

SECTION 2 – REGULATIONS (Cont'd)

2.7 Customer Responsibility (Cont'd)

2.7.3 Deposits (Cont'd)

D. Terms of Deposits

- (1) Deposits shall not exceed the estimated charges for two (2) months' service based on the average bill during the preceding twelve (12) months, or, in the case of new applicants for service, the average monthly bill for new subscribers within a customer class. (D)
- (2) Upon discontinuance or termination of service, the deposit will be credited to the charges stated on the final bill, and any balance will be returned to the customer within twenty-one (21) days of the rendition of the final bill. (T)
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- (3) Upon satisfactory payment of all undisputed charges during the last twelve (12) billing periods, guarantors will be released or deposits will be refunded or credited against charges on subsequent bills. Payment of charges will be considered satisfactory if received prior to the date upon which the charge becomes delinquent provided the charge is not in dispute. The Company may withhold the refund of a deposit pending the resolution of a dispute with respect to charges secured by the deposit. (T)
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