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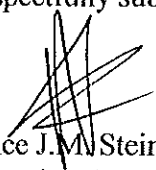
Dear Sir/Madam:

Pursuant to staff request, attached please find an original and three (3) copies of Corcom Communications, Inc.'s P.S.C. Mo. No. 1 with issued and effective dates listed. Corcom Communications, Inc. is voluntarily providing this Tariff for consumer reference.

I have also enclosed an extra copy of this letter to be date stamped and returned to me in the enclosed, self-addressed, postage prepaid envelope.

If you have any questions or if we may provide you with any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Kali Reeves at kreeves@telecomcounsel.com or (770) 232-9200.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Enclosures

TITLE SHEET

MISSOURI BASIC PRIVATE LINES TELECOMMUNICATIONS TARIFF  
OF  
CORCOM COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

This tariff contains the descriptions, regulations, and schedule of rates and charges applicable to the furnishing of Private Line Telecommunications Services furnished by Corcom Communications, Inc. ("Corcom"), with principal offices at 3159 Marble Ridge Ct., Reno, NV 89511, toll free telephone number (877) 710-3442. This tariff applies for services furnished within the State of Missouri. This tariff is on file with the Missouri Public Service Commission, and copies may be inspected, during normal business hours, at the company's principal place of business.

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Corcom Communications, Inc.  
3159 Marble Ridge Ct.  
Reno, Nevada 89511

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WAIVERS OF RULES & REGULATIONS

Section 392.210.2	Establish uniform system of accounts used for annual reports.
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Section 392.340	Reorganization(s).
4 CSR 240-10.020	Depreciation fund income.
4 CSR 240-30.040	Adopts FCC's Part 32 uniform system of accounts for Class A and Class B companies.
4 CSR 240-3.550(5)(C)	File exchange boundary maps with Commission.

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EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

The following symbols shall be used in this tariff for the purpose indicated below:

- (C) To signify changed regulation.
- (D) To signify discontinued rate and regulation.
- (I) To signify increased rate.
- (M) To signify a move in the location of text.
- (N) To signify new rate or regulation.
- (R) To signify reduced rate.
- (S) To signify reissued matter.
- (T) To signify a change in text but no change in rate or regulation.

APPLICATION OF TARIFF

This tariff sets forth the service offerings, rates, terms and conditions applicable to dedicated private line access service provided to nonresidential Customers between points specified by Customer. Service is offered via the Company-provided facilities for the transmission of one-way and two-way communications, unless otherwise noted.

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TARIFF FORMAT

A. Sheet Numbering: Sheet numbers appear in the upper right corner of the page. Sheets are numbered sequentially. However, new sheets are occasionally added to the tariff. When a new sheet is added between sheets already in effect, a decimal is added. For example, a new sheet added between pages 11 and 12 would be page 11.1.

B. Sheet Revision Numbers: Revision numbers also appear in the upper right corner of each sheet where applicable. These numbers are used to indicate the most current page version on file with the Commission. For example, 4th Revised Sheet 13 cancels 3rd Revised Sheet 13. Consult the Check Sheet for the sheets currently in effect.

C. Paragraph Numbering Sequence: There are nine levels of paragraph coding. Each level of coding is subservient to its next higher level:

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SECTION 1.0 - DEFINITIONS

For the purpose of this tariff, the following definitions will apply:

Customer side of demarcation point, which connects a demarcation point to another point.

Add/Drop Multiplexing: A multiplexing function that allows lower level signals to be added or dropped from an Optical Carrier (OC) channel.

Authorized User: A person, firm or corporation which is authorized by the Customer or joint user to be connected to the service of the Customer or joint user, respectively. An authorized user must be specifically named in the application for service.

Circuit: A communications path provided by Company between two or more demarcation points, at a transmission speed agreed to between Company and Customer.

Commission: Missouri Public Service Commission.

Company: Corcom Communications, Inc., the issuer of this price list.

Company Terminal Location: Any demarcation point where the company's underlying Carrier maintains its facilities.

Customer: The person, firm, corporation or other entity which orders, cancels, amends or uses service and is responsible for payment of charges and compliance with the Company's tariff.

Customer Premises: A location occupied by Customer, or which Customer has the right to occupy, for the purposes of transmitting or receiving communications signals, and which is made available to Company for the maintenance and operation thereon or therein of a Company terminal location.

Dedicated: A facility or equipment system or subsystem set aside for the sole use of a specific Customer.

Demarcation Point: The point of interconnection of an access line or other connecting communications path or equipment provided by the Customer or any person to Company provided equipment.

Facilities: A fixed, mobile, or transportable structure, including (a) all installed electrical and electronic wiring, cabling, and equipment and (b) all supporting structures, such as utility, ground network, and electrical supporting structures provided by the Company and/or its Underlying Carrier(s).

Fiber Optic Cable: A thin filament of glass with a protective outer coating through which a light beam carrying communications signals may be transmitted by means of multiple internal reflections to a receiver, which translates the message.

High Speed Digital Access and High Capacity Private Line Service: Any service offered herein or any combination thereof.

SECTION 1.0 – DEFINITIONS (CONT'D)

ICB: Individual Case Basis. Individual Case Basis: A service arrangement in which the regulations, rates and charges are developed based on the specific circumstances of the Customer and at the Company's sole discretion.

Joint User: A person, firm or corporation which is designated by the Customer as a user of Company service furnished to the Customer and to whom a portion of the charges for the service will be billed under a joint user arrangement as specified herein.

