

PIGEON TELEPHONE COMPANY

INTRASTATE - MICHIGAN TARIFFS

<u>M.P.S.C.</u> <u>No.</u>		
1:	Local Telephone Exchange Service	
2:	Telephone Exchange Service	
6:	Directory Assistance Service	
7:	General Regulations	
13:	Public Mobile Carrier Service	
31:	Primary Basic Local Exchange Service	(N)

STATEMENT: Pigeon Telephone Company serves the exchanges as listed on Sheet No. 5, Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 1, under authority of license issued November 9, 1992 by the Michigan Public Service Commission.

The Tariffs listed above comprise the Rates, Charges, and Regulations governing the furnishing of the Intrastate services of Pigeon Telephone Company in the State of Michigan and are on file with the Michigan Public Service Commission.

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CONCURRENCE

A. STATEMENT

1. This Company, hereinafter called the Concurring Company, assents to and adopts the tariff filed with the Michigan Public Service Commission by the Michigan Bell Telephone Company as such tariff now exists as authorized in the Commission Order in Case No. U-9117, as may be revised, added to or supplemented by superseding sheets or issues insofar as such tariff applies to Dual Party Relay Service, and hereby makes itself a party thereto and obligates itself to observe the provisions thereof, with the provision that the Issuing Company reserves the right to cancel this Concurrence after compliance with the requirements as to tariff filings as may be necessary upon such cancellation.
2. It is the intent of the Company to use the approved regulations as filed by this Company in cases of conflict by the adoption of the tariff of Michigan Bell Telephone Company.

B. MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY TARIFF

M.P.S.C. No. 2 : Dual Party Relay Service

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PIGEON TELEPHONE COMPANY

Schedule of Rates, Charges, and  
Regulations governing

LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Applying in the Exchanges of this Company  
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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE  
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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE  
APPLICATION AND ARRANGEMENT OF TARIFF

A. APPLICATION

1. This Tariff applies to Local Telephone Exchange Service of the Pigeon Telephone Company - hereinafter referred to as the Telephone Company - in exchanges in Michigan as designated herein.
2. Local Telephone Exchange Service is that of furnishing facilities for telephone intercommunication between customers within a Local Service Area.
3. The provision of service is subject to regulation specified in the M.P.S.C. Tariffs of the Telephone Company, which tariffs as they now exist or as they may be revised, added to, or supplemented by superseding issues are hereby made a part of this Tariff.

B. EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

- (C) Signifies a changed regulation.
- (D) Signifies a discontinued rate, treatment or regulation.
- (I) Signifies an increased rate, or new treatment resulting in increased rate.
- (N) Signifies a new rate, treatment or regulation.
- (R) Signifies a reduced rate, or new treatment resulting in reduced rate.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE  
INDEX OF INCORPORATED VILLAGES, TOWNSHIPS  
AND COUNTIES WITHIN ITS SERVICE EXCHANGE AREA

<u>Exchange</u>	<u>Incorporated Villages</u>	<u>Townships</u>	<u>County</u>
Alba	None	Chestonia Star Hayes	Antrim  Otsego
Lake of the North	None	Hayes Mancelona Star	Otsego Antrim
Pigeon	Pigeon	Winsor Brookfield Chandler Fair Haven McKinley Oliver Caseville	Huron
Twining	Turner	Arenac Turner	Arenac
	Twining	Mason	
	None	Burleigh Sherman	Iosco

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: PIGEON

A GENERAL

1. The provision of service at the rates shown below is subject to the regulations given in the General Rules and Regulations as they now exist and are filed with and form part of this tariff.
2. The rates shown in Section B and C, following, entitle the customer to local calling to all stations bearing the designation of the following rates centers, which comprise the Local Calling Area: (C)  
(C)

BAD AXE BAY PORT CASEVILLE CASS CITY ELKTON GAGETOWN KINDE (N)  
OWENDALE PIGEON PORT AUSTIN SEBEWAING UNIONVILLE (N)

The company will block all 1+ calls dialed to any rate center listed in Section A 2, preceding. (N)

B. MONTHLY RATES: Within the Base Rate Area: <sup>1</sup> (C)

<u>Class of Service</u>		
Residence 1-Party Line	\$22.55	(I)
Business 1-Party Line	\$27.11	(I)
Private Branch Exchange	\$36.40	(I)

In addition to the MONTHLY RATES listed above, the LOCAL MOU RATES in Section C. apply. (N)

<sup>1</sup> Basic local exchange service installed after December 31,2001, will include touchcall service at no additional charge above the rates listed for the class of service installed. Residence 1-Party Line, Business 1-Party Line and Private Branch Exchange lines in service at January 1, 2002, that did not have touchcall service as an auxiliary service at the end of business December 31, 2001 will receive a monthly credit of \$1.25 during the period that line is in continual service after December 31, 2001 and touchcall service is not affirmatively added as an auxiliary service. If an end user's actions cause the disconnection of a line for any reason (such as nonpayment of a bill for regulated services, change of class of service or movement to vacation rate) that line will not qualify for any future touchcall service credit. (C)

(D)  
(D)

<sup>3</sup> EDUCATIONAL CREDIT A \$2.50 credit applies for each Private Branch Exchange or Business 1-Party Line Local Telephone Exchange Service provided to a public school. (C)  
(C)

<sup>4</sup> BUSINESS MULTI-LINE CREDIT A \$2.50 credit applies for Private Branch Exchange or Business 1-Party Line Local Telephone Exchange Service over six (6) (combined Private Branch Exchange and Business 1-Party Line services) provided to the same location and billed on the same bill. (C)  
(C)

<sup>5</sup> If both the EDUCATIONAL CREDIT and the BUSINESS MULTI-LINE CREDIT could apply, only the EDUCATIONAL CREDIT would apply. In this case, the BUSINESS MULTI-LINE CREDIT would not apply.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: PIGEON

C LOCAL MOU RATE

1. This charge applies in addition to the MONTHLY RATE listed in Section B, preceding.
2. For non 1+ and 0+ calls dialed to a station bearing the rate center designation of PIGEON, the Company will charge the following:

First 2,000 Conversation MOU in each billing period \$0.00 per MOU

Each Conversation MOU over 2,000 in that billing period \$0.00 per MOU

3. For non 1+ and 0+ call dialed to a station within the Local Calling Area, but not to a station bearing the rate center designation of PIGEON, the Company will charge the following:

First 2,000 Conversation MOU in each billing period \$0.00 per MOU

Each Conversation MOU over 2,000 in that billing period \$0.05 per MOU

4. The Company will measure Conversation MOU from the time the Company's switching equipment receives answer supervision to the earlier of when the Company's switch receives disconnection supervision from itself or from the terminating switch.
5. The Company will measure Conversation MOU to the next higher whole MOU per call.
6. The Company will not bill the end user for non-conversation time related to local calls.
7. Conversation MOU do not include 0-plus or 0-minus calls.
8. The Company will not provide call record detail for local usage as part of its LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE.
9. No MOU are carried forward from month to month.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: PIGEON

C. EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA - Which is that area described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 14, T17N, R10E, McKinley Township, Huron (C)  
County, Michigan; thence east to north 1/4 post of Section 17, T17N, R11E, Chandler (C)  
Township; thence south to the south 1/4 post of Section 32, T16N, R11E, Oliver Township; (C)  
thence west to the northwest corner of Section 3, T15N, R10E, Brookfield Township; thence (C)  
south to the southeast corner of Section 4; thence west to the southwest corner of Section  
5; thence north to the northeast corner of Section 6; thence west to the southwest corner of  
Section 31, T16N, R10E, Winsor Township; thence north to the west 1/4 post of Section (C)  
31; thence west to the west 1/4 post of Section 36, T16N, R9E, Fair Haven Township; (C)  
thence north to the northwest corner of Section 13; thence east to the southeast corner of (C)  
Section 12; thence north to Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad right-of-way on the west line of (C)  
Section 6, T16N, R10E, Winsor Township; thence easterly along said right-of-way to a point  
1/10 mile west of the east line of Section 5; thence north to a point 1/10 mile south of the  
north line of Section 5; thence west to the east 1/8 line of Section 5; thence north to the (C)  
east-west centerline of Section 29, T17N, R10E, McKinley Township; thence east to the (C)  
east 1/4 post, Section 29; thence north to the northwest corner of Section 21; thence west (C)  
to the shoreline (of Saginaw Bay); thence northerly along the shoreline (of Saginaw Bay and (C)  
around Sand Point) to a point directly north of the north 1/4 post of Section 9, Caseville (C)  
Township ; thence south to the north 1/4 post of Section 9; thence east to the northeast (C)  
corner of Section 10; thence south to the point of beginning.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: TWINING

A GENERAL

1. The provision of service at the rates shown below is subject to the regulations given in the General Rules and Regulations as they now exist and are filed with and form part of this tariff.
2. The rates shown in Section B and C, following, entitle the customer to local calling to all stations bearing the designation of the following rates centers, which comprise the Local Calling Area: (C)  
(C)

AU GRES EAST TAWAS OMER PRESCOTT TWINING WHITEMORE (N)

The company will block all 1+ calls dialed to any rate center listed in Section A 2, preceding. (N)

B. MONTHLY RATES: Within the Base Rate Area: <sup>1</sup> (C)

Class of Service

Residence 1-Party Line	\$21.07	(I)
Business 1-Party Line	\$23.37	(I)
Private Branch Exchange	\$26.30	(I)

In addition to the MONTHLY RATES listed above, the LOCAL MOU RATES in Section C. apply. (N)

<sup>1</sup> Basic local exchange service installed after December 31, 2001, will include touchcall service at no additional charge above the rates listed for the class of service installed. Residence 1-Party Line, Business 1-Party Line and Private Branch Exchange lines in service at January 1, 2002, that did not have touchcall service as an auxiliary service at the end of business December 31, 2001 will receive a monthly credit of \$1.25 during the period that line is in continual service after December 31, 2001 and touchcall service is not affirmatively added as an auxiliary service. If an end user's actions cause the disconnection of a line for any reason (such as nonpayment of a bill for regulated services, change of class of service or movement to vacation rate) that line will not qualify for any future touchcall service credit. (C)

(D)  
(D)

<sup>3</sup> EDUCATIONAL CREDIT A \$2.50 credit applies for each Private Branch Exchange or Business 1-Party Line Local Telephone Exchange Service provided to a public school. (C)  
(C)

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<sup>5</sup> If both the EDUCATIONAL CREDIT and the BUSINESS MULTI-LINE CREDIT could apply, only the EDUCATIONAL CREDIT would apply. In this case, the BUSINESS MULTI-LINE CREDIT would not apply.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: TWINING

C LOCAL MOU RATES

1. This charge applies in addition to the MONTHLY RATES listed in Section B, preceding.
2. For non 1+ and 0+ calls dialed to a station bearing the rate center designation of TWINING, the Company will charge the following:

First 2,000 Conversation MOU in each billing period \$0.00 per MOU

Each Conversation MOU over 2,000 in that billing period \$0.00 per MOU

3. For non 1+ and 0+ call dialed to a station within the Local Calling Area, but not to a station bearing the rate center designation of TWINING, the Company will charge the following:

First 2,000 Conversation MOU in each billing period \$0.00 per MOU

Each Conversation MOU over 2,000 in that billing period \$0.05 per MOU

4. The Company will measure Conversation MOU from the time the Company's switching equipment receives answer supervision to the earlier of when the Company's switch receives disconnection supervision from itself or from the terminating switch.
5. The Company will measure Conversation MOU to the next higher whole MOU per call.
6. The Company will not bill the end user for non-conversation time related to local calls.
7. Conversation MOU do not include 0-plus or 0-minus calls.
8. The Company will not provide call record detail for local usage as part of its LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE.
9. No MOU are carried forward from month to month.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: TWINING

C. EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA - Which is that area described as follows:

Commencing at the southwest corner of Section 34, T21N, R5E, Burleigh Township, Iosco County; thence north to the northwest corner Section 34; thence east to the northeast corner section 34, T21N, R6E, south to Iosco, Arenac County line; west along the county line to the northeast corner, Section 4, T20N, R6E, Turner Township, Arenac County; south to the east 1/4 post of Section 4, T19N, Au Gres Township; west to the center of Section 6, T19N, R5E; north to the north 1/4 post of section 6; T19N, R6E; west to the southwest corner, Section 33, T20N, R5E; north to the northwest corner of Section 28, T20N, R5E; east to the southwest corner, Section 22; north to the northwest corner, Section 15; east to Williams Road; north to Arenac, Iosco County line; east to the point of beginning.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: ALBA

A GENERAL

- 1. The provision of service at the rates shown below is subject to the regulations given in the General Rules and Regulations as they now exist and are filed with and form part of this tariff.
- 2. The rates shown in Section B and C, following, entitle the customer to local calling to all stations bearing the designation of the following rates centers, which comprise the Local Calling Area: (C)  
(C)

ALBA BELLAIRE GAYLORD ELMIRA EAST JORDAN LAKES OF THE NORTH MANCELONA (C)(N)

The company will block all 1+ calls dialed to any rate center listed in Section A 2, preceding. (N)

B. MONTHLY RATES: Within the Base Rate Area: <sup>1</sup> (C)

Class of Service

Residence 1-Party Line	\$22.55	(I)
Business 1-Party Line	\$27.11	(I)
Private Branch Exchange	\$36.40	(I)

In addition to the MONTHLY RATES listed above, the LOCAL MOU RATES in Section C. apply. (N)

<sup>1</sup> Basic local exchange service installed after December 31, 2001, will include touchcall service at no additional charge above the rates listed for the class of service installed. Residence 1-Party Line, Business 1-Party Line and Private Branch Exchange lines in service at January 1, 2002, that did not have touchcall service as an auxiliary service at the end of business December 31, 2001 will receive a monthly credit of \$1.25 during the period that line is in continual service after December 31, 2001 and touchcall service is not affirmatively added as an auxiliary service. If an end user's actions cause the disconnection of a line for any reason (such as nonpayment of a bill for regulated services, change of class of service or movement to vacation rate) that line will not qualify for any future touchcall service credit. (C)

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<sup>3</sup> EDUCATIONAL CREDIT A \$2.50 credit applies for each Private Branch Exchange or Business 1-Party Line Local Telephone Exchange Service provided to a public school. (C)  
(C)

<sup>4</sup> BUSINESS MULTI-LINE CREDIT A \$2.50 credit applies for Private Branch Exchange or Business 1-Party Line Local Telephone Exchange Service over six (6) (combined Private Branch Exchange and Business 1-Party Line services) provided to the same location and billed on the same bill. (C)  
(C)

<sup>5</sup> If both the EDUCATIONAL CREDIT and the BUSINESS MULTI-LINE CREDIT could apply, only the EDUCATIONAL CREDIT would apply. In this case, the BUSINESS MULTI-LINE CREDIT would not apply.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: ALBA

C LOCAL MOU RATES

1. This charge applies in addition to the MONTHLY RATES listed in Section B, preceding.
2. For non 1+ and 0+ calls dialed to a station bearing the rate center designation of ALBA or LAKES OF THE NORTH, the Company will charge the following:

