access and Directory Assistance Services

- (AT) 1. General - Meet Point Billing (MPB) is for the joint provisioning of FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, Special Access and Directory Assistance Services through multiple exchange telephone company ordering and billing arrangements. MPB allows each involved exchange telephone company to provide service and bills for the portion of the access service that it rendered under its own tariff.

(AT) MPB provides two separate options on billing arrangements for FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, Special Access and Directory Access Services, as follows:

- Single Bill Single Tariff Arrangement, as set forth in C., following.

- Multiple Bill Arrangement, as set forth in D., following.

#### 2. Single Bill Single Tariff Arrangement

The Single Bill Single Tariff Arrangement allows the customer to receive one bill from the billing company. The billing company will be billed by the other exchange telephone companies for their portion of the access service provided by each exchange telephone company.

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## ACCESS SERVICES

### 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS-(Continued)

#### 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances-(Continued)

##### 2.4.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved-(Continued)

- (AT) B. Meet Point Billing Arrangement for FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, AT) DNAL,  
(AT) Special Access and Directory Assistance Services-(Continued)

#### 3. Multiple Bill Arrangement

The Multiple Bill Arrangement allows all exchange telephone companies providing service to bill the customer for their portion of a jointly provided access service according to its Access Service Tariff charges.

- (AT) C. Single Bill Single Tariff Arrangement for FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, DNAL,  
(AT) Special Access and Directory Assistance Services

- (AT) 1. General - The Telephone Company will participate in the Single Bill Single Tariff  
(AT) Arrangement, if one of the other involved exchange telephone companies bill the customer for the service.
- (AT) 2. The Telephone Company will participate in the Single Bill Single Tariff Billing  
(AT) Arrangement with other involved exchange telephone companies to jointly provide FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, DNAL, and Directory Assistance Services when all of the following conditions exist:
- a. The exchange telephone companies involved agree to use the Single Bill Single Tariff Billing Arrangement to render a bill to the customer;
  - b. One of the other exchange telephone companies own and/or operate the end office; and
  - c. One of the other exchange telephone companies performs the billing company functions.

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## ACCESS SERVICES

### 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS-(Continued)

#### 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances-(Continued)

##### 2.4.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved-(Continued)

(AT) C. Single Bill Single Tariff Arrangement for FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, DNAL,  
(AT) Special Access and Directory Assistance Services-(Continued)

(AT) 3. The Telephone Company will participate in the Single Bill Single Tariff Billing  
(AT) Arrangement with involved exchange telephone companies to jointly provide DNAL or  
Special Access Service when all of the following conditions exist:

- a. The exchange telephone companies involved agree to use the Single Bill Single Tariff Billing Arrangement to render a bill to the customer; and
- b. One of the other exchange telephone companies performs the billing company functions.

4. Ordering - Each exchange telephone company involved in providing the service will accept an order for the access service from the customer.

(AT) For FGB, FGC and FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D and Directory Assistance Services, the exchange telephone companies involved in providing the access services, will develop a mutually agreeable working arrangement to allow one of the exchange telephone companies to perform "Access Service Coordination" (ASC) for all services requested.

(AT) For DNAL and Special Access, the exchange telephone company that performs the billing functions will serve as the ASC.

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### 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS-(Continued)

#### 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances-(Continued)

##### 2.4.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved-(Continued)

- (AT) C. Single Bill Single Tariff Arrangement for FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, DNAL,  
(AT) Special Access and Directory Assistance Services-(Continued)

5. Rating and Billing of Service - With the agreement of the exchange telephone companies involved, as set forth in (2) and (3) preceding, the following rating and billing option will be used:

Single Bill Single Tariff Billing Arrangement - The exchange telephone company that accepts the order for service and agrees to be the ASC, as set forth in (4) preceding, will arrange to provide the service, bill and collect all appropriate charges in accordance with the regulations, rates and charges in its access service tariff. The single bill will list the billing company's rates and charges.