LEC: Local Exchange Carrier

LATA: A Local Access and Transport Area established pursuant to the Modification of Final Judgment entered by the United States District Court for the District of Columbia in Civil Action No. 82-0192; or any other geographic area designated as a LATA in the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff F.C.C. No. 4.

Mbps: Megabits per second, denotes millions of bits per second.

Monthly Recurring Charges: The monthly charges to the Customer for services, facilities and equipment, which continue for the agreed upon duration of the service.

Non-Recurring Charge: The initial charge, usually assessed on a one-time basis, to initiate and establish service.

Other Telephone Company: An Exchange Telephone Company, other than the Company.

PBX: Private Branch Exchange

Port: A facility or equipment system or subsystem set aside for the sole use of a specific Customer.

Premises: A building or buildings on contiguous property.

Recurring Charges: The monthly charges to the Customer for services, facilities and equipment which continue for the agreed upon duration of the service.

Service Commencement Date: The first day following the date on which the Company notifies the Customer that the requested service is available for use, unless extended by the Customer's refusal to accept service which does not conform to standards set forth in the Service Order and this tariff, in which case the Service Commencement Date is the date of the Customer's acceptance. The Company and Customer may mutually agree on a substitute Service Commencement Date.

Synchronous Optical Network (SONET): A set of international standards for fiber based transmission systems. SONET defines standard optical carrier transmission rates and utilizes a modular multiplexing signal approach based on the application of synchronous Transport Signals.

SECTION 1.0 - DEFINITIONS (CONT'D)

**Terminal Equipment:** Any telecommunications equipment other than the transmission or receiving equipment installed at a Company Terminal Location.

**Transmission Speed:** Transmission speed or rate, in bits per second (bps), as agreed to by Company and Customer for each Circuit.

**User or End User:** A Customer or any other person authorized by a Customer to use service provided under this price list.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS

**2.1 Undertaking of the Company**

**2.1.1 Scope**

This price list sets forth intrastate rates and rules applicable to the provision of high speed digital access and high capacity private line service for the purpose of intraLATA transmissions within the State of California. Service is provided on a 24-hour basis.

Title to all facilities provided in accordance with this price list remains in the Company, its agents, contractors, and Underlying Carriers. The Customer shall not have, nor shall it assert, any right, title or interest in all the fiber optic or other facilities and associated equipment provided by the Company hereunder.

**2.1.2 Shortage of Equipment or Facilities**

- (A) The Company reserves the right to limit or to allocate the use of existing facilities, or of additional facilities offered by the Company, when necessary because of lack of facilities, or due to some other cause beyond the Company's control.
- (B) The furnishing of service under this tariff is subject to the availability on a continuing basis of all the necessary facilities and is limited to the capacity of the Company's facilities as well as facilities the Company may obtain from other carriers to furnish service from time to time as required at the sole discretion of the Company.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)**2.1 Undertaking of the Company, (Cont'd.)****2.1.3 Terms and Conditions**

- (A) Service is provided on the basis of a minimum period of at least one month, 24 hours per day. For the purpose of computing charges in this tariff, a month is considered to have thirty (30) days.
- (B) Customers may be required to enter into written service orders which shall contain or reference a specific description of the service ordered, the rates to be charged, the duration of the services, and the terms and conditions in this tariff. Customers will also be required to execute any other documents as may be reasonably requested by the Company.
- (C) Except as otherwise stated in the tariff, at the expiration of the initial term specified in each Service Order, or in any extension thereof, service shall continue on a month to month basis at the then current rates unless terminated by either party upon proper notice. Any termination shall not relieve the Customer of its obligation to pay any charges incurred under the service order and this tariff prior to termination. The rights and obligations which by their nature extend beyond the termination of the term of the service order shall survive such termination.
- (D) This tariff shall be interpreted and governed by the laws of the State of Missouri without regard for its choice of laws provision.
- (E) Applications for initial or additional service made verbally or in writing become a contract upon the establishment of the service or facility.
- (F) To the extent that either the Company or any Other Telephone Company exercises control over available cable pairs, conduit, duct space, raceways, or other facilities needed by the other to reach a person or entity, the party exercising such control shall make them available to the other on terms equivalent to those under which the Company makes similar facilities under its control available to its Customers. At the reasonable request of either party, the Company and the Other Telephone Company shall jointly attempt to obtain from the owner of the property access for the other party to serve a person or entity.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)**2.1 Undertaking of the Company, (Cont'd.)****2.1.4 Limitations on Liability**