First 2,000 Conversation MOU in each billing period \$0.00 per MOU

Each Conversation MOU over 2,000 in that billing period \$0.00 per MOU

3. For non 1+ and 0+ call dialed to a station within the Local Calling Area, but not to a station bearing the rate center designation of ALBA nor LAKES OF THE NORTH, the Company will charge the following:

First 2,000 Conversation MOU in each billing period \$0.00 per MOU

Each Conversation MOU over 2,000 in that billing period \$0.05 per MOU

4. The Company will measure Conversation MOU from the time the Company's switching equipment receives answer supervision to the earlier of when the Company's switch receives disconnection supervision from itself or from the terminating switch.
5. The Company will measure Conversation MOU to the next higher whole MOU per call.
6. The Company will not bill the end user for non-conversation time related to local calls.
7. Conversation MOU do not include 0-plus or 0-minus calls.
8. The Company will not provide call record detail for local usage as part of its LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE.
9. No MOU are carried forward from month to month.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: ALBA

C. EXCHANGE SERVICE AREA - Which is that area described as follows:

Beginning at the northwest corner of Section 6, T30N, R6W, Chestonia Township, Antrim County; east to the northeast corner of Section 1, Star Township; south to the northwest corner of Section 18, T30N, R4W, Hayes Township, Otsego County; east to the northeast corner of Section 16; south to the southeast corner of Section 21; west to the northeast corner of Section 27, Star Township, Antrim County; south to the southwest corner of said section; west to the northeast corner of Section 32; south to the southeast corner of said section; west to the southwest corner of Section 34, Chestonia Township; north to the northwest corner of said section; west to the southwest corner of Section 30; north to the point of beginning.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: LAKES OF THE NORTH (C)

A GENERAL

- 1. The provision of service at the rates shown below is subject to the regulations given in the General Rules and Regulations as they now exist and are filed with and form part of this tariff.
- 2. The rates shown in Section B and C, following, entitle the customer to local calling to all stations bearing the designation of the following rates centers, which comprise the Local Calling Area: (C)

ALBA GAYLORD GRAYLING LAKES OF THE NORTH MANCELONA MANISTEE RIVER (C)(N)

The company will block all 1+ calls dialed to any rate center listed in Section A 2, preceding. (N)

B. MONTHLY RATES: Within the Base Rate Area: <sup>1</sup> (C)

<u>Class of Service</u>		
Residence 1-Party Line	\$22.55	(I)
Business 1-Party Line	\$27.11	(I)
Private Branch Exchange	\$36.40	(I)

In addition to the MONTHLY RATES listed above, the LOCAL MOU RATES in Section C. apply. (N)

<sup>1</sup> Basic local exchange service installed after December 31, 2001, will include touchcall service at no additional charge above the rates listed for the class of service installed. Residence 1-Party Line, Business 1-Party Line and Private Branch Exchange lines in service at January 1, 2002, that did not have touchcall service as an auxiliary service at the end of business December 31, 2001 will receive a monthly credit of \$1.25 during the period that line is in continual service after December 31, 2001 and touchcall service is not affirmatively added as an auxiliary service. If an end user's actions cause the disconnection of a line for any reason (such as nonpayment of a bill for regulated services, change of class of service or movement to vacation rate) that line will not qualify for any future touchcall service credit. (C)

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<sup>3</sup> EDUCATIONAL CREDIT A \$2.50 credit applies for each Private Branch Exchange or Business 1-Party Line Local Telephone Exchange Service provided to a public school. (C)

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

Exchange: LAKES OF THE NORTH

C LOCAL MOU RATES

1. This charge applies in addition to the MONTHLY RATES listed in Section B, preceding.
2. For non 1+ and 0+ calls dialed to a station bearing the rate center designation of LAKES OF THE NORTH or ALBA, the Company will charge the following:

First 2,000 Conversation MOU in each billing period \$0.00 per MOU

Each Conversation MOU over 2,000 in that billing period \$0.00 per MOU

3. For non 1+ and 0+ call dialed to a station within the Local Calling Area, but not to a station bearing the rate center designation of LAKES OF THE NORTH nor ALBA, the Company will charge the following:

First 2,000 Conversation MOU in each billing period \$0.00 per MOU

Each Conversation MOU over 2,000 in that billing period \$0.05 per MOU

4. The Company will measure Conversation MOU from the time the Company's switching equipment receives answer supervision to the earlier of when the Company's switch receives disconnection supervision from itself or from the terminating switch.
5. The Company will measure Conversation MOU to the next higher whole MOU per call.
6. The Company will not bill the end user for non-conversation time related to local calls.
7. Conversation MOU do not include 0-plus or 0-minus calls.
8. The Company will not provide call record detail for local usage as part of its LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE.
9. No MOU are carried forward from month to month.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE  
SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGES

A. GENERAL

1. The Service Charges covered herein are applicable in connection with the establishment of telephone service and subsequent additions of lines and other service.
2. Service Charges
  - a. The Service Charge is the charge for work performed by the Telephone Company in connection with receiving, recording and processing of customer requests for service ordered to be performed or provided at the same time, on the same system and on the same premises. The term "per order" means all work or service ordered at the same time for the same account.
  - b. The Line Connection Charges applied to each central office line (exchange line, trunks, etc) for work required in the central office and outside plant, including restoral of service after temporary disconnection of service for nonpayment.
3. Customer Premises
  - a. A premises is a building, portion of a building or buildings on the same continuous property occupied by the customer in the conduct of his business or occupied by the customer as a residence. All space for offices occupied by a customer on the same or separate floors of one building are considered as a single (or same) premises.
    - (1) Same continuous property shall mean an uninterrupted plot of land within the same block and occupied by one customer. Same block is defined as a parcel of land enclosed but uncrossed by public thoroughfares.
    - (2) A building shall mean a structure on one foundation or two structures on separate foundations with a common wall or abutting walls with ready access from one structure to the other by means of doorways or permanent openings through the intervening wall or walls. Structures in the same or different block occupied by one customer and connected by passageways shall be considered as the same building if the passageway is actually used as a continuation of the space in the two buildings and not principally used as a walkway.
4. Additional Conditions
  - a. Service charges are in addition to all other applicable rates and charges associated with the service being provided. Installation charges for additional equipment as shown in Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 2 may apply in lieu of wiring or station connection charges.
  - b. The charges specified herein do not contemplate work being performed by the Company employees at a time when overtime wages apply due to the request of the customer nor do they contemplate work begun being interrupted by the customer. If the customer requests overtime labor being performed or interrupts work once begun, a charge in addition to the specified charges will be made equal to the additional cost involved.
  - c. No service charges apply for a change in equipment or move of equipment if made on the initiative of the Telephone Company for maintenance reasons or because of a change in the type of central office operation or for other Company reasons.
5. Restoral of Service
  - a. Service discontinued by the Telephone Company because of nonpayment, when the service has not been disconnected, is subject to the Restoral of Service Charge.
  - b. When service is rendered inoperative by fire or other causes beyond the control of the customer which render the premises unfit for occupancy, the same service as destroyed will be reestablished at the same or different location, at the option of the customer, without Service or Installation Charge.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE  
SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGES

B. SERVICE CHARGES

1. Service Ordering Charge

a. Initial Service Order, Per Order

Applies to any new customer's service order. \$ 14.00

b. Subsequent Service Order, Per Order

Applies to any present customer's order to relocate,  
install, change or add to the service; restoral of  
service after disconnect for nonpayment; additional  
central lines, et cetera. 5.00

2. Line Connection Charge

Per Line 5.00

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE  
DIRECTORY LISTINGS

A. GENERAL

1. Directories are furnished as an aid to the use of the telephone service. The telephone company reserves the right to refuse to insert any listing in its directories which does not facilitate directory service.
2. A listing in the alphabetical section of the directory is provided each customer without charge, under the conditions set forth in this tariff.

B. LIMITATIONS

1. Listings are limited to information which is essential to identification.
2. The length of a listing may be shortened or abbreviated when the clearness of the listing and identification of the customer is not impaired thereby. When more than one line is necessary to properly list the customer, no additional charge is made.
3. A listing must be in the actual name of the customer to whom service is rendered, or the name of a member, officer, employee or representative thereof, or the name of another business which the customer represents, controls or owns. Listings other than those specified herein are available only in connection with Joint User Service or as a Combined Given Name Listing.
4. The following listings are not acceptable and will not be published in the telephone directory:
  - a. An assumed name unless it is registered as required by law.
  - b. A name is likely to mislead or deceive the public or which is inserted for advertising purposes.
  - c. A commodity or trade name.
  - d. Double name listings such as XYZ Manufacturing Company, John Doe, Manager.
  - e. Symbols, as they cannot be properly placed alphabetically.
5. When PBX trunk or rotary line users are served by central office equipment which permits the selection of an idle facility in the customer's group, only one listing is provided at no charge. Additional listings may be provided for other lines in the customer's group at the additional listing rate contained herein.
6. In order to assist in locating a listing where the surname may be spelled in more than one way, the telephone company may insert alphabetically a cross reference listing showing the other spelling of the name.
7. Residence listings may include the standard abbreviation for military titles or professional degrees or titles earned by a customer which are an aid to the general public. Standard abbreviations for titles or degrees earned that are of commercial value may be included in the customer's business listing.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE  
JOINT USER SERVICE

A. GENERAL

1. Joint User Service is an arrangement whereby a person or firm - designated a Joint User - is permitted to use the service of a customer. To facilitate this use, a directory listing is provided for each Joint User.
2. Joint User Service is provided only in connection with individual line business service and private branch exchange business service. The use of residence service by persons other than the customer is provided for under Extra Directory Listings.
3. The Joint User must be located in the same office or suite of offices as the customer, or in an office immediately adjacent thereto and connected therewith by passageways other than public passageways.
4. Joint User Service is not furnished in association with the service of a customer who is engaged primarily in performing service of a secretarial nature or who is in the business of renting space to transient or permanent tenants.
5. No separate ring numbers of distinctive designations are assigned for the purpose of signaling Joint Users.
6. Joint User Service must be contracted for by the original customer who is required to assume responsibility for all charges incurred by the Joint User.
7. Charges for Joint User Service date from the day the traffic information records are posted - such information at the option of the customer being posted at the time the order is completed or when the listing is published in the directory. The Joint User Service is automatically discontinued upon termination of the main service. The minimum charge for Joint User Service, however, is the charge for the period of one month.

B. RATES

Joint User Service, including one listing in the directory, is furnished at 1/2 the charge for one individual Business Line (and Mileage), per month.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE  
COMBINATION MAIN STATION SERVICE

A. GENERAL

1. Combination Main Station Service applies to cases where a customer wishes to contract for a main station service at each of two separate locations (ordinarily each station will be assigned a separate telephone number) within the same exchange, so as to be able to answer calls for one main station at the other main station location or both stations at either location.
2. Combination Main Station Service is provided only in connection with individual lines (excluding coin box lines and lines terminating in key telephone systems, key equipments, key cabinets and similar switching devices) and is furnished subject to the ability of the Telephone Company to provide satisfactory transmission and signaling arrangements and to the rate treatment outlined herein.
3. Combination Main Station Service may be employed where one station is at a business location and the other at the residence or where both stations are at either business or residence locations, but only in connection with services contracted for and used by the same customer.

B. RATES

1. Each main station is charged for at the established individual line business or residence rate, according to the classification of the service at each premises as to business or residence character.
2. In applying exchange line mileage charges, as provided for in Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 2, each main station service is considered separately and the mileage charges applicable for individual line service are assessed for each service.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

PAYSTATION SERVICE

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A. GENERAL

Paystation Service provides telephone service to a customer-leased or owned paystation with or without coin collecting devices. A Paystation Access Line permits providers of such service to provide pay telephone service to the public.

B. DEFINITIONS

Coin Supervision - Provides signaling capability from the central office for paystations that do not have signaling capability within the telephone. This signaling capability provides operators and/or operator systems coin control.

Customer - For the purposes of this tariff, the customer is the Paystation Service Provider.

Network Interface Device - A company provided jack or its equivalent. It is the point of connection between the Company owned wiring and wiring owned by the customer. For the purposes of this tariff, the network interface device will be installed at a location mutually agreed upon by the customer and the Company.

Originating Line Screening (OLS) - Enables operator service providers to determine whether there are billing restrictions on the exchange access line from which a call originates. OLS service delivers codes on operator assisted calls to identify calls originating from privately owned paystations, inmate locations, and hotels/motels, etc. Rates for this service are found in the appropriate interstate access tariff, when facilities and service are available.

Paystation Access Line - A basic coin transmission dial tone line. It is a line side connection from the local exchange switch to the point of demarcation at the customer premises.

Selective Class of Call Screening - Enables the customer to restrict outgoing operator-handled calls, placed over the Company's network, from the service point to only those calls which are charged to a called telephone, a third number or a calling card. Selective Class of Call Screening will be provided at the customer's option, where such facilities are available.

C. RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Paystation service will be considered a business service for the purpose of applying the terms, rates and conditions found elsewhere in this tariff.
2. Only one paystation instrument may be connected to each Paystation Access Line. Off-premise Extensions are not permitted.
3. The customer shall be responsible for the installation, operation and maintenance of any paystation instrument used in connection with this service.
4. Requests to Directory Assistance Service originated from paystations will be charged the applicable rate of the Directory Assistance Service Provider.
5. Directory listings may be provided under the regulations that govern the furnishing of listings for business customers.
6. Coin-free operator and emergency 911 access must be available from all paystations.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

PAYSTATION SERVICE

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C. RULES AND REGULATIONS (Continued)

7. One directory will be distributed to the customer without charge for each paystation business exchange line.
8. The customer is responsible for the provision of booths, shelves, directories and all other ancillary equipment.
9. The customer shall be responsible for the payment of charges for all local and toll messages originating from or accepted at this type of service, including any Directory Assistance Calls. The Company shall not be liable for shortages of coins collected and deposited at the customer's paystation instrument.
10. The Company reserves the right to disconnect service when the customer does not comply with the F.C.C. and state rules and regulations related to paystation service and equipment.
11. The Multiline Business Subscriber Line Charge, found the in the interstate and intrastate access tariff, is applicable to all paystation access lines.
12. All Company owned paystations will comply with the Rules, Regulations and Rates outlined in this Paystation Service tariff.

D. RATES AND CHARGES

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
1. Paystation Access Line <sup>1</sup>	Business One-Party local rate shall apply
2. Coin Supervision	\$2.21
	<u>Coin Rate<sup>2</sup></u>
3. Each outgoing local message	\$0.20

<sup>1</sup>No measured service rates apply. Installation, move and change charges will be those applicable to business service.

<sup>2</sup>This rate is not regulated by the Commission.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

TOUCHCALL

1. GENERAL

- a. Touchcall provides for dialing a telephone by means of push buttons in lieu of a rotary dial.
- b. Touchcall service is included with all classes of local exchange service.