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## ACCESS SERVICES

### 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS-(Continued)

#### 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances-(Continued)

##### 2.4.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved-(Continued)

(AT) D. Multiple Bill Arrangement for FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, DNAL, Special Access and Directory Assistance Services

(AT) 1. General - Separate bills will be rendered by the exchange telephone companies for Access Service other than FGA and BSA-A if the administration of a single bill arrangement, as set forth in 2.4.5, C., cannot be agreed upon by the companies involved.

(AT) 2. Ordering - Each exchange telephone company involved in providing the service will accept an order for the Access Service from the customer.

The exchange telephone companies involved in providing the Access Service, will develop a mutually agreeable working arrangement to allow one of the exchange telephone companies to perform "Access Service Coordination" (ASC) for all services requested.

3. Rating and Billing of Service - Each exchange telephone company will provide its portion of the Access Service based on the regulations, rates and charges contained in its Access Service Tariff, subject to the following rules, as appropriate:

(AT) a. The charges billed by the Telephone Company for mileage sensitive rate elements (Switched Access Service Local Transport, DNAL Mileage, Special Access Service Channel Mileage, or Directory Assistance Transport) are determined as follows:

(AT) 1. The total mileage for the service is computed using the V & H Coordinate Method set forth in National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff F.C.C. No. 4 (NECA No. 4).

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## ACCESS SERVICES

### 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS-(Continued)

#### 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances-(Continued)

##### 2.4.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved-(Continued)

(AT) D. Multiple Bill Arrangement for FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, DNAL, Special Access and Directory Assistance Services-(Continued)

#### 3. Rating and Billing of Service-(Continued)

##### a. (Continued)

2. A billing percentage contained in NECA No. 4 for the telephone company premises involved.(1)
3. The telephone company's rates and charges are then multiplied by the appropriate quantity(ies) and billing percentage(s) to obtain the charges for the Telephone Company.

An example of this methodology is shown in Paragraph 2.4.5, D.3.d., following.

- b. The application of nondistance sensitive rate elements varies according to the rate structure and the location of the facilities involved. With exception of the Local Transport Nonrecurring Charge, which applies as set forth in Paragraph 2.4.5, D.3.c., the following applies:
  1. When rates and charges are listed on a per point of termination basis, the Telephone Company's rates will be billed for the termination(s) within the Telephone Company's operating territory.

(1) For intraLATA LEC to LEC traffic, percentage of ownership will be determined by the V & H Coordinates located in the Missouri PTC IntraLATA Data Base.

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## ACCESS SERVICES

### 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS-(Continued)

#### 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances-(Continued)

##### 2.4.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved-(Continued)

(AT) D. Multiple Bill Arrangement for FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, DNAL, Special Access and Directory Assistance Services-(Continued)

#### 3. Rating and Billing of Service-(Continued)

##### b. (Continued)

2. When rates and charges are listed on a per unit basis, e.g., central office bridging or multiplexing, the Telephone Company's rates and charges will apply for units located in the Telephone Company's operating territory.
3. When rates and charges are developed on an individual case basis, such rates will be developed for the portion of the service provided by the Telephone Company.
4. When rates and charges are listed on a per service basis, these rates and charges will be billed.

(AT) 5. The fixed portion of DNAL Mileage and Special Access Channel Mileage will be billed 50% at the applicable rate when the service terminates in this Company's operating territory.

c. Switched Access Local Transport Nonrecurring Charge and Directory Access Nonrecurring Charge are subject to the following rules:

(AT)  
(FC) 1. The Nonrecurring Charges for installation of FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C and BSA-D services, as set forth in Section 6, Paragraphs 6.11.1 and 6.11.2, and for Directory Assistance, as set forth in Section 9, Paragraph 9.6 are used to compute the billed nonrecurring charges for the Telephone Company.

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## ACCESS SERVICES

### 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS-(Continued)

#### 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances-(Continued)

##### 2.4.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved-(Continued)

- (AT) D. Multiple Bill Arrangement for FGB, FGC, FGD, BDSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, DNAL, Special Access and Directory Assistance Services-(Continued)

### 3. Rating and Billing of Services-(Continued)

#### c. (Continued)

##### 2. The multiple bill adjustment factor(s) is(are) determined as follows:

- a. When the Telephone Company's facilities are the First Point of Switching from the customer's premises, the following factors will apply:

- First Trunk 100%
- Additional Trunk per Access Order 100%

- b. When the Telephone Company does not have the First Point of Switching from the customer's premises, but provides a portion of the dedicated trunk, the following factors will apply:

- First Trunk 64%
- Additional Trunk per Access Order 41%

- c. When the Telephone Company is not required to activate trunks to the first point of switching the Local Transport Nonrecurring Charge does not apply.