- (A) Except as otherwise stated in this section, the liability of the Company for damages arising out of either: (1) the furnishing of its services, including but not limited to mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, or errors, or other defects, representations, or use of these services or (2) the failure to furnish its service, whether caused by acts or omission, shall be limited to the extension of allowances to the Customer for interruptions in service as set forth in Section 2.7.
- (B) Except for the extension of allowances to the Customer for interruptions in service as set forth in Section 2.7, the Company shall not be liable to a Customer or third party for any direct, indirect, special, incidental, reliance, consequential, exemplary or punitive damages, including, but not limited to, loss of revenue or profits, for any reason whatsoever, including, but not limited to, any act or omission, failure to perform, delay, interruption, failure to provide any service or any failure in or breakdown of facilities associated with the service.
- (C) The liability of the Company for errors in billing that result in overpayment by the Customer shall be limited to a credit equal to the dollar amount erroneously billed or, in the event that payment has been made and service has been discontinued, to a refund of the amount erroneously billed.
- (D) The Company shall be indemnified and saved harmless by the Customer from and against all loss, liability, damage and expense, including reasonable counsel fees, due to:
  - (1) Any act or omission of: (a) the Customer, (b) any other entity furnishing service, equipment or facilities for use in conjunction with services or facilities provided by the Company; or (c) common carriers or warehousemen, except as contracted by the Company;
  - (2) Any delay or failure of performance or equipment due to causes beyond the Company's control, including but not limited to, acts of God, fires, floods, earthquakes, hurricanes, or other catastrophes; national emergencies, insurrections, riots, wars or other civil commotions; strikes, lockouts, work stoppages or other labor difficulties; criminal actions taken against the Company; unavailability, failure or malfunction of equipment or facilities provided by the Customer or third parties; and any law, order, regulation or other action of any governing authority or agency thereof;
  - (3) Any unlawful or unauthorized use of the Company's facilities and services;

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)**2.1 Undertaking of the Company, (Cont'd.)****2.1.4 Limitations on Liability (Cont'd.)****(D) (cont'd)**

- (4) Libel, slander, invasion of privacy or infringement of patents, trade secrets, or copyrights arising from or in connection with the material transmitted by means of Company-provided facilities or services; or by means of the combination of company-provided facilities or services;
- (5) Breach in the privacy or security of communications transmitted over the Company's facilities;
- (6) Changes in any of the facilities, operations or procedures of the Company that render any equipment, facilities or services provided by the Customer obsolete, or require modification or alteration of such equipment, facilities or services, or otherwise affect their use or performance, except where reasonable notice is required by the Company and is not provided to the Customer, in which event the Company's liability is limited as set forth in paragraph (A) of this Subsection 2.1.4.
- (7) Defacement of or damage to Customer premises resulting from the furnishing of services or equipment on such premises or the installation or removal thereof;
- (8) Injury to property or injury or death to persons, including claims for payments made under Workers' Compensation law or under any plan for employee disability or death benefits, arising out of, or caused by, any act or omission of the Customer, or the construction, installation, maintenance, presence, use or removal of the Customer's facilities or equipment connected, or to be connected to the Company's facilities;
- (9) Any non-completion of calls due to network busy conditions;
- (10) Any calls not actually attempted to be completed during any period that service is unavailable;
- (11) And any other claim resulting from any act or omission of the Customer or patron(s) of the Customer relating to the use of the Company's services or facilities.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)

**2.1 Undertaking of the Company, (Cont'd.)**

**2.1.4 Limitations on Liability (Cont'd.)**

- (E) The Company does not guarantee nor make any warranty with respect to installations provided for use in an explosive atmosphere.
- (F) The Company makes no warranties or representations, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, either in fact or by operation of law, statutory or otherwise, including warranties of merchantability or fitness for a particular use, except those expressly set forth herein.
- (G) Failure by the Company to assert its rights pursuant to one provision of this tariff does not preclude the Company from asserting its rights under other provisions.

**2.1.5 Notification of Service-Affecting Activities**

The Company will provide the Customer reasonable notification of service-affecting activities that may occur in normal operation of its business. Such activities may include, but are not limited to, equipment or facilities additions, removals or rearrangements and routine preventative maintenance. Generally, such activities are not specific to an individual Customer but affect many Customers' services. No specific advance notification period is applicable to all service activities. The Company will work cooperatively with the Customer to determine the reasonable notification requirements. With some emergency or unplanned service-affecting conditions, such as an outage resulting from cable damage, notification to the Customer may not be possible.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)**2.1 Undertaking of the Company, (Cont'd.)****2.1.6 Provision of Equipment and Facilities**

- (A) The Company shall use reasonable efforts to maintain only the facilities and equipment that it furnishes to the Customer. The Customer may not nor may the Customer permit others to rearrange, disconnect, remove, attempt to repair, or otherwise interfere with any of the facilities or equipment installed by the Company, except upon the written consent of the Company.
- (B) The Company may substitute, change or rearrange any equipment or facility at any time and from time to time, but shall not thereby alter the technical parameters of the service provided by the Customer.
- (C) Equipment the Company provides or installs at the Customer Premises for use in connection with the services the Company offers shall not be used for any purpose other than that for which the equipment is provided.
- (D) Except as otherwise indicated, Customer provided station equipment at the Customer's premises for use in connection with the service shall be so constructed, maintained and operated as to work satisfactorily with the facilities of the Company.
- (E) The Company shall not be responsible for the installation, operation, or maintenance of any Customer provided communications equipment. Where such equipment is connected to the facilities furnished pursuant to this tariff, the responsibility of the Company shall be limited to the furnishing of facilities offered under this tariff and to the maintenance and operation of such facilities. Subject to this responsibility, the Company shall not be responsible for:
  - (1) the through transmission of signals by Customer provided equipment or for the quality of, or defects in, such transmission; or
  - (2) the reception of signals by Customer-provided equipment; or
  - (3) network control signaling where such signaling is performed by Customer-provided network control signaling equipment.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)**2.1 Undertaking of the Company, (Cont'd.)****2.1.7 Non-Routine Installation**

At the Customer's request, installation and/or maintenance may be performed outside the Company's regular business hours or in hazardous locations. In such cases, charges based on cost of the actual labor, material, or other costs incurred by or charged to the Company will apply. If installation is started during regular business hours but, at the Customer's request, extends beyond regular business hours into time periods including, but not limited to, weekends, holidays, and/or night hours, additional charges may apply.