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

CHANNEL CHARGES

A. GENERAL

1. Application of Boundary Designations

- a. Boundaries for the service areas for exchanges are designated on maps in Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 1.
- b. Each establishment is within only one Exchange or Zone service area except as provided in c. below.
- c. Where the boundary is designated as a road (street or highway) the area includes that side of the highway on which are located the general plant facilities serving both sides of the highway. When such facilities are located on the near side of the highway, a customer located on the opposite side is considered to be within the area if he can be served by a drop wire using not more than one additional pole; when the general facilities are located on the far side of the boundary, a customer on that side is considered to be within the area if he can be served by means of a drop wire not requiring any additional poles.
- d. Where the boundary is designated as the center of the road (street or highway) each side of the road is in a different service area.
- e. Where the boundary is designated as a river (stream) or railroad, each side of the river or railroad is in a different service area.
- f. Where the boundary divides a lake, the shore of the lake is in different service areas in accordance with the boundary designation at the shore line.
- g. Where the boundary is designated as a Township Section Line or a specified distance from a Township Section Line, customers are served in accordance with their location with respect to such boundary line. When such a line is other than the section line or one quarter or one half mile from a section line, the location of the boundary line with respect to the section line will be shown in feet or fractional miles on the Tariff Map Sheet.

2. Definitions

- a. The term "Same Building" refers to a structure on one foundation or structures on separate foundations with abutting walls and ready access between structures by means of doors through such walls.
- b. The term "Same Block" refers to a parcel of platted land enclosed, but uncrossed, by public thoroughfares other than alleys. Railroad tracks are not considered public thoroughfares.

C. CHANNEL CHARGES

(Monthly Rates):

1. Terminals in same building	No Charge
2. Terminals in different buildings within the same block and not more than 660 feet airline mileage from main station (per channel)	\$ 1.00
3. Terminals in different blocks or over 660 feet (per channel):	
First 1/4 airline mile or fraction	4.00
Each additional 1/4 mile or fraction	1.00

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CHANNEL CHARGES

APPLYING ONLY TO SERVICE IN THE TWINING EXCHANGE

B. CHANNEL CHARGES (Continued)  
(Monthly Rates):

	Individual Line,
1. Terminals in same building.	No Charge
2. Terminals in different buildings within the same block and not more than 660 feet airline mileage from main station (per channel).	\$ .80
3. Terminals in different blocks or over 660 feet (per channel):	
First 1/4 air-line mile or fraction	3.00
Each additional 1/4 mile or fraction	1.00

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE  
LEASED WIRE FACILITIES

1. GENERAL

Local channels (open wire or cable) will be provided where facilities are available to be used for signal and non-telephone purposes, other than radio channels.

2. RATES

The monthly rates are in addition to the regular rates for the class of service furnished and any applicable service charges as covered under Service Charges in Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 1. Facilities provided by the Telephone Company are furnished, installed and maintained at the following charges based on circuit measurements per channel per month:

	<u>Monthly Charge</u>
First 1/4 mile or fraction	\$ 4.00
Additional 1/4 mile or fraction	1.00

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LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

LIFELINE SERVICE

A. DESCRIPTION

1. Lifeline applies discounts to monthly recurring rates for qualifying residential customers. These discounts are applied to existing rates and charges for residential telephone service.
2. In order to be eligible for Lifeline a residential customer's annual household income must be at or below 150% of the poverty level as determined by the United States Department of Health and Human Services and as approved by the State Treasurer, or the person must participate in one of the following programs:
  - a. Medicaid
  - b. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) – Food Stamps
  - c. Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
  - d. Federal Public Housing Assistance/Section 8
  - e. Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
  - f. National School Lunch Program's free lunch program
  - g. Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) a/k/a Family Independence Program
3. Lifeline includes the services and functionalities enumerated in by the FCC. as follows: voice grade access to the public switched network or its functional equivalent; minutes of use for local service provided at no additional charge to end users; access to the emergency services provided by local government or other public safety organizations, such as 911 and enhanced 911, to the extent the local government in an eligible carrier's service area has implemented 911 or enhanced 911 systems; and toll limitation services.
4. Other services can be provided with Lifeline at applicable rates and charges.
5. Proof of eligibility will be required for all initial Lifeline applicants and all Lifeline recipients will be required to re-certify every year.

B. REGULATIONS

1. Regulations specified elsewhere in the Company's tariffs apply to Lifeline.
2. Lifeline is available only with residence services, excluding foreign exchange service. Lifeline is limited to a single subscription per household where household is defined to be any individual or group of individuals who are living together at the same address as one economic unit. For the purposes of this rule, an economic unit consists of all adult individuals contributing to and sharing in the income and expenses of a household.
3. A miscellaneous service charge does not apply when Lifeline is added or discontinued to existing service when that is the only work being done.
4. The Lifeline plan will apply after receipt and processing of a completed Lifeline application, including documentation indicating that the household income meets the eligibility standards established above.
5. Customers of Lifeline must notify the Company of any changes which would affect qualification. Recerification of eligibility will take place on an ongoing basis. When the customer is no longer eligible for Lifeline service, the Lifeline discount will be discontinued and regular tariff rates and charges will apply.
6. As a participant in Lifeline, customers are eligible to receive toll blocking service at no charge. This service will only be provided at the customer's request. Toll blocking service is defined as a central office service that restricts access to the network. Toll blocking is provided where facilities permit and will not allow 1+, 0+, 0-, 101XXXX, 900, or interzone calls to be completed. Toll blocking does not restrict local calls, calls to intraNPA directory assistance, telephone repair service, 911, or calls to 800 or 950 numbers.
7. Local service deposit requirements will be waived for customers who voluntarily receive Toll Blocking Service.
8. Participants in Lifeline shall not be disconnected from local service for nonpayments of toll charges. In addition, The Company will not deny re-establishment of local service to customers who are eligible for Lifeline and have previously been disconnected for nonpayment of toll charges.

LOCAL TELEPHONE EXCHANGE SERVICE

LIFELINE SERVICE

C. MONTHLY RATES AND DISCOUNTS FOR LIFELINE CUSTOMERS

1. The discount on the monthly rate for residential exchange service for qualified Lifeline customers shall be \$9.25 from the Federal discount program plus \$2.00 from the State discount program for a total discount of \$11.25. Credits are applied to the end user's basic local exchange service. At no time shall the total Lifeline credit exceed the sum of the end user common line charge and the basic local exchange rate. The discount on the monthly rate for residential exchange service for qualified Lifeline customers 65 years of age or more shall be \$9.25 from the Federal discount program plus \$3.10 from the State discount program for a total discount of \$12.35. Credits are applied to the end user's basic local exchange service. At no time shall the total Lifeline credit exceed the sum of the end-user common line charge and the basic local exchange rate.

D. MONTHLY RATE FOR NON LIFELINE CUSTOMERS

A rate specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C No. 25 Part XVII, General applies per exchange access line to cover the costs of the Lifeline service, to the Telephone Company intrastate services as listed below:

- Business and Residence exchange services excluding Lifeline customers.
- PBX Trunk Services
- Centrex Services

The rate for business Centrex station lines will be computed based on the trunk Equivalence Table specified in the Company's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 2.

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FEDERAL PROGRAMS

1. UNIVERSAL SERVICE SUPPORT FOR LIBRARIES AND SCHOOLS

1. In accordance with 1997 PA 95 of the Michigan Telecommunications Act, and 47 CFR 54.500 *et. seq.*, eligible elementary and secondary schools shall receive intrastate services at discounts equal to the discounts applicable for eligible interstate services if the Company receives federal universal support for such telecommunication services.
2. In accordance with 1997 PA 96 of the Michigan Telecommunications Act, and 47 CFR 54.500 *et seq.*, eligible libraries shall receive intrastate services at discounts equal to the discounts applicable for eligible interstate services if the Company receives federal universal support for such telecommunication services.
3. Eligibility for discounts shall be determined in accordance with 47 CFR 54.500 *et seq.*

2. UNIVERSAL SERVICE SUPPORT FOR HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS

1. In accordance with 47 CFR 54.601 *et. seq.*, the Company shall offer services to eligible health care providers to the extent that facilities and services are available.
2. Eligibility qualifications, provider selection, etc. shall be determined in accordance with 47 CFR 54.601 *et. seq.*
3. Services to eligible health care providers at reduced rates will be offered in accordance with 47 CFR 54.601 *et. seq.*
4. Reduced rates to eligible health care providers are available only to the extent that adequate funding is available from the federal universal support fund.

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PIGEON TELEPHONE COMPANY

Schedule of Rates, Charges, and  
Regulations governing

AUXILIARY SERVICES

Applying in the Exchanges of this Company in Michigan  
as designated herein in Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 1.



AUXILIARY SERVICES

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## AUXILIARY SERVICES

### A. APPLICATION

This tariff applies to Auxiliary Services of Pigeon Telephone Company, hereinafter referred to as the Telephone Company, in Exchanges of the Telephone Company in Michigan.

The provision of service and facilities, as provided herein, is subject to the General Rules and Regulations of the Telephone Company, which General Rules and Regulations as they not exist or as they may be revised, added to or supplemented by superseding issues are hereby made a part of these General Exchange Service Tariffs.

### B. EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

(C) Signifies a changed regulation.

(D) Signifies a discontinued rate, treatment or regulation.

(I) Signifies an increased rate or new treatment resulting in increased rate.

(N) Signifies a new rate, treatment or regulation.

(R) Signifies a reduced rate or new treatment resulting in reduced rate.

### C. DEFINITION

Auxiliary Service is that of furnishing facilities for telephone intercommunication between customers within a local service area.

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AUXILIARY SERVICES  
SPECIAL FACILITIES AND ARRANGEMENTS

GENERAL

1. Special facilities not ordinarily provided, are furnished wherever practicable, if not detrimental to any of the services furnished by the Telephone Company, at charges equivalent to the estimated cost of furnishing such facilities.
2. Estimated cost consists of an estimate of the following items to the extent that they are applicable:
  - a. Cost of maintenance.
  - b. Cost of operation.
  - c. Depreciation on the estimated cost installed of any facilities provided, based on the anticipated useful service life of the facilities with an appropriate allowance for the estimated net salvage.
  - d. Administration, taxes and uncollectible revenue on the basis of reasonable average charges for these items.
  - e. Any other specific items of expense associated with the particular situation.
  - f. A reasonable amount, computed on the estimated cost installed of any facilities provided, for return and contingencies.

Estimated cost of the facilities in (c) and (f) above includes cost of equipment and materials specifically provided or used plus the estimated cost of installing, including engineering, labor, supervision, transportation, rights-of-way and any other items which are chargeable to the capital accounts.

3. In particular cases where warranted by the circumstances, the charge may be in the form of a non-recurring charge only, or a monthly charge only, or both non-recurring and a monthly charge may apply.

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CENTREX

A. GENERAL

1. Description

- a. Centrex consists of digital switching equipment on Company premises, connected to station lines on the customer's premises.
- b. Centrex enables stations to dial each other and to dial outgoing calls directly. Incoming calls may be dialed directly to any station. Incoming calls to the main listed number for the service are connected to a designated station and then completed to the desired party by operation of the call transfer feature.
- c. Centrex is offered only where the customer's location is served by central office switching equipment that has the capacity to provide the service.
- d. Centrex is furnished with a specific array of features as shown in B. FEATURE DESCRIPTIONS.
- e. Attendant consoles are located on customer premises.
- f. Centrex is offered only as a complete service. The Centrex station line charges consist of exchange access and intercommunication. Exchange access cannot be provided without intercommunication.
- g. The Centrex station line class of service is a business line that serves the premises of the business customer.

2. Station Line Charge Application

- a. The Centrex station line consists of all facilities, including the station line number, intercommunication and outside plant facilities, from the Centrex switching equipment to the interface arrangement on the customer's premises.
- b. Service charges specified elsewhere in the Company's tariffs apply for Centrex station lines.

3. Directory Listings

- a. The Company will furnish, without charge, one main listing and up to seven individual listings for a customer in the regular exchange directory in addition to a sublisting indicating that stations may be dialed directly if the number is known.

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5. Centrex Payment Plans

- a. Centrex is offered under a Centrex Term Payment Plan (CTPP) option.
- b. The CTPP option allows a customer to pay a fixed rate for station lines and other designated service and equipment over one of two optional payment periods.
- c. A payment period is the period of time selected by the customer from those currently offered by the Company, over which a specified rate is paid.
- d. During the effective term of the payment period, the contracted for monthly rate on a payment period of longer than one month is not subject to Company-initiated change.
- e. The minimum payment period is one month, unless otherwise specified.
- f. The 36 month or 60 month payment period options are available only to customers who subscribe to 20 or more station lines.
- g. Unless specifically exempted, services furnished under the payment plan option are subject to all Company regulation specified in this and other tariffs.

6. Centrex Term Payment Plan (CTPP) Extension

- a. At the option of the customer, the CTPP may be extended for an additional period of from twenty-four to thirty-six months at the same rates and charges presently under contract.
- b. This option is limited to one time only per system.
- c. A written request from the customer for the extension will be accepted by the Company any time prior to the termination date of the original CTPP.

7. Regulations

Centrex service is subject to the following regulations:

- a. All customer station lines in the same Centrex system, regardless of location, must be covered by the same term payment plan option.
- b. Centrex service requires that the customer's principal location continue to be located in the same serving central office for the duration of the payment period.
- c. An existing Centrex customer who moves the principal location within the serving central office or moves any other location in the same Centrex system within, can retain the payment plan option. All station lines involved in a relocation of Centrex service, are subject to then current tariff installation charges.
- d. When all of the station lines of the Centrex system are not equipped with the same level of service, the appropriate rates and charges specified elsewhere in this tariff for Split Service apply.

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8. Application of Rates and Charges

- a. Centrex customers are permitted to add station lines and Centrex optional features at the rates and charges in effect at the time the customer subscribes to the CTPP. Optional features not provided at the time the customer subscribes to the CTPP may be subsequently installed at the then current rates and charges. Station lines may be subsequently added at the monthly rate in effect at the time the customer subscribes to the CTPP. Then current tariff installation charges or other nonrecurring charges apply for subsequent station line additions.
- b. Reduction of Centrex optional features and consoles are permitted without incurring any termination charge.
- c. Monthly rates cannot be pre-paid under the payment plan option.
- d. If the customer requests the disconnection of all or any part of the service prior to expiration of any payment period longer than one month, termination charges apply as outlined in this tariff.
- e. When customers renew or change the length of their payment period, the then currently effective tariff rates apply for the new period.
- f. Recurring rates and installation, termination, service establishment and other non recurring charges apply according to the appropriate schedules outlined elsewhere in this tariff

9. Deferred Payment of Nonrecurring Charges

- a. Payment of the following nonrecurring charges may be paid over a 12 or 24 month period, subject to conditions outlined in this tariff.
  - (1) Installation Charge (Not including additions)
  - (2) Service Establishment Charge
- b. The total amount of the eligible nonrecurring charges may be deferred with a minimum of \$3,000.00 per customer location (per Letter of Election).
- c. Interest on deferred payment of nonrecurring charges will be calculated at the rate set forth in the deferred payment agreement executed by the customer. The interest rate to be charged on deferred payments will be revised periodically by the Company.
- d. The deferred payment of nonrecurring charges, including calculated interest, will be prorated on a monthly basis over the selected deferral period.
- e. Deferred charges must be paid in full when the customer:
  - (1) Selects a payment period shorter than the deferral period.
  - (2) Discontinues service prior to expiration of the selected deferral period.
  - (3) Fails to pay a monthly amount hereunder within 30 days of its due date.
- f. Customer may prepay only the total outstanding deferred charges during the selected deferral period and will be given a credit for the amount of unearned interest.