3. The Telephone Company's charges as set forth in Paragraph 2.4.5, D.3.c.1., preceding, are then multiplied by the appropriate quantity(ies) and multiple bill adjustment factor(s) in Paragraph 2.4.5, D.3.c.2., preceding, to obtain the appropriate nonrecurring charges for the Telephone Company.

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### 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS-(Continued)

#### 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances-(Continued)

#### 2.4.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved-(Continued)

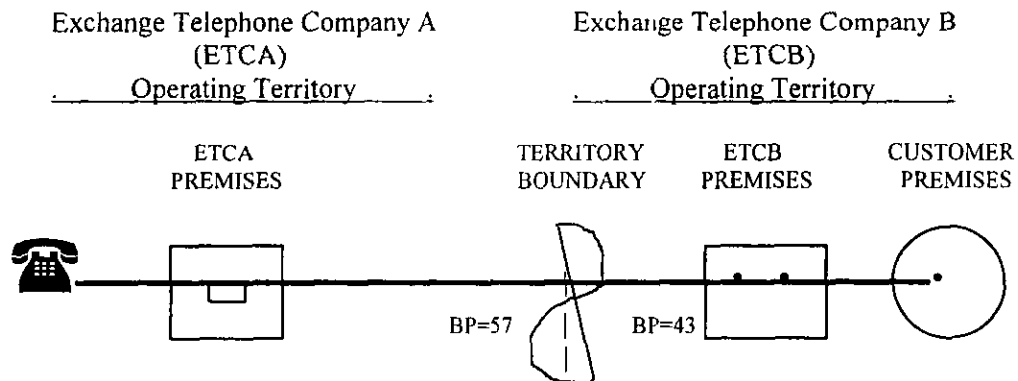
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### 3. Rating and Billing of Services-(Continued)

#### d. Example - Switched Access

##### 1. Layout

- (AT)
- FGC or BSA-C Switched Access is ordered to End Office A.
  - End Office A is in operating territory of exchange telephone company A.
  - Premises of ordering customer is in operating territory of exchange telephone company B.



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## 2. GENERAL REGULATIONS-(Continued)

## 2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances-(Continued)

## 2.4.5 Ordering, Rating and Billing of Access Services Where More Than One Exchange Telephone Company is Involved-(Continued)

(AT) D. Multiple Bill Arrangement for FGB, FGC, FGD, BSA-B, BSA-C, BSA-D, DNAL, Special Access and Directory Assistance Services-(Continued)

## 3. Rating and Billing of Services-(Continued)

## d. Example - Switched Access-(Continued)

## 2. Airline Mileages (Using NECA No. 4)(1)

- ETCA premises to ETCB premises = 22.1, rounded = 23

## 3. Local Transport charges for 9000 access minutes

- Assume ETCA rate for Local Transport mileband of over 1 to 25 miles is \$0.120 per access minute
- Assume ETCA Billing Percentage (BP) is 57
- Assume ETCB rate for Local Transport mileband of over 1 to 25 miles is \$0.0125 per access minute
- Assume ETCB Billing Percentage (BP) is 43
- Formula:

$$\text{ETCA Local Transport Charge} = \frac{\text{Access Minutes} \times \text{ETCA Rate} \times \text{ETCA Billing Percentage}}{100}$$

- Calculation of Transport Charges

$$\text{ETCA Local Transport Charge} = 9000 \times \$0.120 \times \frac{57}{100} = \$61.56$$

$$\text{ETCB Local Transport Charge} = 9000 \times \$0.0125 \times \frac{43}{100} = \$48.38$$

(1) For IntraLATA LEC to LEC traffic, percentages of ownership will be determined by the V & H Coordinates located in the Missouri PTC IntraLATA Data Base.

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