**2.1.8 Special Construction**

Subject to the agreement of the Company and to all of the regulations contained in this tariff, special construction or facilities may be undertaken on a reasonable efforts basis at the request of the Customer. Special construction is construction undertaken:

- (A) where facilities are not presently available, and there is no other requirement for the facilities so constructed;
- (B) of a type other than that which the Company would normally utilize in the furnishing of its services;
- (C) over a route other than that which the Company would normally utilize in the furnishing of its services;
- (D) in a quantity greater than that which the company would normally construct;
- (E) on an expedited basis;
- (F) on a temporary basis until permanent facilities are available;
- (G) involving abnormal costs; or
- (H) in advance of its normal construction.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)

**2.1 Undertaking of the Company, (Cont'd.)**

**2.1.9 Ownership of Facilities**

Title to all facilities provided in accordance with this tariff remains in the Company, its partners, agents, contractors, suppliers, or Underlying Carriers.

**2.2 Prohibited Uses**

**2.2.1** The services the Company offers shall not be used for any unlawful purpose or for any use as to which the Customer has not obtained all required governmental approvals, authorizations, licenses, consents and permits.

**2.2.2** Reserved for future use.

**2.2.3** The Company may block any signals being transmitted over its Network by Customers which cause interference to the Company or other users. Customer shall be relieved of all obligations to make payments for charges relating to any blocked Service and shall indemnify the Company for any claim, judgment or liability resulting from such blockage.

**2.2.4** A Customer may not assign, or transfer in any manner, the service or any rights associated with the service without the written consent of the Company. The Company will permit a Customer to transfer its existing service to another entity if the existing Customer has paid all charges owed to the Company for regulated communications services. Such a transfer will be treated as a disconnection of existing service and installation of new service, and non-recurring installation charges as stated in this tariff will apply.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)

**2.3 Obligations of the Customer**

**2.3.1 General**

The Customer shall be responsible for:

- (A) Applications for initial or additional service made verbally or in writing become a contract upon the establishment of the service or facility;
- (B) the payment of all applicable charges pursuant to this tariff;
- (C) damage to or loss of the Company's facilities or equipment caused by the acts or omissions of the Customer; or the noncompliance by the Customer, with these regulations; or by fire or theft or other casualty on the Customer Premises, unless caused by the negligence or willful misconduct of the employees or agents of the Company;
- (D) providing at no charge, as specified from time to time by the Company, any needed equipment, space and power to operate Company facilities and equipment installed on the premises of the Customer, and the level of heating and air conditioning necessary to maintain the proper operating environment on such premises;
- (E) obtaining, maintaining, and otherwise having full responsibility for all rights-of-way and conduit necessary for installation of fiber optic cable and associated equipment used to provide Communications Services to the Customer from the cable building entrance or property line to the location of the equipment space described in Section 2.3.1(C). Any and all costs associated with the obtaining and maintaining the rights-of-way described herein, including the costs of altering the structure to permit installation of the Company provided facilities, shall be borne entirely by, or may be charged by the Company, to the Customer. The Company may require the Customer to demonstrate its compliance with this section prior to accepting an order for service.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)**2.3 Obligations of the Customer****2.3.1 General (cont'd.)**

- (F) providing a safe place to work and complying with all laws and regulations regarding the working conditions on the premises at which Company employees and agents shall be installing or maintaining the Company's facilities and equipment. The Customer may be required to install and maintain Company facilities and equipment within a hazardous area if, in the Company's opinion, injury or damage to the Company employees or property might result from installation or maintenance by the Company. The Customer shall be responsible for identifying, monitoring, removing and disposing of any hazardous material (e.g., friable asbestos) prior to any construction or installation work;
- (G) complying with all laws and regulations applicable to, and obtaining all consents, approvals, licenses and permits as may be required with respect to, the location of Company facilities and equipment in an Customer premises or the rights-of-way for which Customer is responsible under Section 2.3.1(D); and granting or obtaining permission for Company agents or employees to enter the premises of the Customer at any time for the purpose of installing, inspecting, maintaining, repairing, or upon termination of service as stated herein, removing the facilities or equipment of the Company;
- (H) not creating or allowing to be placed any liens or other encumbrances on the Company's equipment or facilities; and
- (I) making Company facilities and equipment available periodically for maintenance purposes at a time agreeable to both the Company and the Customer. No allowance will be made for the period during which service is interrupted for such purposes.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)

2.3 Obligations of the Customer (Cont'd.)

2.3.2 Liability of the Customer

- (A) The Customer will be liable for damages to the facilities of the Company and for all incidental and consequential damages caused by the negligent or intentional acts or omissions of the Customer, its officers, employees, agents, invites, or contractors where such acts or omissions are not the direct result of the Company's negligence or intentional misconduct.
- (B) To the extent caused by any negligent or intentional act of the Customer as described in (A), preceding, the Customer shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the Company from and against all claims, actions, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, for (1) any loss, destruction or damage to property of any third party, and (2) any liability incurred by the Company to any third party pursuant to this or any other tariff of the Company, or otherwise, for any interruption of, interference to, or other defect in any service provided by the Company to such third party.
- (C) The Customer shall not assert any claim against any other Customer or user of the Company's services for damages resulting in whole or in part from or arising in connection with the furnishing of service under this tariff including but not limited to mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, errors or other defects or misrepresentations, whether or not such other Customer or user contributed in any way to the occurrence of the damages, unless such damages were caused solely by the negligent to intentional act or omission of the other Customer or user and not by any act or omission of the Company. Nothing in this tariff is intended either to limit or to expand Customer's right to assert any claims against third parties for damages of any nature other than those described in the preceding sentence.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)**2.4 Customer Equipment and Channels****2.4.1 General**