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10. Renewal Options

The customer has the following renewal options:

- a. Prior to completion of the current payment period, any other available payment period at then current tariff rates may be selected. The customer will begin paying the new period rates on the day following the expiration of the prior payment period.
- b. Service may be continued month-to-month at the current rates for the one-month payment period. The customer has no additional service commitment and is no longer subject to termination charges. The one month service rates will be subject to Company-initiated rate adjustments.
- c. If the customer does not elect an additional payment period and does not request discontinuance of service, service will be continued at the then current rates for the one-month payment period under terms stated in b. preceding.

11. Transfer of Service

- a. Service may be transferred to a new customer at the same location, upon prior written concurrence by the Company and payment of a transfer charge by the new customer.
- b. In addition to assuming the responsibility to pay the rates for the remainder of the period, the new customer assumes the conditions applicable to the offering at the time of assignment. Any service or equipment rearrangements or additions are subject to the rates and charges applicable. Transfer of service to a new customer is permitted only if the new customer remains at the same address of the former customer for a six month period. Termination charges apply if the customer transfers service to a new address within this period.

Transfer Charge

\$ 150.00

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12. Termination Prior to Term Expiration

- a. If the Centrex service is terminated in whole or in part, except as otherwise provided herein, prior to expiration of the agreed to payment period, the customer shall be required to pay a termination charge determined by the application of the following formula for station lines:

$$\begin{array}{rcccccc} \text{Minimum \# of Station Lines (20)} & & & & & & \\ \text{Excess Lines} & \times & \text{Monthly} & \times & \text{\# of Months} & \times & 50\% \\ & & \text{Rate} & & \text{Remaining} & & \\ & & & & \text{In Contract} & & \\ + & & & & & & \\ \text{Common Equipment} & & & & & & \end{array}$$

- b. The termination base for station lines shall be determined by (1) the number and type of station lines initially installed or (2) if the station line growth exceeds the initially installed number and type of stations by 10 percent at the end of the first 12 months of service, the maximum number and type of station lines in service at the end of the 12 month period applies.
- c. A customer who reduces station lines below the 80 percent commitment has the following options for the duration of the contract period:
  - (1) Continue to pay an amount equal to the monthly rates for 80 percent of the station lines in service at the time the customer entered into the CTPP, or
  - (2) pay termination charges as covered in a. and b. preceding on the number of station lines below the 80 percent commitment that are disconnected and continue to pay only for the actual number of station lines in service.

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B. FEATURE DESCRIPTIONS

1. Add-On - permits a station user to establish a three-party conference by adding one more station line within the same system to an existing incoming call without the assistance of the attendant.
2. Attendant Access Line - provides a circuit between the central office serving the Centrex system and the attendant position on the customer's premises. These lines are provided for the completion of calls directed to the attendant.
3. Attendant Call Selection - enables an attendant to answer incoming calls using either of the following methods:
  - in the order they are received, regardless of the incoming call type;
  - by manually selecting a specific incoming call type.
4. Attendant Call Transfer (Incoming) - permits the transferring of incoming calls from one station line to another by the attendant.
5. Attendant Console - provides a means of originating outgoing calls, completing incoming calls to station lines associated with the system and transferring central office calls from station line to station line.
6. Attendant Console Display - assists attendants in handling calls efficiently. The display unit is a module and is attached to the attendant console.
7. Attendant Locked Loop Operation - allows the attendant to hold a call on a loop.
8. Attendant Release Upon Completion of Dialing - allows an attendant to extend a call to a trunk, then release the call after the dialing is completed and before outpulsing to the trunk is completed.
9. Automatic Recall - provides two automatic recall timers: one for don't answer calls and one for camped-on recalls.

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B. FEATURE DESCRIPTIONS

10. Automatic Route Selection - (ARS) - provides for dial completion of outgoing calls, from Centrex station lines over a variety of available facilities subscribed to by the customer.

The initial route selection and up to three alternate routes in each pattern are arranged as specified by the customer. A maximum of 64 patterns may be provided where facility conditions permit.

By dialing an access code for a group of patterns and a 7 to 11 digit telephone number, Automatic Route Selection automatically selects the preferred routes to complete the call, and if no route is available, overflows to either:

- The local exchange trunks provided with the Centrex system, or
- To an overflow tone, upon condition that the customer contract for sufficient facilities which, in the judgment of the Company, provide an adequate level of service.

Within the limitations of the equipment certain types of calls will not complete over Automatic Route Selection facilities, e.g., operator handled calls, local calls and calls over facilities not associated with Automatic Route Selection.

- Facility - denotes a specific foreign exchange (zone) trunk, WATS line (by band or Numbering Plan Area), CCSA off-network access line, tie line (dial selected and selective type - outgoing), or compatible Other Common Carriers one-way outward access line. These lines require outward service, senderized operation, and uniform numbering consistent with the MTS network.
- Route - consists of one or more lines of the same type facility that the customer may use to reach 7 to 11 digit telephone numbers.
- Pattern - a group of four or less routes arranged to be selected in a sequence specified by the customer. A pattern may include more than one Numbering Plan Area. The number of patterns required by a customer are dependent on the type and variety of facilities subscribed to by the customer.
- Route Selection - the automatic selection of the preferred route upon dialing of an access code and a 7 to 11 digit telephone number by the station user. The automatic route selection patterns may be arranged for three digit translation (NPS Code) or six digit translation (NPA Code and the central office code) to determine the preferred route depending on the customer's requirements.

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11. Call Forwarding - allows all incoming calls to a station line to be automatically routed to a preselected station line or to the attendant when a called station is not answered.
12. Call Hold - allows a station user to "hold" any call in progress by flashing the switch hook, thus freeing the same line for the purpose of originating another call or returning to a previously held call.
13. Call Transfer - enables a station to hold and transfer incoming and intragroup calls. On intragroup calls, trunk-to-trunk connections are permitted, provided one Centrex station line or trunk remains on the call.
14. Call Waiting - with this feature, an incoming call encountering a busy station receives audible ringing. The called busy station receives a Call Waiting tone. The called busy station may then place the existing caller on hold and acknowledge the incoming caller, then alternate between the callers, or abandon one of the calls.
15. Calls Waiting Indication - provides a visual signal on each attendant position to indicate when calls are waiting to be served.
16. Class of Service Restrictions - provides the capability to allow or deny individual station features. The restrictions can be arranged to control all calls originating or terminating on stations or tie lines.
  - Fully Restricted Service - Two types of Fully Restricted Service are applied to stations as described in the following:
    - . attendant restricted stations are denied access to the exchange network;
    - . fully restricted stations are denied access to the exchange network and to the attendant.
  - Semi-Restricted Service - allows access to the exchange network through the attendant only.
    - Toll Restricted Service - enables stations to be either toll denied or assigned toll diversion to the attendant.
    - Unrestricted Service - allows stations to access the exchange network, the MTS network or any service accessible by dialing.
17. Console Test - allows an attendant or maintenance personnel to test the functional operations of a console.
18. Consultation Hold - allows the transferring party to talk privately with the destination before transferring the call or establishing a 3-way Conference/Transfer.
19. Dial Access to Attendant - allows station users within the Centrex group to reach an attendant by dialing a code, usually a single digit "0".
20. Direct Inward Dialing (DID) - allows for incoming calls from the exchange network (not special service circuits) to reach a specific customer group station without attendant assistance.
21. Direct Outward Dialing (DOD) - allows a station user to place external calls to the exchange network without attendant assistance.

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B. FEATURE DESCRIPTIONS

22. Direct Station Selection/Busy Lamp Field, (DSS/BLF)

- The DSS feature allows the attendant to complete calls to stations by depressing the DSS button associated with the station line.
- The BLF feature allows the attendant to look at the DSS buttons to determine if a particular station is busy. If a station is busy, the lamp is lighted.

23. HOLD - enables the attendant to hold a call by depressing the console's HOLD button. The associated line loop lamp indicates the hold state.

24. Loudspeaker Paging Access - allows Centrex attendants and station users to dial access customer premises loudspeaker paging equipment on either a single zone or multizone basis.

Optional arrangements may be provided to allow the paged party to be connected to the calling party by dialing an answering code from any station within the Centrex group.

25. Multi-Line Hunt Group (MLHG) - allows calls to hunt over a specified group of station lines in an attempt to connect the calling party to an idle line within the group.

26. Multiple Listed Directory Numbers - a customer may have many listed directory numbers. To handle this efficiently, each number has a unique Incoming Call Identification (ICI) lamp so that the attendant can answer appropriately.

The only limit on the number of listed directory numbers that can be assigned is the number of available lamps and keys on the attendant console.

27. Real Time Clock - the electronic console's alphanumeric display provides the time of day.

28. Repertory Dialing - permits the attendant to use buttons reserved on the electronic console for dialing frequently called numbers. This feature permits the dialing of a number up to 15 digits by depressing a single button.

29. Station Line Hunting - provides for an incoming call to a busy station line to be routed to another station line in the same hunt group.

30. Station to Station Calling - allows the station user to directly dial other stations within the same customer group without the assistance of the attendant.

31. Timed Reminder - provides a lamp signal which automatically alerts the attendant after 30 seconds when a call is camped-on, when a called party has not answered or when a call is held on the console.

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D. RATES AND CHARGES

1. System and Station Lines

<u>Service Establishment Charge</u>		<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>		
		\$ 900.00		
			<u>Optional Payment Periods</u>	
	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>		36 <u>Mos.</u>	60 <u>Mos.</u>
<u>Common Equipment, per system</u> (Standard Equipment)	-----	\$300.00		\$250.00
<u>Business Service</u> Station Lines, (minimum of 20), each line				
- Exchange Access		3.00		3.00
<u>Nonrecurring Charges, Per Loop</u>				
- Under 3 cable miles	\$ 60.00			
- Over 3 cable miles, - special construction charges specified elsewhere in this tariff apply.				

2. Moves and Changes

a. System Additions or Changes

		<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	
- Expand station range subsequent to initial cutover, each 100 station lines or less		\$ 100.00	
- Add an access code, each		115.00	
- Change an access code on an existing trunk group, each		70.00	
- Rearrange Centrex Access Treatment (CAT) Codes, each		40.00	

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UNIVERSAL EMERGENCY NUMBER SERVICE (911)

A. General

1. This tariff provides for Universal Emergency Number Service (911) as provided under the conditions set forth in the Emergency Telephone Service Act, 1986 PA 32; MCL 484.1101 et seq. The provisions of PA-32, as enacted or amended, supercede this tariff.
2. Universal Emergency Number Service (911), is a telephone exchange communication service whereby a Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) designed by the customer may receive telephone calls dialed to the telephone number 911 from service users within a 911 service district.
3. Under the provisions of PA-32 the county is the agency that is empowered to establish an emergency telephone district or a 911 service district. The county, upon adoption of the resolution, must act on behalf of the public agencies located within the 911 service district.
4. As soon as it is feasible, after receipt of a written application from a county requesting 911 service within a 911 service district described in a final 911 service plan adopted pursuant to PA-32, the service supplier will make the central office facilities available to provide 911 service and options.
5. Two types of 911 service are offered: Basic 911 (B911) and Enhanced 911 Service (E911).
  - a. Basic 911 Service provides for routing all 911 calls originated by telephones having telephone numbers beginning with a given central office prefix code or codes to a single PSAP equipped to receive those calls.
  - b. Enhanced 911 Service provides additional features: such as selective routing of 911 calls to a specific PSAP that is selected from the various PSAPs serving customers within that central office area; E911 Trunks; Automatic Number Identification and PSAP Data Base Establishment and Update Service.
6. Pursuant to PA-32, the 911 calling party waives the privacy afforded by non-listed and non-published service to the extent that the telephone number, address and name associated with the originating access line location are furnished to the PSAP.

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#### B. Definition of Terms

Automatic Location Identification (ALI)- an E911 feature that provides the name or address or both associated with the calling party's telephone number (identified by ANI as defined below) to the PSAP for display. Additional telephones with the same number as the calling party's (secondary locations, off-premise extensions, etc.) are identified with the address of the telephone number at the main location.

Automatic Number Identification (ANI) - provides for the telephone number of the calling party to be forwarded to the PSAP.

911 Trunks - trunks between a serving central office and a PSAP or between two central offices, except where one of the central offices is a remote unit. In instances where one of the central offices is a remote unit, nonrecurring charges and monthly rates do not apply to that segment of the 911 Trunk.

Emergency Service Number (ESN) - an ESN is a Selective Routing (SR) code assigned to each telephone number in an exchange where SR is provided to route E911 calls to an appropriate PSAP. The ESN defines the set of emergency services (e.g., police, fire, medical) within a particular serving area. An ESN is associated with a primary PSAP and possibly one or more secondary PSAPs.

Emergency Telephone Service Charge- a charge for the network start-up costs, customer notification costs, billing costs including an allowance for uncollectibles, and network nonrecurring and recurring installation, maintenance, service and equipment network charges of a service supplier providing 911 service pursuant to PA-32.

911 Service Area - the geographic area in which the customer will respond to all 911 calls and dispatch appropriate emergency assistance.

PSAP Data Base Establishment and Updated Service - provides the PSAP with the initial list, as well as periodic updates of customer names, telephone numbers and addresses for ALI.

Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) - a communications facility operated or answered on a 24-hour basis, assigned responsibility by a public agency or county to receive 911 calls and, as appropriate, to directly dispatch emergency response services, or to transfer or relay emergency 911 calls to other public safety agencies. It is the first point of reception by a public safety agency of a 911 call, and services the jurisdictions in which it is located and other participating jurisdictions, if any.

Selective Routing Service - a feature that routes an E911 call from a central office to the designated primary PSAP based upon the identified number of the calling party.

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B. Definition of Terms (Continued)

Service Supplier - any provider of regulated telephone service to a service user in the state. Serving Central Office - the central office from which a PSAP, either primary or secondary, is served.

Universal Emergency Number Service - a telephone exchange communication service whereby a Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) designated by the customer may receive telephone calls dialed to the telephone number 911. The 911 service includes lines and equipment necessary for transferring and dispatching public emergency telephone calls originated by persons within the telephone central offices areas arranged for 911 calling.

Universal Emergency Number Service Customer (Customer) - the board of county commissioners is designated as the customer that is legally authorized to subscribe to service and have public safety responsibility by law to respond to telephone calls from the public or emergency police, fire or other emergency services within the telephone central office areas arranged for 911 calling. A customer or group of customers may authorize an agent to subscribe to the service but the agent is not the customer.

C. Rates and Charges

1. Appropriate recurring and nonrecurring service charges and rates apply as set forth in the applicable MPSC tariffs of the telephone company or by concurrence with other telephone company tariffs or by special contractual agreements between the telephone company and the appropriate governmental agency.

D. Emergency Telephone Service Charge

1. PA-32 mandates that the telephone company be permitted to recover costs incurred for providing 911 service through the Emergency Telephone Service Charge.
2. For any Emergency Telephone District (911 service) wishing to recover costs pursuant to PA-32 the following shall apply:
  - A. The Emergency Telephone Service Charge shall be determined by the designated co-ordinator of the 911 service district based on the costs and charges submitted by the service suppliers.
    1. The amount of the Emergency Service Charge payable monthly by a service user for recurring costs and charges shall not exceed the amount authorized by PA-32 based on the highest monthly local service rate charged by the service suppliers for a residential 1-party unlimited calling service within the 911 service district.