A user may transmit or receive information or signals via the facilities of the Company. The Company's services are designated primarily for the transmission of voice-grade telephonic signals, except as otherwise stated in this tariff. A user may transmit any form of signal that is compatible with the Company's equipment, but the Company does not guarantee that its services will be suitable for purposes other than voice-grade telephonic communication except as specifically stated in this tariff.

**2.4.2 Station Equipment**

- (A) Terminal equipment of the user's premises and the electric power consumed by such equipment shall be provided by and maintained at the expense of the user. The user is responsible for the provision of wiring or cable to connect its terminal equipment to the Company MPOP.
- (B) The Customer is responsible for ensuring that Customer-provided equipment connected to Company equipment and facilities is compatible with such equipment and facilities. The magnitude and character of the voltages and currents impressed on Company-provided equipment and wiring by connection, operation, or maintenance of such equipment and wiring shall be such as not to cause damage to the Company-provided equipment and wiring or injury to the Company's employees or to other persons. Any additional protective equipment required to prevent such damage or injury shall be provided by the Company at the Customer's expense, subject to prior Customer approval of the equipment expense.

**2.4.3 Reserved For Future Use**

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)

**2.4 Customer Equipment and Channels (Cont'd.)**

**2.4.4 Inspections**

- (A) Upon suitable notification to the Customer, and at a reasonable time, the Company may make such tests and inspections as may be necessary to determine that the Customer is complying with the requirements set forth in Section 2.4.2(B) for the installation, operation, and maintenance of Customer-provided facilities, equipment, and wiring in the connection of Customer-provided facilities and equipment to Company-owned facilities and equipment.
- (B) If the protective requirements for Customer-provided equipment are not being complied with, the Company may take such action as it deems necessary to protect its facilities, equipment, and personnel. The Company will notify the Customer promptly if there is any need for further corrective action. Within ten days of receiving this notice, the Customer must take this corrective action and notify the Company of the action taken. If the Customer fails to do this, the Company may take whatever additional action is deemed necessary, including the suspension of service, to protect its facilities, equipment and personnel from harm.
- (C) If harm to the Company's network, personnel or services is imminent, the Company reserves the right to shut down Customer's service immediately, with no prior notice required.

**2.5 Reserved For Future Use**

**SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)****2.6 Payment Arrangements****2.6.1 Payment for Services**

The Customer is responsible for the payment of all charges for facilities and services furnished by the Company to the Customer.

The Customer is responsible for the payment of federal excise taxes, state and local sales and use taxes and similar taxes imposed by governmental jurisdictions, all of which shall be separately designated on the Company's invoices. Any taxes imposed by a local jurisdiction (e.g., county and municipal) will only be recovered from those Customers residing in the affected jurisdictions.

All state and local taxes (e.g. gross receipts tax, sales tax, municipal utilities tax) are not included in the rates under this tariff, but shall be listed as separate line items on the customer's bill.

The Company may adjust its rates or impose additional charges on its customers to recover amounts it is required by governmental or quasi-governmental authorities to collect from or pay to others. The company may also adjust its rates or impose additional charges to cover the administrative cost of collecting such charges or paying compensation to other entities. Examples of such programs include, but are not limited to, the Universal Service Fund (USF), the Presubscribed Interexchange Carrier Charge (PICC), and compensation to pay telephone service providers for the use of their pay telephones to access the Company's services. All charges and fees subject to Commission jurisdiction, except taxes and franchise fees, will be submitted to the Commission for approval.

**2.6.2 Billing and Collection of Charges**

The Customer is responsible for payment of all charges incurred by the Customer or other users for services and facilities furnished to the Customer by the Company.

- (A) Company will issue bills on a monthly basis with bills received by the customer on or about the same day each month. Non-recurring charges are due and payable within thirty (30) days after the date the invoice is mailed to the Customer by the Company.
- (B) The Company shall present invoices for recurring charges monthly to the Customer, in advance of the month in which service is provided, and recurring charges shall be due and payable within twenty-one (21) days after the date the invoice is mailed to the Customer by the Company. When billing is based upon Customer usage, usage charges will be billed monthly for the preceding billing period.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)**2.6 Payment Arrangements (Cont'd.)****2.6.2 Billing and Collection of Charges (Cont'd.)**

- (C) When service does not begin on the first day of the billing period, or end of the last day of the billing period, the charge for the fraction of the month in which service was furnished will be calculated on a pro rata basis. For this purpose, every month is considered to have thirty (30) days.
- (D) Billing of the Customer by the Company will begin on the Service Commencement Date, which is the day on which the Company notifies the Customer that the service or facility is available for use, except that the Service Commencement Date may be postponed by mutual agreement of the parties, or if the service or facility does not conform to standards set forth in this tariff or the Service Order. Billing accrues through and includes the day that the service, circuit, arrangement or component is discontinued.
- (E) If any portion of the payment is not received by the Company within 30 days of receipt of this bill, or if any portion of the payment is received by the Company in funds which are not immediately available upon presentment, then a late payment charge of 1.5% per month shall be due to the Company. A late payment charge is not applicable to subsequent rebilling of any amount to which a late payment charge has already been applied or shall not be applied to disputed items. Late payment charges are to be applied without discrimination.
- (F) the Customer should notify the Company of any disputed items on an invoice within thirty (30) days of receipt of the invoice. If the Customer and the Company are unable to resolve the dispute to their mutual satisfaction, the Customer may file a complaint with the Commission in accordance with the Commission's rules and procedure.
- (G) If service is disconnected by the Company (in accordance with Section 2.6.3 following) and later re-installed, re-installation of service will be subject to all applicable installation charges. If service is suspended by the Company (in accordance with Section 2.6.4) and later restored, restoration of service will be subject to the rates in Section 4.3.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS (CONT'D)**2.6 Payment Arrangements (Cont'd.)****2.6.3 Reserved For Future Use****2.6.4 Discontinuance or Suspension of Service**

The Company may discontinue or suspend service for the following reasons provided in this Section. Customers will be provided ten (10) days written notice and by phone at least twenty-four (24) hours in advance prior to discontinuance or suspension unless otherwise indicated. Notice will be provided via First Class U.S. Mail.

Upon the Company's discontinuance of service to the Customer under Section 2.6.4(A) through 2.6.4(G), the Company, in addition to all other remedies that may be available to the Company at law or in equity or under any other provision of this tariff, may declare all future monthly and other charges which would have been payable by the Customer during the remainder of the term for which such services would have otherwise been provided to the Customer to be immediately due and payable.

Telephone service may be discontinued or suspended for any of the following reasons:

- (A) Nonpayment of any undisputed delinquent account. Customer's service will not be suspended or discontinued for nonpayment of a delinquent charge until the Company has notified the Customer in writing at least ten days in advance of the suspension or discontinuance. Additionally, the Company will make reasonable efforts to contact you at least 24 hours in advance to suspending or disconnecting Customer's telephone service;
- (B) Unauthorized use of telephone utility equipment in manner which creates an unsafe condition or creates the possibility of damage or destruction to such equipment;
- (C) Refusal after reasonable notice to permit inspection, maintenance or replacement of telephone utility equipment;
- (D) Misrepresentation of identity in obtaining telephone utility service;
- (E) Failure to post a required deposit or guarantee;
- (F) Failure to comply with terms of settlement agreement;
- (G) As provided by State or Federal law.

If telephone service is suspended, your telephone number is reserved for 60 days and Customer will not be charged installation charges again. After suspended service, if telephone service is disconnected, a new telephone number will be assigned and Customer will be required to pay installation charges again.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D)**2.6 Payment Arrangements (Cont'd.)****2.6.5 Notice to Company for Cancellation of Service**

Customers desiring to terminate service shall provide written or oral notice to the Company at least thirty (30) days before date to terminate service. If special construction is involved, the required notice shall be written.

**2.6.6 Cancellation of Application for Service**

- (A) Where the Company permits the Customer to cancel an application for service prior to the start of service or prior to any special construction, no charges will be imposed except for those specified below.
- (B) Where, prior to cancellation by the Customer, the Company incurs any expenses in installing the service or in preparing to install the service that it otherwise would not have incurred, a charge equal to the costs the Company incurred, less net salvage, shall apply, but in no case shall this charge exceed the sum of the charge for the minimum period of services ordered, including installation charges, and all charges others levy against the Company that would have been chargeable to the Customer had service begun.
- (C) Where the Company incurs any expense in connection with special construction, or where special arrangements of facilities or equipment have begun, before the Company receives a cancellation notice, a charge equal to the costs incurred, less net salvage, may apply. In such cases, the charge will be based on such elements as the cost of the equipment, facilities, and material, the cost of installation, engineering, labor, and supervision, general and administrative expense, other disbursements, depreciation, maintenance, taxes, provision for return on investment, and any other costs associated with the special construction or arrangements.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D))**2.6 Payment Arrangements (Cont'd.)****2.6.7 Changes in Services Requested**

If the Customer makes or requests material changes in circuit engineering, equipment specifications, service parameters, premises locations, or otherwise materially modifies any provision of the application for service, the Customer's installation fee shall be adjusted accordingly.

**2.6.8 Bad Check Charge**

A service charge of \$25.00 will be assessed for all checks returned by a bank or other financial institution for: Insufficient or uncollected funds, closed account, apparent tampering, missing signature or endorsement, or any other insufficiency or discrepancy necessitating return of the instrument at the discretion of the drawee bank or other financial institution.

**2.7 Allowances for Interruptions in Service****2.7.1 General**

- (A) A credit allowance will be given when service is interrupted, except as specified in Section 2.7.2 following. A service is interrupted when it becomes inoperative to the Customer, e.g., the Customer is unable to transmit or receive, because of a failure of a component furnished by the Company under this tariff.
- (B) An interruption period begins when the Customer reports a service, facility or circuit to be inoperative and, if necessary, releases it for testing and repair. An interruption period ends when the service, facility or circuit is operative.
- (C) If the Customer reports a service, facility or circuit to be interrupted but declines to release it for testing and repair, or refuses access to its premises for test and repair by the Company, the service, facility or circuit is considered to be impaired but not interrupted. No credit allowances will be made for a service, facility or circuit considered by the Company to be impaired.
- (D) The Customer shall be responsible for the payment of service charges as set forth herein for visits by the Company's agents or employees to the premises of the Customer when the service difficulty or trouble report results from the use of equipment or facilities provided by any party other than the Company, including but not limited to the Customer.