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D. Emergency Telephone Service Charge (Continued)

2. The amount of the Emergency Telephone Service Charge payable monthly by a service user for nonrecurring costs and charges shall not exceed the amount authorized by PA-32 based on the highest monthly service rate charged by the service suppliers for a residential 1-party unlimited calling service within the 911 service district. This portion of the Emergency Telephone Service Charge shall be amortized over a period authorized by PA-32, as approved by the Michigan Public Service Commission, and shall be billed and collected from all service users only until such amounts are fully recovered by the service suppliers.

B. Because the service supplier serving boundaries and political subdivisions and 911 service district boundaries may not coincide, the Emergency Telephone Service Charge will be payable by all service users served by a central office providing 911 service.

E. Rules and Regulations

1. This service is limited to the use of central office telephone number 911 as the universal emergency telephone number.
2. The service supplier shall not be required to provide 911 service to less than an entire central office (switching entity).
3. The service supplier will not provide both Basic 911 and Enhanced 911 service within a given central office (switching entity).
4. 911 service is furnished to the customer only for the purpose of receiving reports of emergencies from the public.
5. Intercept service for the seven-digit emergency numbers replaced by 911 will be provided, upon request, for up to one year or until the next customer directory issuance, whichever is longer, at no charge.
6. 911 service lines are arranged for one-way incoming service to the appropriate PSAP. These lines cannot be used to originate calls from a PSAP.
7. 911 service lines are provided solely for the benefit of the customer operating the PSAP. The provision of 911 service by the service supplier shall not be interpreted, construed or regarded as being for the benefit of or creating any service supplier obligation, either expressed or implied, toward any third person or legal entity other than the customer.
8. The service supplier does not undertake to answer and forward 911 calls, but furnishes the use of its facilities to enable the service users to have the ability to access the PSAP.

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E. Rules and Regulations (Continued)

9. Any terminal equipment (PSAP) used in connection with 911 service, whether such equipment is provided by the service supplier or the customer, shall not be permitted to be used to extract any information from the Data Management System, other than information relating to number identified as the source of an in-progress 911 call.
10. E911 information consisting of the names, addresses and telephone numbers of telephone customers whose listings are not published in directories or listed in Directory Assistance Offices is confidential. Information will be provided on a call-by-call basis only for the purpose of responding to emergency calls and is not to be used or disclosed by the customer, its agents or employees for any other purpose.
11. ANI/ALI may not be displayed on calls placed over party lines.
12. The service supplier's entire liability to any person for interruption or failure of 911 service shall be limited to the terms specified in this and other tariffs.
13. The rates charged for 911 service do not include the monitoring of facilities to discover errors, defects and malfunctions in the service, nor does the service supplier undertake such responsibility. The customer shall be responsible for making such operational tests as, in the judgment of the customer, are required to determine whether the system is functioning properly for its use. The customer shall promptly notify the service supplier in the event the system is not functioning properly.
14. The service supplier's liability to the customer, the 911 calling party or any other party or persons for any loss or damage arising from errors, interruptions, omissions, delays, defects, failures or malfunctions of this service or any part thereof whether caused by the negligence of the service supplier or otherwise shall not exceed an amount equivalent to the pro-rata charges for the service affected during the period of time that the service was fully or partially inoperative. These limited damages shall be in addition to any credits that may be given for an out-of-service condition.
15. The customer and participating governmental units and agencies each agree to release, indemnify, defend and hold harmless the service supplier from any and all loss, claims, demands, suits or other action, or any liability what-so-ever, other than the service supplier's sole negligence, arising out of the customer's use of 911 service whether suffered, made, instituted or asserted by the customer or by any other party or person, for any personal injury to or death of any person or persons, or for any loss, damage or destruction of any property, whether owned by the customer or others; and the customer and participating governmental units and agencies agree to purchase and maintain adequate insurance against such liability.

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AUXILIARY SERVICES  
UNIVERSAL EMERGENCY NUMBER SERVICE (911)

E. Rules and Regulations (Continued)

16. The customer also agrees to release, indemnify, defend and hold harmless the service supplier from any infringement or invasion of the right of privacy or confidentiality of any person or persons, caused or claimed to have been caused, directly or indirectly, by the installation, operation, failure to operate, maintenance, removal, presence, condition, occasion or use of 911 service features and the equipment associated therewith, or by any services furnished by the service supplier in connection therewith, including, but not limited to, the identification of the telephone number, address or name associated with the telephone used by the party or parties accessing 911 service hereunder, and that arise out of the negligence or other wrongful act of the customer, its user agencies or municipalities, or the employees or agents of any one of them.
17. The installation of initial or subsequent 911 exchange lines to maintain applicable service supplier service standards will be provided, at the appropriate charges, by the service supplier.
18. Because the service supplier's telephone exchange boundaries and political subdivisions and 911 service district boundaries may not coincide, as a condition of 911 service, the customer must handle or make arrangements to handle all 911 calls that originate from telephones served by central offices in the local service area whether or not the calling telephone is situated on property within the geographical boundaries of the customer's public safety jurisdiction.
19. Application for 911 service must be made in writing by the customer. If application for service is made by an agent, the service supplier must be provided with satisfactory written proof of authority of the agent by the customer.
20. The customer shall:
  - a. Subscribe to local exchange service at the PSAP location for administrative purposes, for placing outgoing calls, for receiving non-911 calls and for operator-forwarded calls.
  - b. Subscribe to, or provide, telephone equipment with a capacity adequate to handle the number of incoming 911 lines recommended by the service supplier.
  - c. Appoint a coordinator who will be responsible for the implementation of the final 911 service plan and the determination of the Emergency Telephone Service Charge, who will oversee the annual auditing process, and who will negotiate call handling situations where central office overlap situations exist with other agencies or counties.

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DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE SERVICE

A. APPLICATION OF TARIFF

This Tariff applies to Directory Assistance Service furnished in Michigan by the Telephone Company, hereinafter referred to as the Company.

B. EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

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DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE SERVICE

A. GENERAL

1. Directory Assistance Service provides the calling party with available telephone numbers for the party's home numbering plan. Directory Assistance Service will not include numbers for which customers have requested that the number not be provided, or that the requested party has no telephone listing.
2. The Directory Assistance operator will provide telephone numbers or other information as described in paragraph 1, for a maximum of two (2) number requests per call.
3. Charges specified in Section D, apply for Directory Assistance calls with the customer's home numbering plan area with the customer's calls exceed the monthly allowance specified in Section B. Assistance is not available for numbers outside of the customer's home numbering plan area.
4. Hospital services are excluded from the Directory Assistance Service Plan. Services that are suspended will be excluded from the Directory Assistance Service Plan for the period of suspension. (D)
5. A customer who cannot use telephone directories because of physical or mental limitations may obtain an exemption from Directory Assistance Service charges. The exemption procedures is specified in Section D.

B. CALL ALLOWANCES

1. An allowance (excluding paystion service which receives zero allowance) of three (3) calls per month for each line (not transferable) is provided for the following services: (N)
  - Residence Service lines
  - Business Service lines
2. An allowance of three (3) calls per month for each line is provided for Centrex Service Business station lines.
3. Directory Assistance Service Usage is applied as follows:
  - a. Centrex PBX Service
    - (1) The total usage by all Business Service station lines and normal exchange trunks billed on the Centrex account is applied against the total call allowance for all Business Service Station lines.
    - (2) The usage for each Residence Service station line is applied against the call allowance for the line.
  - b. DID and AIOD Service for station lines in residential quarters, with Special Billing Arrangement.
    - (1) The usage for each station line is computed separately and is applied against the call allowance for the line.
    - (2) When a customer has lines in 2 or more classes of service, the usage for each class is applied against the call allowance for the service which originated the calls.

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C. CHARGES

1. Customer dialed calls to Directory Assistance Service for numbers within the home numbering plan area.

Call Charge

Per call, in excess of the allowance for the calling service specified in Section B.

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2. Operator handled calls to Directory Assistance Service
  - a. When the customer places a call to Directory Assistance Service via another Company operator the Directory Assistance Service Charge applies but the Assisted Call Charges specified in the Directory Assistance Provider's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 3 does not apply. The allowance specified in Section B does not apply.
  - b. When the customer requests that the Directory Assistance Service charged be billed to a Third Party or Credit (Calling) Card, the Assisted Call Charge for Station calls specified in the Directory Assistance Provider's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 3 also applies. The allowance specified in Section B preceding does not apply.

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D. EXEMPTIONS

1. Residence and Business service (including a Centrex or AIOD equipped PBX station) are exempt from the charge and allowance portion of the Directory Assistance Service plan when a user (or the principal user of a business service) is unable to use a telephone directory because of physical or mental limitations.
2. To obtain an exemption the customer provides the name, address, telephone number and nature of the limitation for the individual requiring exemption. A certificate of Directory Assistance Charge Exemption is required for each residence or business line to be exempted.
3. Information contained on the exemption certificate will be treated as confidential by the Company.
4. The customer shall notify the Company when the need for an exemption no longer exists.

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PIGEON TELEPHONE COMPANY

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

APPLICATIONS

A. APPLICATION OF REGULATIONS

1. The provisions contained in these Regulations apply to intrastate services and facilities furnished by the Pigeon Telephone Company, hereinafter referred to as the Telephone Company.
2. Any rules and regulations relating to deposits, billing and payments, as specified by M.P.S.C. Order U-4240 Consumer Standards and Billing Practices - Residential Telephone Service.
3. When services and facilities are provided, in part by the Telephone Company and in part by other companies, the regulations of the Telephone Company apply to that portion of the service or facilities furnished by it.

B. EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

DEFINITIONS

Authorized User

An "Authorized User" is a person, firm or corporation (other than the customer) on whose premises a station on the private line service or channel is located and who may communicate over the private line or channel according to the terms of the Tariffs. An authorized user must be specifically named in the service contracted.

Channel

The term "Channel" designates the electrical path provided by the Telephone Company between two or more stations.

Contract

The term "Contract" refers to the service agreement between a customer and the Telephone Company under which facilities for communications between specified locations, for designated periods, and for the use of the customer and the authorized users specifically named in the contracts are furnished in accordance with the provisions of the Tariffs applicable.

Customer

The term "Customer" refers to the person(s), firm or corporation who is responsible for the payment of charges and the compliance with the rules and regulations of the Telephone Company.

Exchange

The term "Exchange" means a unit established for the administration of telephone service in a specified area which usually embraces a city, town or village and its environs. It may consist of one or more central offices together with the associated plant used in furnishing communications service within that area.

Exchange Area

The term "Exchange Area" applies to the territory service by an exchange.

Principal Central Office

The term "Principal Central Office" refers to the central office in a single office exchange or to that office (usually the toll office) of a multi-office exchange which is designated as such for the purpose of measuring local and interexchange channel mileages.

Private Branch Exchange

A "Private Branch Exchange", or Private Branch Exchange System, is an arrangement of equipment consisting of switching equipment with or without attendant consoles and associated instruments connected to the switching equipment and connected by trunks with a central office, providing for intercommunication between stations, and for communication with the general exchange system of the Telephone Company and for toll service.

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Service Point

The term "Service Point" when used in connection with interexchange mileage measurements denotes the rate center of the exchange in which the station of the customer is located. Where a station is not located in an exchange the location of the station is considered to be the rate center for the purpose of this definition.

Service Central Office

The term "Service Central Office" denotes the central office from which a customer or authorized user would normally be served for local exchange telephone service.

Station

The term "Station" denotes the network control signaling unit and other equipment provided by the Telephone Company at the customer's premises which enable the customer to establish the communication connection and to effect communication through such connections.

The term "Station" denotes a termination of an individual exchange line or PBX trunk provided in accordance with the provisions of this tariff, in Telephone Company switching equipment located in an exchange foreign to the exchange in which the customer is located.

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## GENERAL REGULATIONS

### GENERAL

#### A. UNDERTAKING OF THE TELEPHONE COMPANY

1. The Telephone Company does not undertake to transmit messages but offers the use of its facilities for the transmission of communications.
2. The calling party and the called party are required to establish their identities to each other as may be necessary in the course of the communication and the responsibility for so doing rests with those parties.

#### B. USE OF SERVICE AND FACILITIES

1. The service and facilities furnished are intended only for communications in which the customer or user authorized by the Telephone Company has a direct interest except where use by others is casual.
2. Services and facilities shall not be used for any purpose for which a payment or other compensation shall be received by them or either of them from any persons, firm or corporation for such use, or in the collection, transmission or delivery of any communications for others --except that these provisions do not apply to the handling of messages accepted for transmission by customers who are engaged in public telegraph business nor to the transmission of communications on private lines, to, from, within and between air carriers, where the customer is an aeronautical communications company licensed under the Aviation Service rules of the Federal Communications Commission to operate stations in the aeronautical mobile and fixed services.

#### C. LIABILITY OF THE TELEPHONE COMPANY

1. In the event of an interruption to the service which is not due to the negligence or willful act of the customer, upon notice and application by the customer an allowance will be made for the time the interruption continues.
2. The liability of the Telephone Company for damages arising out of mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, errors or defects in transmission, or failures or defects in facilities furnished by the Telephone Company, occurring in the course of furnishing service or other facilities and not caused by the negligence of the customer, or of the Telephone Company in failing to maintain proper standards of maintenance and operation and to exercise reasonable supervision shall in no event exceed an amount equivalent to the proportionate charge to the customer for the period of service during which such mistake, omission, interruption, delay or error or defect in transmission, or failure or defect in facilities occurs.
3. The customer indemnifies and saves the Telephone Company harmless against claims for libel, slander, or infringement of copyright from the material transmitted over its facilities; against claims for infringement of patents arising from combining with, or using in connection with, facilities of the Telephone Company, apparatus and systems of the customer; and against all other claims arising out of any act or omission of the customer in connection with facilities provided by the Telephone Company.
4. When the lines of other telephone companies and/or the customer are used in establishing connections to points not reached by the Telephone Company's lines, the Telephone Company is not liable for any act or omission of the customer, other company, or companies.
5. As a part of the service a directory for each exchange is published from time to time, but as experience demonstrates that errors and omissions will occur with more or less frequency, the Telephone Company is not liable for errors in or omissions from Directories except in cases where a specific charge has been made for a listing; in no event shall the Telephone Company be liable for any such error or omission beyond the amount of such charge.
6. The Telephone Company is not liable for any unavoidable defacement of or damage to the premises of a customer (or authorized user) resulting from the attachment of the Telephone Company's facilities on such premises or from the installation or removal thereof.