SECTION 2.0 – RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D)**2.7 Allowances for Interruptions in Service, (Cont'd)****2.7.2 Limitations of Allowances**

No credit allowance will be made for any interruption in service: .

- (A) Due to the negligence of or noncompliance with the provisions of this tariff by any person or entity other than the Company, including but not limited to the Customer;
- (B) Due to the failure of power, equipment, systems, connections or services not provided by the Company;
- (C) Due to circumstances or causes beyond the reasonable control of the Company;
- (D) During any period in which the Company is not given full and free access to its facilities and equipment for the purposes of investigating and correcting interruptions;
- (E) A service will not be deemed to be interrupted if a Customer continues to voluntarily make use of the service. If the service is interrupted, the Customer can get a service credit, use another means of communications provided by the Company (pursuant to Section 2.7.3), or utilize another service provider;
- (F) During any period when the Customer has released service to the Company for maintenance purposes or for implementation of a Customer order for a change in service arrangements;
- (G) That occurs or continues due to the Customer's failure to authorize replacement of any element of special construction; and
- (H) That was not reported to the Company within thirty (30) days of the date that service was affected.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D)

2.7 Allowances for Interruption in Service, (Cont'd)

2.7.3 Application of Credits for Interruptions in Service

- (A) Credits for interruptions in service that is provided and billed on a flat rate basis for a minimum period of at least one month, beginning on the date that billing becomes effective, shall in no event exceed an amount equivalent to the proportionate charge to the Customer for the period of service during which the event that gave rise to the claim for a credit occurred. A credit allowance is applied on a pro rata basis against the rates specified hereunder and is dependent upon the length of the interruption. Only those facilities on the interrupted portion of the circuit will receive a credit.
- (B) For calculating credit allowances, every month is considered to have thirty (30) days.

(C) Interruptions Over 24 Hours and Less Than 72 Hours

Interruptions over 24 hours and less than 72 hours will be credited 1/5 day for each 3-hour period or fraction thereof. No more than one full day's credit will be allowed for any period of 24 hours.

(D) Interruptions Over 72 Hours

Interruptions over 72 hours will be credited 2 days for each full 24-hour period. No more than thirty (30) days credit will be allowed for any one-month period.

**SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D)**

**2.7 Allowances for Interruption in Service, (Cont'd)**

**2.7.4 Limitations on Allowances**

No credit allowance will be made for:

- (A) interruptions due to the negligence of or noncompliance with the provisions of this tariff by the Customer, authorized user or joint user;
- (B) interruptions due to the negligence of any person other than the Company, including but not limited to the Customer;
- (C) interruptions of service during any period in which the Company is not given full access to its facilities and equipment for the purpose of investigating and correcting interruptions;
- (D) interruptions of service during a period in which the Customer continues to use the service on an impaired basis;
- (E) interruptions of service during any period when the Customer has released service to the Company for maintenance purposes or for implementation of a Customer order for a change in service arrangements;
- (F) interruption of service due to circumstances or causes beyond the reasonable control of Company; and
- (G) that occur or continue due to the Customer's failure to authorize replacement of any element of special construction.

**2.7.5 Cancellation For Service Interruption**

Cancellation or termination for service interruption is permitted only if any circuit experiences a single continuous outage of eight (8) hours or more or cumulative service credits equaling sixteen (16) hours in a continuous twelve (12) month period. The right to cancel service under this provision applies only to the single circuit which has been subject to the outage or cumulative service credits.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D)**2.8 Cancellation of Service/Termination Liability**

If a Customer cancels a service order or terminates services before the completion of the term for any reason other than a service interruption (as defined in Section 2.7.1) or where the Company breaches the terms in the service contract, Customer may be requested by the Company to pay to Company termination liability charges, which are defined below. These charges shall become due and owing as of the effective date of the cancellation or termination and be payable within the period set forth in Section 2.6.2.

**2.8.1 Termination Liability (Applicable only to Business Customers)**

Customer's termination liability for cancellation of service shall be equal to:

- (A) all unpaid non-recurring charges reasonably expended by Company to establish service to Customer, plus;
- (B) any disconnection, early cancellation or termination charges reasonably incurred and paid to third parties by Company on behalf of Customer, plus;
- (C) all recurring charges specified in the applicable Service Order for the balance of the then current term discounted at the prime rate announced in the *Wall Street Journal* on the third business day following the date of cancellation;
- (D) minus a reasonable allowance for costs avoided by the Company as a direct result of Customer's cancellation.

**2.9 Reserved for Future Use****2.10 Reserved for Future Use****2.11 Transfers and Assignments**

Neither the Company nor the Customer may assign or transfer its rights or duties in connection with the services and facilities provided by the Company without the written consent of the other party, except that the Company may assign its rights and duties to a) any subsidiary, parent company or affiliate of the Company; b) pursuant to any sale or transfer of substantially all the assets of the Company; or c) pursuant to any financing, merger or reorganization of the Company.

SECTION 2.0 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, (CONT'D)

**2.12 Notices and Communications**

**2.12.2** The Customer shall designate on the service order an address to which the Company shall mail or deliver all notices and other communications, except that Customer may also designate a separate address to which the Company's bills for service shall be mailed.

**2.12.3** Except as otherwise stated in this tariff, all notices or other communications required to be given pursuant to this tariff will be in writing. Notices and other communications of either party, and all bills mailed by the Company, shall be presumed to have been delivered to the other party on the third business day following placement of the notice, communication or bill with the U.S. Mail or a private delivery service, prepaid and properly addressed, or when actually received or refused by the addressee, whichever occurs first.

**2.12.4** The Customer shall advise the Company of any changes to the addresses designated for notices, other communications or billing, by following the procedures for giving notice set forth herein.

Pursuant to the Rules of the Missouri Public Service Commission, the following statement will be provided to customers of Company at the time service is established.

**2.13 Reserved For Future Use**

**SECTION 3.0 – SERVICE AREAS**

**3.1 Service Areas**

The entire state of Missouri.

**SECTION 4.0 – Reserved For Future Use**

**SECTION 5.0 – NETWORK SERVICES DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES**

**5.1 General**

**5.1.1 Services Offered**

The following Network Services are available to Customers:

Point-to-Point  
Dedicated Internet Access (DIA)

**5.1.2 Application of Rates and Charges**

All services offered in this tariff are subject to service order and change charges where the Customer requests new services or changes in existing services, as well as indicated Non-Recurring and Monthly Recurring Charges.

**5.1.3 Emergency Telephone Service Responsibilities**

Company is obligated to supply the E-911 service provider in the Company's service area (the E-911 service provider) with information necessary to update the E-911 database at the time Company submits customer orders to the local exchange company whose service is being resold pursuant to these tariffs.

At the time Company provides basic local service to a customer by means of its own cable pair, or over any other exclusively owned facility, Company will be obligated to make the necessary equipment or facility additions in the 911 service provider's equipment in order to properly update the database for 911.

Company will be obligated to provide facilities to route calls from the end users to the proper PSAP. Company recognizes the authority of the E-911 customer to establish service specifications and grant final approval or denial of service configurations offered by Company.

Company will collect 911 surcharges and remit all surcharge revenue to the appropriate governmental entity pursuant to RSMo 190.310.

SECTION 5.0 - NETWORK SERVICES DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES (CONT'D)

5.1 General (cont'd)

5.1.4 Rate Elements

- A. Nonrecurring and monthly recurring rates apply for each High Capacity Private Line Service furnished by the Company.
- B. Nonrecurring Charges ("NRC") are one-time only charges that apply on a per circuit basis. NRC's may be waived for certain promotions and under the specific terms of individually negotiated contract services.
- C. Monthly recurring rates vary according to the time period for which the Customer commits to take the service.
- D. Optional features and functions are also available on an Individual Case Basis, these include:
  - 1. Cross-Connection Charge. This rate element applies for cross connections within Company locations between one or more Customer services, or between the services of different Customers.
  - 2. Multiplexing Charge. This rate element applies where the Customer requests that its services be multiplexed onto higher bandwidth facilities for delivery to the Customer.
  - 3. DCS Port Charge. This rate element applies where the Customer requests that its services be connected to a DCS Port.

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**SECTION 5.0 - NETWORK SERVICES DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES (CONT'D)****5.2 Reserved For Future Use****5.3 DEDICATED INTERNET ACCESS (DIA)**

DIA provides businesses with reliable, uninterrupted Internet services by connecting them to a network built for industrial-strength throughput and performance, and supported by experienced customer-facing engineers. DIA offers a suite of simple, packaged solutions for turnkey Internet access. DIA provides a variety of highly reliable, high performance Internet connections through Ethernet fiber.

**Monthly Recurring Charge**

<b>50 Megabit Access Loop</b>	<b>\$4,949.00</b>
<b>50 Megabit Internet Port</b>	<b><u>\$25.00</u></b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$4,974</b>
<b>100 Megabit Access Loop</b>	<b>\$8,900.00</b>
<b>100 Megabit Internet Port</b>	<b><u>\$50.00</u></b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$8,950.00</b>
<b>500 Megabit Access Loop</b>	<b>\$9,499.00</b>
<b>500 Megabit Internet Port</b>	<b><u>\$250.00</u></b>
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$9,749.00</b>

**5.4 POINT TO POINT**

Point to Point Service allows two Customer designated locations to be connected by one Ethernet Dedicated Transport Service. The service terminated at both locations must be the same speed and the same capacity. Point to Point is comprised of two access loops.

**Monthly Recurring Charge**

<b>50 Megabit</b>	<b>\$5,999.00</b>
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**SECTION 5.0 - NETWORK SERVICES DESCRIPTIONS AND RATES (CONT'D)****5.5 LOCAL AREA NETWORK INTERCONNECT SERVICES**

Local Area Network Interconnect Service is a dedicated transport service for the interconnection of Local Area Networks (LANs) in a single metropolitan area. Service as a basic LAN extension for 10 Mbps Ethernet LANs, Local Area network Interconnect Service can connect two similar LANs within a metropolitan area, thus eliminating bottlenecks that typically occur.

Rates and charges for Local Area Network Interconnect Services will be on an Individual Case Basis.

**5.6 RESERVED FOR FUTURE USE****5.7 CUSTOM SERVICES**

High Speed Digital Access and High Capacity Private Line Services not described in this price list or requests for non-standard configurations and specialized service options will be handled on an Individual Case Basis.