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GENERAL REGULATIONS  
CLASSIFICATION AND USE OF TELEPHONE SERVICES

A. APPLICATION OF BUSINESS AND RESIDENCE RATES

1. The determination as to whether telephone service should be classified as Business or Residence is based on the character of the use to be made of the service. Service is classified as business service where the use is primarily or substantially of a business, professional, institutional, or otherwise occupational nature. Where the business use, if any, is incidental and where the major use is of a social or domestic nature, service is classified as residence service if installed in a residence.
2. Business rates apply at the following locations, among others:
  - a. In offices, stores, and factories, and in quarters occupied by clubs, lodges, fraternal societies, schools, colleges, libraries hospitals and other business establishments.
  - b. In residence locations where a place of residence is in the immediate proximity of a place of business and it is evident that the telephone in the residence is or will be used for business purposes; and in residence locations where an extension is located at a place where business rates would apply.
  - c. In the residence of a practicing physician, dentist, veterinarian, surgeon, or other medical practitioner who has no service at business rates at another location.
  - d. In any residence location where there is a substantial business use of the service and the customer has no service elsewhere at business rates.
3. Residence rates apply at the following locations among others:
  - a. In private residences; in the residential portion of hotels, apartment houses, boarding houses, churches, or institutions when the use of the service is confined to the domestic use of the customer and the listings of a business character are not furnished.
  - b. In the residence of a practicing physician, nurse, dentist, veterinarian, surgeon or other medical practitioner provided that such residence is not a part of an office building and provided the customer has service charged for at business rates at another location.

B. LOCATION AND USE OF TELEPHONE SERVICES

1. The service and facilities furnished are intended only for communications in which the customer or user authorized by the Telephone Company has a direct interest and shall not be used for any purpose for which a payment or other compensation shall be received by them or either of them from any other person, firm or corporation for such use, or in the collection, transmission or delivery of any communication for others - except that these provisions do not apply to the handling of messages accepted for transmission by customers who are engaged in a public telegraph business nor to such other cases as are specifically referred to in the Telephone Company's Tariffs, nor where such use is casual.
2. Use of Business and Residence Telephone Services:
  - a. Business subscriber telephone service - as distinguished from Paystation Service and excluding service (D) in hotels - is furnished only for use by the customer, his employees and representatives - except as otherwise provided in the Telephone Company's Tariffs.
  - b. Residence telephone service is furnished only for use by the customer and members of the customer's domestic establishment-except as use by others is permitted in certain cases as provided for elsewhere in these Regulations or the Telephone Company's Tariffs.

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B. LOCATION AND USE OF TELEPHONE SERVICES (Continued)

3. Residence Service in Locations Adjoining Business Locations:

Residence service is not permitted in locations where the service is used as an adjunct to business service.

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

PROVISION, OWNERSHIP AND MAINTENANCE OF FACILITIES

A. PROVISION OF EQUIPMENT

1. All facilities necessary for the provision of a given service will be furnished by the Telephone Company except as follows:
  - a. If the customer is required to provide and maintain suitable housing or protective apparatus when equipment is installed in locations exposed to the weather or other hazards, or
  - b. As otherwise provided in the tariffs of the Telephone Company.
2. Where service is to be established at a location that would involve undue hazards to employees of the Telephone Company, the customer may be required to install and maintain equipment and facilities in a manner satisfactory to the Telephone Company, the remuneration to be based on the conditions involved.

B. AVAILABILITY OF FACILITIES

1. The Telephone Company's obligation to furnish service is dependent upon its ability to secure and retain, without unreasonable expense, suitable facilities and rights for the construction and maintenance of the necessary circuits and equipment.

C. PRIORITY OF SERVICE

1. In case a shortage of facilities exists at any time either for temporary or protracted periods, the establishment of telephone service takes precedence in the furnishing of any service or facility.

D. PROVISION AND OWNERSHIP OF DIRECTORIES

1. The Telephone Company distributes to its customers without charge such directory information as is generally necessary for the efficient use of the service. Any reasonable additional directories or information requested by the customer will be furnished without additional charge. Beyond these requirements additional directories or information will be furnished as available at a reason-able charge.
2. Directories regularly furnished to customers are the property of the Telephone Company and are loaned to customers; they are to be returned to the Telephone Company upon request. No binder, holder, or auxiliary cover of an advertising nature, except such as may be provided by or with consent of the Telephone Company, shall be used in connection with any directory furnished by the Telephone Company.

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E. TELEPHONE NUMBERS

The assignment of a number to a subscriber's telephone service is made at the discretion of the Telephone Company. The subscriber has no priority right in the number, and the Telephone Company may make such changes in telephone numbers, including the central office designation, as in its judgment the requirements of the service may demand.

F. OWNERSHIP OF COMPANY - PROVIDED LINES AND EQUIPMENT

1. Facilities furnished by the Telephone Company on the premises of a customer, authorized user, or agent of the Telephone Company are the property of the Telephone Company and are provided upon the condition that such facilities must be installed, relocated and maintained by the Telephone Company, and that the Company's agents and employees may enter said premises at any reasonable hour for the purpose of installing, inspecting or repairing the facilities or for the purpose of making collections from coin boxes or upon termination or cancellation of the service for the purpose of removing such facilities.
2. Facilities furnished by the Telephone Company shall, upon termination of service from any cause whatsoever, be returned to it in good condition, reasonable wear and tear thereof excepted.
3. In case of damage, loss or destruction of any of the Company's instrumentalities while in the possession of the customer or authorized user and not due either to ordinary wear and tear or to fire, storm or other like casualty, the customer shall be responsible for the value of the equipment lost or destroyed, or for the cost of restoring the equipment to its original condition, as the case may be.

G. MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS

1. All expense of maintenance and repair, in connection with equipment, facilities and services furnished by the Telephone Company, unless otherwise specified herein or elsewhere in the Telephone Company's Tariffs, is borne by the Telephone Company.
2. A customer (or authorized user) may not rearrange, disconnect, reconnect, remove or attempt to repair, or permit others to rearrange, disconnect, reconnect, remove or attempt to repair any facilities furnished or owned by the Telephone Company, except upon the written consent of the Telephone Company. Where it is found that unauthorized work has been done by the customer, authorized user or his agents, charges will be made as if the work had been done by the Telephone Company.

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GENERAL REGULATIONS  
ESTABLISHMENT AND FURNISHING OF SERVICE AND FACILITIES

A. APPLICATIONS

1. Applications for service and facilities made verbally or in writing become contracts upon the establishment of the service or facility.
2. Any change in rates or regulations prescribed by public authority having jurisdiction modifies all terms and regulations of contracts to the extent of such change.
3. An applicant who otherwise qualified for the immediate establishment of service may take over the telephone number of a subscriber discontinuing that number or an available telephone number listed in the current directory, provided that an arrangement suitable to the Telephone Company is made to pay all outstanding charges and to assume all contractual obligations against the number.
4. Contracts for service or facilities may not be terminated except upon advance notice to the Telephone Company, at which time there is due and payable all unpaid charges or guarantees for the period the service, equipment or facilities have been furnished, and all applicable minimum and termination charges.

B. INITIAL PERIOD OF SERVICE

1. Unless otherwise specified herein or elsewhere in the Telephone Company's Tariffs, the minimum contract period is one month from the date service is established and the minimum charge is the established rate for one month.
2. The initial contract period for Private Branch Exchange Systems is established on the individual contract.
3. The initial contract period for special apparatus and the associated special installation charge and termination charge are determined from the conditions involved.
4. In lieu of contracts for the required initial period, the Telephone Company may permit the payment of special installation charges or termination charges, the regular Service Connection Charges and installation charges to apply in addition.

C. TERMINATION OF SERVICE

1. Customer for other than normal main station may be required to enter into an agreement to compensate the Telephone Company for its loss in the event service is prematurely discontinued. Such compensation in the form of termination charges shall be the original cost installed plus the cost of removal; less the realized salvage, accrued book depreciation and any contribution in aid of construction. Such charges may be applicable where extraordinary equipment or facilities are required to provide main station service to a customer or such equipment is suitable for providing service to that customer only or is greatly in excess of the necessary requirement of the address or area served.

A special contract may be drawn up for termination of services in lieu of 1. preceding.

2. Contracts for service or facilities may not be terminated except upon advance notice to the Telephone Company, at which time there is due and payable all unpaid charges or guarantees for the period the service, equipment or facilities have been furnished, and all applicable minimum and termination charges.
3. Where a contract for service with a one-month minimum contract period is cancelled before the establishment of service is completed, a charge equal to the costs incurred by the Telephone Company - not to exceed the minimum service charge specified - is applied if all or a portion of the equipment or facilities has been installed.

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C. TERMINATION OF SERVICE (Continued)

4. Where a contract covering facilities is terminated prior to the expiration of the contract period, a termination charge is made based on the sum of (1) the cost of installing and removing (transportation and labor) the facilities, including power plant if any, (2) the loss on the power plant - first cost (without cost of installation) less salvage value on removal. Of the amount so determined the termination charge is in such proportion as the initial contract period bears to the full initial contract period.
5. With respect to the original contract, minimum and termination charges are waived where a new customer takes over the contract (for the unexpired period thereof) for the service and facilities to be furnished at the same location without lapse of service, and assumes all unpaid charges on the original contract. Minimum and termination charges involved in the original contract are also waived where a new customer takes over the service and facilities covered by the original contract under the conditions stated - except as to payment of unpaid charges - and executes a new contract for the full required minimum period. In either case, minimum and termination charges apply for any service or facilities furnished under the original contract which are not retained by the new customer.

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GENERAL REGULATIONS  
PAYMENTS AND DEPOSITS

A. PAYMENT PROVISIONS

1. The customer shall pay for services and facilities monthly in advance except as otherwise provided elsewhere in the Telephone Company tariffs or as required by lawful regulations or practical limitations, and shall pay all other charges when billed by the Telephone Company.
2. The customer assumes responsibility for all charges on messages originating at service contracted for by him and for messages received on which the charges have been reversed with the consent of the person answering the telephone, unless another party assumes responsibility for payment of a call under an arrangement mutually agreeable to the Telephone Company and the other party.
3. Charges are payable at the Telephone Company's Business Office or at any agencies duly authorized to receive such payment.
4. Charges for a fractional part of a month are computed on the basis of a thirty-day month.

B. ADVANCE PAYMENTS

1. Applicants for service and facilities, other than Federal, State or Municipal governmental agencies, may be required to pay at the time the application is made all service connections charges and installation charges that may be applicable, as well as such special construction and installation charges as are to be borne by the applicant - except in the case of Federal, State or Municipal governmental agencies.

C. DEPOSITS

1. Applicants or customers whose credit rating is, or may become, unsatisfactory will be required to make a suitable deposit, to be applied at any time at the option of the Telephone Company in payment of any unpaid charges for service rendered to the customer or in payment of termination charges that may be applicable. Any balance of the amount deposited, credited to the customer's account, is returned to the customer at the time of termination of the contract or may be returned at any time previous thereto at the option of the Telephone Company when a satisfactory credit rating has been established.
2. Applicants or customers who request service in a location where the facilities may be subject to loss or damage through theft, vandalism or other reasons involving a responsibility on the part of the customer may be required to make suitable deposit to cover that responsibility, such deposit not to exceed the value of the equipment furnished.
3. Interest on deposits applies at the same rate and terms for Business and Residence services as specified under "Consumer Standards and Billing Practices, Residential Telephone Service.
4. The fact that a deposit has been made neither relieves the applicant nor the customer from complying with the Telephone Company's regulations as to advance payments and the prompt payment of bills on presentation nor constitutes a waiver or modification of the regulations of the Telephone Company providing for the discontinuance of service for nonpayment of any sums due the Telephone Company for service rendered.

D. ADJUSTMENT OF CHARGES

1. Services under written contract:

Adjustment of charges will be made when billing errors are brought to the attention of the Company. The adjustment (additional billing or refund) will be determined from records without regard to time period except as provided in the Statute of Limitations. Refunds due the customer will be paid with interest on any amounts for service supplied over one year from the date the billing inquiry was initiated, at the interest rate specified for credit deposits.

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D. ADJUSTMENT OF CHARGES (Continued)

2. All other services

- (a) All services supplied will be billed within one year. In the adjustment of charges because of errors in billing within one year from the date the billing inquiry was initiated, correction will be made in the full amount for that period of time.
- (b) No customer will be liable for net underbilled service after one year except when the service was obtained by the customer by fraud or deception. Correction of billing errors will be made for the period over one year from the date the billing inquiry was initiated to determine a net refund due the customer during this period of time. This refund will be paid together with interest at the rate established for credit deposits.

E. TEMPORARY DISCONTINUANCE FOR NONPAYMENT

1. Where service has been temporarily denied in accordance with the provisions of this Tariff and the service is reestablished, or where on account of nonpayment of charges an agent of the Telephone Company visits the premises of the customer to disconnect the facilities and because of payment does not discontinue the service, a subsequent order charge, line charge and premise visit charge applies. This charge covers the customer's entire service and facilities, and is in addition to all other charges due.
2. Where service has been actually discontinued and upon payment of all charges due, the service will be re-established on the basis of a new application for service and the payment of the charges associated with such application.

F. ADJUSTMENTS FOR LOCAL TAXES, FEES, ETC.

1. The rate schedules set forth in the various tariffs of the Telephone Company do not include any amounts resulting from any taxes, fees, or exactions imposed by or for any municipal corporation or other political subdivision or local agency of government against the Telephone Company, its property or its operations, excepting only taxes imposed generally on corporations.
2. In order to prevent other subscribers from being compelled to share such impositions, the amounts resulting from any such taxes, fees, or exactions imposed against the Telephone Company, its property, or its operations, excepting only taxes imposed generally on corporations, shall be billed pro rata by the Telephone Company to its exchange subscribers within the limits of the municipal corporation, or other political subdivision or local agency of government by or for which such taxes, fees or exactions are imposed.

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GENERAL REGULATIONS  
CANCELLATION FOR CAUSE

A. GENERAL

1. For cause as provided herein and without incurring any liability, the Telephone Company either temporarily discontinues the furnishing of a service or facility to a customer, or terminates the contract.
2. Where service is so terminated on the initiative of the Telephone Company, the regulations covering termination charges apply as in the case of termination of service at the customer's request.

B. CANCELLATION AFTER WRITTEN NOTICE

1. Under the following conditions, discontinuance or termination by the Telephone Company may be made five (5) days after furnishing a written notice by depositing in the mails a letter addressed to the customer or his agent at the address to which the bills for telephone service are sent:
  - a. In the event of nonpayment of any sum due the Telephone Company.
  - b. Upon failure to make suitable deposit as required by this Tariff.
  - c. Upon the use of any service or facility for the purpose of performing any service in competition with the service which the Telephone Company does now or may hereafter furnish.
  - d. In the event of improper use of party line service by a customer - including interference with an equitable proportionate use of the service by other customers on the same line - and the customer refuses to contract for a higher grade of service.
  - e. In the event the character of use of a service is not in accordance with the class of service contracted for, and the customer refuses to contract for the proper class of service.
  - f. In the event of abuse or fraudulent use of service. Abuse or fraudulent use of service includes:
    - (1) The use of service or facilities of the Telephone Company to transmit a message or to locate a person or otherwise to give or obtain information, without payment of the charge applicable for service;
    - (2) The obtaining, or attempting to obtain, or assisting another to obtain or to attempt to obtain, local telephone exchange service or message toll telephone service, by rearranging, tampering with, or making connection with any facilities of the Telephone Company, or by any trick, scheme, false representation, or false credit device, or by or through any other fraudulent means or device whatsoever, with intent to avoid the payment, in whole or in part, of the regular charge for such service;
    - (3) The use of service or facilities of the Telephone Company for a call or calls, anonymous or otherwise, if in a manner reasonable to be expected to frighten, abuse, torment, or harass another.
  - g. Upon a violation not otherwise provided for of any of the regulations governing the furnishing of a service or facility.

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CANCELLATION FOR CAUSE

C. CANCELLATION UPON WRITTEN REQUEST BY PUBLIC OFFICIALS

1. Under the following conditions, written notice of intention to discontinue or terminate service, to which shall be attached a copy of the written representation referred to below, shall be given by posting a registered letter in the United States mails, addressed to the customer or his agent at the location to which bills for the service are sent, at least seventy-two hours prior to such discontinuance or termination.
  - a. Whenever the judge of any court of record in Michigan, having jurisdiction over criminal offenses, including any such judge acting under Act 196 of the Public Acts of 1917, as amended, the Attorney General of Michigan, the United States Attorney in and for any Federal judicial district in Michigan, or the Prosecuting Attorney of any county, shall represent in writing to the Telephone Company that he has probable cause to believe that the service furnished at a designated location is being used in furtherance of the commission of a specified criminal offense and in such writing shall request that such service be discontinued or terminated, the Company, if not restrained by order of a court of competent jurisdiction, will so discontinue or terminate such service, with like effect as to both the Company and the customer as though the latter had of his own volition directed that the same be done.
  - b. Upon notice in writing by a federal, state or local law enforcement agency, acting under the provisions of Public Law 87-216, that service is being or will be used for the purpose of transmitting or receiving gambling information in interstate or foreign commerce in violation of federal, state or local law.

D. IMMEDIATE CANCELLATION WITH VERBAL NOTICE

1. Under the following conditions, said discontinuance or termination by the Telephone Company will be made immediately, verbal notice being given by the customer or his agent in person or by telephone if he can be reached; a confirming written notice will be mailed to the customer or his agent at the address to which bills are sent:
  - a. In the event of the use of profane or indecent language over the facilities.
  - b. In the event of abandonment of the station or facilities.
  - c. If the use of the service or facilities by the customer, or the manner of such use, or his failure to contract for adequate facilities (though these require he defray an unusual expense), tends to affect injuriously the efficiency of the Telephone Company's general plant or service.
  - d. If a service or facility is used in a manner which substantially impairs the service of a particular customer.

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CONSTRUCTION REGULATIONS  
CONSTRUCTION, INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE CHARGES

EXTENSION OF LINE FACILITIES

A. GENERAL

1. An extension of Telephone Company facilities in locations where Telephone Company facilities currently do not exist will generally be made as follows:
  - a. Cable - Line extensions requiring cable will be placed for a distance of 1000 feet per residence or per business customer without charge to the customer requesting service. A facility charge will apply to the customer for a line extension in excess of this standard allowance (1000 feet).
  - b. (1) Private Property - Trench, pole(s) or conduit on private property shall be provided at the expense of the property owner or the property owner's representative, i.e., developer, customer, etc. The structure shall meet the company's design standards and shall be owned and maintained by the property owner or property owner's representative(s). Cable placed in or on these structures shall be owned and maintained by the Telephone Company.  
  
(2) Platted Subdivisions and Mobile Home Parks - Line extensions to platted subdivisions and mobile home parks will be made as part of the Telephone Company's regular construction program.
  - c. Other - Trench, pole(s) or conduit placed in situations other than private property, i.e., public or private right of way, easements, etc., will be placed, owned and maintained by the Telephone Company.

2. Provision of Private Right-of-Way

Where required by the conditions, applicants shall provide without expense to the Telephone Company, private right-of-way parallel to the public highway; such right-of-way shall be free from tree interference and otherwise suitable.

3. Distributing Plant on Private Property, Other Than Service Drops

When the customer desires that distributing plant on the customer's private property be placed underground - the Telephone Company having determined from the conditions that aerial facilities should be provided or having provided such facilities - the customer pays the excess of the installed cost to the Telephone Company of the underground (buried) wire or cable over the cost of the aerial facilities and pays the cost of dismantling and removing any aerial facilities being changed.

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B. EXTENSION LINE FACILITY CHARGES

1. GENERAL

a. Refundable

- (1) The facility charge applies to anyone who requests an extension of line facilities that requires cabling beyond the standard allowance (1000 feet)(A1a.). Based on cost charges will apply for cable in excess of the standard allowance.
- (2) The facility charges may be waived if the construction of the line extension is being financed by borrowing funds through the Rural Electrification Administration.

2. FACILITIES AGREEMENT

- a. The Telephone Company and the developer, builder, owner or authorized representative will enter into a written agreement for provision of the requested line extension. The Company will not begin construction until an agreement has been executed and payment of the facility charge has been made.
- b. The agreement will include:
  1. A legal description of the area for which facilities are requested.
  2. The total cable footage excluding the standard allowance.
  3. The amount of the refundable charge.
  4. Provision for an annual refund on the anniversary date of the agreement.
  5. The construction of distribution facilities will comply with Company standards and practices for providing such facilities.
  6. A term of no longer than five years.
3. The facility charge will be based on cost for cable and based on cost for Service Wire for extensions in excess of the standard allowances. All distribution facilities so constructed shall be the property of the Company.

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EXTENSION OF LINE FACILITIES

C. REFUNDS OF EXTENSION LINE FACILITY CHARGE

1. An annual refund, initially payable on the first anniversary date of the agreement and annually thereafter until the agreement expires, will be as follows:
  - a. The amount of refund will equal three times the annual rural residential basic local exchange service rate per residence where telephone service is established in residential areas and an amount equal to three times the annual business basic local exchange rate for each exchange or trunking service added in that year.
  - b. The total refund shall not exceed the facility charge. The term of the agreement will not exceed five years.
2. On each anniversary date of the agreement the Telephone Company will determine if additional customers have been added to the facilities for which a charge was made.
3. Upon expiration of the agreement, the Telephone Company will have no obligation to refund any portion of the facility charge not previously refunded.

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D. CONSTRUCTION CHARGES, SPECIAL

1. Special, based on cost in the form of installation charges, monthly charges, or both, are applied in addition to the usual service connection charges and monthly rates when, because of unusual investment or expense, the revenue does not reasonably compensate the Company - when facilities are provided beyond the standard allowance, when conditions require the provision of special equipment or unusual plant construction, installation or maintenance, or when the customer's location requires annual payment for licenses or agreement for the use of Public or Private land.
2. Except as specified, title to all construction provided wholly or partly at a customer's expense is vested in the Company.
3. The cost to the Company for attachments to structures of other companies, made in lieu of providing construction for which the customer would be charged under the provisions hereof, is borne by the customer. The customer is required to pay construction charges made by another company providing facilities connecting with the facilities of the Company.

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E. SERVICE DROPS

1. Facilities Provided of Type Determined by Telephone Company

Service Drops are provided either by aerial facilities - on poles of the Telephone Company or of other companies - or by underground facilities (buried), and, except as covered in 2 below, the type of facilities used is determined by the Telephone Company from the conditions involved. For facilities of the type so determined, the following treatment applies:

- a. A Service Drop measuring not more than 250 feet is provided without construction charge. For the measured distance in excess of the 250 foot allowance, a facility charge applies as described elsewhere in the Company's tariffs.
- b. The measurement is the airline distance from the center of the highway paralleling the general distribution plant (located on or off the highway) to the terminal or Drop at the customer's building, or the air-line distance from the distribution plant to that terminal, whichever is shorter.

2. Facilities Provided of Different Type than 1 above.

When from the conditions involved the Telephone Company determines that an aerial Service Drop should be provided and in lieu thereof the applicant desires underground or buried facilities, or when aerial facilities are used to provide service or channels to a customer and subsequently the customer requests that such facilities be placed underground, the following applies:

- a. Where cable is laid in conduit, the underground conduit shall be constructed and maintained by or at the expense of the customer and in addition the customer shall pay the cost of the underground cable - including the cost of installing it - less the estimated cost to the Telephone Company of installing such aerial facilities (not in excess of the 250 foot allowance specified in C.1.a.) as would be (or is) required to furnish the same service. The underground conduit shall be constructed in accordance with plans and specifications furnished by the Telephone Company; ownership of the conduit is retained by the customer.

The duct or ducts required in the underground conduit by the Telephone Company to furnish service shall be reserved for its exclusive use.

- b. Cable installed in conduit will be maintained and replaced at the expense of the Telephone Company where the conduit has been inspected in place by the Telephone Company and approved, but repairs or replacements of cable in conduit or trench made necessary by damages caused by the customer or the customer's representatives will be made only at the customer's expense.
- c. Where facilities are changed from aerial to underground or buried, in addition to the above, the customer is charged the cost of dismantling and removing the aerial facilities in addition to 2.a. preceding.

3. Computation of Facility Charge

- a. The facility charge will be based on cost for Service Wire for extensions in excess of the standard allowances.
- b. All service drop facilities so constructed shall be the property of the Telephone Company.

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PIGEON TELEPHONE COMPANY  
Schedule of Charges and  
Regulations Governing

Public Mobile Carrier Services

as referenced in the Code of

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PUBLIC MOBILE CARRIER SERVICES  
GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. APPLICATION OF TARIFF

1. This Tariff applies to the connection of facilities of the Telephone Company (LEC), a member company of the Michigan Exchange Carriers Association, (MECA) to facilities of an authorized Public Mobile Carrier for the purpose of completing calls between end user customers of the Local Exchange Company (LEC) and customers of the Public Mobile Carrier.
2. Regulations specified in each LEC's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 7 (General Regulations) or its equivalent and MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25 (Switched Access) apply to this service as appropriate in addition to the regulations specified herein.

B. EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

- (C) Signifies a changed regulation.
- (D) Signifies a discontinued rate or regulation.
- (I) Signifies an increased rate, or new treatment resulting in increased rate.
- (N) Signifies a new rate, treatment or regulation.
- (R) Signifies a reduced rate, or new treatment resulting in reduced rate.

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PUBLIC MOBILE CARRIER SERVICE  
DEFINITIONS

Access Minutes - The term "Access Minutes" denotes that usage of exchange facilities for the purpose of calculating chargeable usage. On the originating end, usage is measured from the time the originating end user's call is delivered by the LEC and acknowledged as received by the customer's facilities connected with the originating exchange. On the terminating end, usage is measured from the time the call is received by the end user in the terminating exchange. Timing of usage at both originating and terminating ends shall terminate when the called or calling party disconnects. Solely for purposes of this tariff for PMC payments to the Company, access minutes only apply to intraLATA traffic not received paid by the Company. Access minutes are summed over each billing period as described in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25 paragraph 6.8.4.

Authorized Services - Those domestic public cellular communications services which the Public Mobile Carrier lawfully provides on an interconnected basis.

End Office Wire Center (EOWC) - The central office trunking entity where telephone loops are terminated for purposes of interconnection to each other and to the network.

Equal Access End Office (EAEO) - An end office which provides access whose overall quality is equal within a reasonable range to that which is applicable to all customers.

Interconnection Service - The term interconnection service refers to all LEC provided wiring, cable and facilities up to the Point of Termination (POT).

Local Exchange Company' System - The communications network of the LEC and its connecting companies.

Michigan Exchange Carriers Association (MECA) - An Association of Michigan Local Exchange Companies as listed in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25.

Mobile Telephone Switching Office (MTSO) - The location of a PMC's switching system at which connections to the PMC's customer's are terminated for purposes of interconnection to each other and to trunks interfacing with the public switched network. (The term MTSO normally designates the switching office of the PMC, but could be any location mutually agreed upon by the LEC and the PMC, in accordance with the terms of this tariff.)

Originating Direction - the use of PMC service for the origination of calls from end user customers to a PMC's POT/POI.

Outpulsing - A service which provides called telephone number information from LEC end offices to a PMC MTSO.

Point of Termination (POT)/Point of Interconnection (POI) - The demarcation point within a PMC designated location at which the LEC's responsibility for the provision of interconnection ends.

Public Mobile Carrier (PMC) - Exchange message telecommunications common carriers authorized by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) under FCC Rules Part 22 or 80 (47 CFR 22, and 47 CFR 80) within the State of Michigan which utilize radio as the principal means of connecting their end-user subscribers with the public switched telephone network. PMCs provide Public Mobile Services and/or Public Coast Station Services as defined by the FCC.

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PUBLIC MOBILE CARRIER SERVICE

DEFINITIONS (Cont'd)

Public Mobile Carrier Trunk (PMCT) - A Channel (or Trunk) that connects the MTSO to the LEC's end office and is available exclusively for interchanging traffic between the public switched network and a PMC using Type 1 interconnection. This channel can be ordinary loop, voice grade or high capacity digital such as 1.544 mbps digital service, based upon the facilities of the LEC and the needs of the PMC.

Public Mobile Carrier Trunk Interface Unit (PMCTIU) - The PMCTIU is an arrangement that provides the interface between the LEC's switching equipment and the transmission facilities used for the PMCT. It is used with Type 1 service.

Received - Paid Traffic - Traffic received by the LECs for delivery to a particular destination for which transport and/or termination and/or switching charges or their equivalent, are paid by other than the PMC.

Service Area - The geographic area within a PMC's FCC - defined reliable service area or Cellular geographic service area (CGSA) served by the PMC system within which a PMC is authorized to provide public mobile or coast station service.

Subtending End Office of a Tandem - An end office that has final trunk group routing through that tandem.

Tandem - A switching system that provides a concentration and distribution function for originating or terminating traffic between end offices and customer's premises.

Terminating\_Direction - The use of PMC service for the termination of calls from the PMC's POT/POI to a LEC customer.

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PUBLIC MOBILE CARRIER SERVICES  
DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE

A. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

1. This service provides for establishing connections between customers of the LEC and customers served by an authorized PMC, utilizing combinations of dedicated facilities subscribed for by the PMC, and the facilities of the LEC's (and other telephone companies') public switched network.
2. The types of connections offered are designated as Type 1 and Type 2B.
3. Technical specifications associated with these services are contained in Bell Communications Research Technical Reference TR-NPL-000145, and related Bell Communications Research Technical References. /a/

B. TYPE 1 SERVICE

1. Type 1 Service is either one-way or two-way directional and provides interconnection between a PMC's Mobile Telephone Switching Office (MTSO) and end offices of the LEC using a combination of dedicated facilities subscribed for by the PMC, and the facilities of the LEC's and other telephone companies' public switched network.
  - a. With a Type 1 interconnection, the PMC is able to establish connections through the LEC's facilities to or from central office codes (NXX's) served by end offices or other services of the Company in a configuration arranged to meet the PMC's requirements, including use of the public switched network, subject to the limitations specified under Provision of Service following.
  - b. Type 1 service is comprised of the following LEC provided elements:
    - (1) Public Mobile Carrier Trunk (PMCT) as required.
    - (2) Public Mobile Carrier Trunk Interface Unit (PMCTIU).
    - (3) Facilities of the LEC's public switched network as required.
    - (4) Telephone Number blocks as required.
2. Type 1 service is not a toll service and cannot be provided between toll points.

C. TYPE 2A and 2T SERVICES

1. Type 2A and 2T Services provide interconnection between a PMC's MTSO through a primary exchange carrier's toll tandem switching point, to an end office of a secondary LEC.
2. Type 2A and 2T services are only provided between toll points and therefore are not provided by the secondary LEC.
3. If access to an LEC's end office is provided for Type 2A or Type 2T service, then access rates as specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25, Part VI will apply.

/a/ In these documents, the term "Cellular Mobile Carrier" and the initials "CMC" shall be construed to include all PMCs for purposes of this tariff.

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D. TYPE 2B SERVICE.

1. Type 2B Service provides interconnection between a PMC's MTSO and an equal access end office of the LEC; using a combination of facilities subscribed to by the PMC, and the facilities of the LEC's public switched network.
  - a. With a Type 2B interconnection, the PMC is able to establish connections through the LEC's facilities only to or from valid central office codes served by the end office from which the Type 2B service is provided.
  - b. The PMC may select any one or more LEC end offices with which to implement Type 2B Service.
2. The Network Blocking Charge as specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25 may apply.
3. Type 2B Service is not a toll service and cannot be provided between toll points.

E. Held For Future Use.

F. Held For Future Use.

G. TELEPHONE NUMBERS

1. With Type 1 service, telephone numbers in designated NXX's are leased by an LEC to the PMC in groups of 100 or 1000 numbers, for assignment by the PMC to its customers.
2. Type 2B Service is used with NXX codes dedicated entirely to the PMC for assignment of telephone numbers to its customers.

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PUBLIC MOBILE CARRIER SERVICES  
GENERAL REGULATIONS

A. PROVISION OF SERVICE

1. At the PMC's request, the LEC and the PMC will physically connect their facilities and the originating or terminating traffic on the PMC's System in accordance with the PMC's authorized services. Such interconnection shall be in accordance with the provisions set forth herein.
2. Subject to the availability of facilities and the reasonable requirements of the LEC for its telecommunications services, the LEC will provide to the PMC, upon request, those facilities and arrangements which are necessary to establish physical connection provided for herein.
3. In providing physical Public Mobile connections, the LEC will connect its facilities with those of the PMC between an end office wire center located in the PMC's service area and the PMC's POT/POI serving that area.
4. Any facility or arrangement provided shall be of the type normally utilized in the furnishing of the LEC's telecommunication services.
5. If facilities are not available, or where the PMC's individual requirements are such that the LEC must provide special equipment or arrangements, special routing, special gauge of wire, unusual type of circuit facilities or more circuit facilities than could be utilized in the near future for telephone service if service is discontinued by the PMC, the regulations contained elsewhere in this tariff may apply.
6. The LEC's obligation to furnish service or to continue to furnish service is dependent on its ability to obtain, retain and maintain suitable rights and facilities without unreasonable expense, and to provide for the installation of those facilities required incident to the furnishing and maintenance of that service.
7. In case a shortage of facilities exists at any time either for temporary or protracted periods, the establishment of telephone exchange and message toll service takes precedence over the furnishing of any other service or facility.
8. The rate application specified elsewhere in this tariff assumes that the facility used to provide the service will be of the type normally utilized by the LEC in the furnishing of the LEC's telecommunications service. If the PMC's requirements are such that the LEC must provide special equipment or arrangements, additional charges for such service will be determined on an individual case basis.

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B. ORDERING OF SERVICE OR FACILITIES

1. Application for service and facilities made orally or in writing become contracts upon the establishment of the service or facility.
2. Any change in rates or regulations prescribed by public authority having jurisdiction modifies all terms and regulations of contracts to the extent of such change.
3. Orders for service or facilities may not be terminated except upon advance notice to the LEC, at which time there is due and payable all unpaid charges or guarantees for the period of service, equipment or facilities have been furnished, and all applicable minimum and termination charges.
4. Unless otherwise specified in MECA's Tariffs, the minimum service period is one month from the date service is established, and the minimum charge is the established rate for one month.

C. USE OF SERVICE AND FACILITIES

1. The connecting circuits provided by the LEC shall be used only for the handling of traffic originating or terminating on the PMC's system in connection with the PMC's authorized services. Such circuits may, however, be used occasionally or incidentally for incoming calls concerning administrative matters related to the PMC's authorized services.
2. The connecting circuits, facilities or arrangements provided by the LEC shall not be used, switched or otherwise connected together by the PMC for the provision of through calling from a landline telephone to another landline telephone except when such through calling is three-way calling, call forwarding, or other like service offerings of the PMC.
3. The connecting circuits, facilities and arrangements provided by the LEC shall not be used for any purpose or in any manner, directly or indirectly, in violation of law or in aid of any unlawful act or undertaking.
4. Type 2B Service is only provided from end offices that have been provisioned for equal access.

D. CONTRACT SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS

1. When economically practicable, customer specific contract service arrangements may be furnished in lieu of or in addition to existing tariff offerings.

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E. TELEPHONE NUMBERS

1. The PMC has no proprietary right in the Central Office designation (NXX) assignment and the relevant code administrator may make such changes in the designation as in its judgement the requirements of the service may demand pursuant to the provisions of the North American Numbering Plan.
2. The LEC will provide adequate notice to the PMC of changes to PMCs NXX Code, if such a change of NXX is required. Such notice to the PMC will be provided, not less than 12 months in advance of the NXX code change.
3. The LEC will, at the request of the customer and where facilities are available, reserve telephone numbers, as set forth in the LEC's other tariffs including the complete NXX, for future use by the customer. A reservation for the complete NXX will be for a maximum of six months.

F. LIABILITY OF THE LEC AND THE PMC

1. Neither the LEC nor the PMC assumes any liability for any act or omission of the other in the furnishing of its service.
2. The liability of an LEC for damages arising out of delays in installation, maintenance or restoration of facilities, services or arrangements or out of mistakes, omissions, interruptions, or errors or defects in transmission occurring in the course of providing such facilities, services, or arrangements is as specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25 (General Regulations) or its equivalent.
3. An LEC shall reimburse the PMC for damages to premises or equipment of the PMC resulting from the provision of facilities, services or arrangements by the LEC on such premises or resulting from the installation or removal thereof if caused by the sole negligence or willful intentional act of the LEC in accordance with the liability standards set forth in the LEC's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25 (General Regulations) or its equivalent.
4. In the event that such damages as described in the foregoing paragraphs are the result of labor difficulties, governmental orders, civil commotions, acts of God or other circumstances beyond the parties' reasonable control, the liability of the parties shall be excused, but the PMC may claim an allowance against the charges that would otherwise be due for the duration of the interruption, by providing notice and submitting an application to the LEC.
5. With respect to claims of patent infringement the PMC shall defend, indemnify, protect and save harmless an LEC from and against all claims arising out of the combining with or use in connection with the LEC's facilities, services, or arrangements, any circuit, apparatus, system or method provided by the PMC or its subscribers.

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G. INTERRUPTION OF SERVICE

1. The characteristics and methods of operation of any circuits, facilities or equipment of the PMC connected with the services, facilities or equipment of the LEC shall be designed so as not to interfere with or impair service over any facilities of an LEC, its affiliated companies, or its connecting and concurring carriers involved in its services; or cause damage to their plant, impair the privacy of any communications carried over their facilities or create hazards to the employees of any of them or the public.
2. If such characteristics or methods of operation are not in accordance with 1. preceding, the LEC will, where practicable, notify the PMC that temporary discontinuance of the circuit, facility or equipment may be required; however, when prior notice is not practicable, the LEC may forthwith temporarily discontinue the use of a circuit, facility, or equipment. In case of such temporary discontinuance the PMC will be promptly notified and afforded the opportunity to correct the condition which gave rise to the temporary discontinuance. The allowance for interruption as set forth following is not applicable.
3. The physical connection of facilities may be temporarily discontinued by either party upon 30 days notice to the other for repeated or willful violation of or refusal to comply with any of the applicable provisions of this tariff.

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H. TERMINATION OF SERVICE

1. The date when the facilities and arrangements furnished hereunder shall be placed into service shall be mutually agreed upon by the LEC and the PMC. If service is not established by such date or in the event the PMC ceases to engage in the business of providing service, either party may terminate the service on one month's notice. In such case payment for facilities or arrangements provided or for costs incurred, as set forth below, may be applicable.
2. The service shall immediately terminate upon the suspension, revocation or termination by other means of the PMC's authority to provide such services over its system.
3. The service may be terminated by an LEC for non-payment upon not less than 30 days notice, to the PMC that the PMC has failed to pay the LEC on the dates or at the times specified for the facilities and services furnished.
4. Upon termination of the service the monthly service charges payable shall be prorated to the date of termination, provided that the facility or arrangement for which such charge is levied has been in service for more than one month.

I. APPLICATION OF MINIMUM AND TERMINATION CHARGES.

1. In the event that facilities or arrangements are terminated prior to initiating service to the public, or that the PMC cancels an order for a facility or an arrangement prior to placing it in service, and the LEC has incurred costs in connection with the facility or arrangement to be provided, the PMC shall reimburse the LEC reasonable costs, less net salvage, actually incurred by the LEC.
  - a. For the purpose of the preceding, the term "costs" shall include the nonrecoverable cost of equipment and material ordered, plus the nonrecoverable cost of installation and removal including the cost of engineering, labor, supervision, transportation, rights-of-way and any other associated costs.
2. Where only a portion of a service with an initial service period of more than one month is discontinued, termination charges apply for various items of equipment discontinued, as though they were the last of their kind installed.
3. With respect to the original contract, minimum and termination charges are waived where a new customer takes over the contract, in total, for the unexpired period thereof, for the service and facilities to be furnished at the same location without lapse of service, and assumes all unpaid charges on the original contract. Minimum and termination charges involved in the original contract are also waived where a new customer takes over the service and facilities covered by the original contract under the conditions stated, except as to payment of unpaid charges, and executes a new contract for the full required minimum period. In either case, minimum and termination charges apply for any service or facilities furnished under the original contract which are not retained by the new customer.
4. When the use of the service or facilities is terminated because of the condemnation, destruction, or damage of property by fire or other cause beyond the control of the customer, which renders the premises unfit for occupancy, the PMC is required to pay only the charges for the period during which service or facilities have been furnished, no minimum or termination charges being applied.

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J. TESTING

1. An LEC and the PMC each may make reasonable tests and inspections of their facilities and may, upon notice to and coordination with the other, temporarily interrupt the facilities being tested or inspected.
2. Cooperative Acceptance Testing will be performed on all new installations at a negotiated time without charge to the PMC. Upon the satisfactory completion of Cooperative Acceptance Testing, the billing for the LEC provided service shall commence.
3. If the PMC requests the Cooperative Acceptance Testing other than at the time of installation and is not ready at the scheduled interval, a charge specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25 Sections 6.2.4, 13.3.1, and 17.4.4 may apply for those tests.
4. The LEC will, where available, provide means which allow autonomous testing by the PMC of facilities provided herein to verify proper operation of such facilities.
5. Any maintenance of service charges shall be applied in accordance with provisions specified elsewhere in an LEC's tariffs.

K. MAINTENANCE

1. An LEC is solely responsible for the maintenance of facilities provided by the LEC. This includes the LEC's provided wiring, cable and other facilities up to the point of termination.
2. The maintenance of the Company-provided facilities will be accomplished without charge to the PMC.
3. The PMC or others may not rearrange, move, disconnect, remove or attempt to repair any facilities provided by the LEC, other than by connection or disconnection to an interface means, except with the written consent of the LEC.

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PUBLIC MOBILE CARRIER SERVICES  
RATES AND CHARGES

A. APPLICATION OF RATES AND CHARGES

1. Public Mobile Carrier Trunk (PMCT) - Type 1

a. The monthly rates and nonrecurring charges for the PMCT (channel) are determined by:

- the type of facility provided, e.g., ordinary loop, voice grade or High Capacity.
- the originating and terminating locations, e.g., intra or interexchange service.
- optional features or functions required

b. The rates and charges for the PMCT components, when provided, are specified in the LEC's local tariff (Local Private Line Services).

2. Public Mobile Carrier Trunk Interface Unit (PMCTIU) - Type 1

a. One PMCTIU is required for each voice grade equivalent PMCT that connects to an LEC's end office(s) switch.

3. Public Mobile Carrier Local Transport (PMCLT) - Type 2B Service

The following rate elements apply for the provision of PMCLT:

- a. Local Transport rates specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25, Part VI for LOCAL TRANSPORT, MILEAGE CHARGE, PREMIUM RATES apply for each minute, or fraction thereof, of Access Minutes of Use.
- b. The Local Transport nonrecurring charge specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25, Part VI applies for the installation of each line or trunk requested by the PMC.
- c. The Local Transport rate is distance sensitive.

4. Public Mobile Carrier Local Switching (PMCLS) - Type 2B Service.

The following rate elements apply for the provision of PMCLS:

- a. Local Switching rates specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25, Part VI, LOCAL SWITCHING PREMIUM RATES LS2 apply for the use of end office switching equipment.

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B. RATES AND CHARGES - Type 2 Service

3. Public Mobile Carrier Usage Charge (PMCUC)

4. PMC Local Transport

Type 2B                      Local Transport rates specified in MECA's Tariff  
M.P.S.C. No. 25, Part VI apply.

5. PMC Local Switching

Type 2B                      Local Switching rates specified in MECA's Tariff  
M.P.S.C. No. 25, Part VI apply.

6. Local Transport Nonrecurring Charge - Type 2B

The nonrecurring installation charge per Trunk specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25, Part VI is applicable for each Trunk installed.

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C. RATES AND CHARGES - Type 1

The following rates and charges apply only to PMC Service where the originator is responsible for all local, interzone, and/or toll charges:

	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Monthly Rates</u>
1. End office equipment to service - Type 1 telephone numbers /a/		
a. Establishment of initial number group to service a particular RCC trunk group.	\$ 72.99	n/a
b. Nonrecurring order charge per order	\$ 151.61	
c. Total numbers in service		
100		\$10.00
200		13.00
300		16.00
400		19.00
500		22.00
600		25.00
700		28.00
800		32.00
900		36.00
1000		40.00

When a customer subscribes to more than 1000 numbers, the rate per thousand is applicable, plus the rate shown preceding for quantities less than an even thousand.

2. Public Mobile Carrier Trunk Interface  
Unit (PMCTIU)

a. Individual business line service /b/		
b. Outpulsing trunk interface unit - two wire	\$ 28.08	\$10.67
c. Four wire - two way trunk unit	\$ 50.00	\$37.50

/a/ When Outpulsing Services is utilized for both two way mobile and one way paging within the same 100 telephone number block, a minimum of two Public Mobile Carrier trunks and two outpulsing trunk interface units are required.

/b/ Rates and charges for individual business line service specified in the LEC's applicable local tariff, M.P.S.C. No. 1, apply.

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C. RATES AND CHARGES - Type 1

3. PMCT and Optional Features Type 1 Service - The monthly rates and nonrecurring charges including application are specified in the LEC's local tariff (Local Private Line Services).

a. For individual business lines service, rates and charges specified in the LEC's applicable local tariff apply.

	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Monthly Rates</u>
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b. Outpulsing Channels, for use with  
outpulsing trunk interface unit -  
two wire/a/ each

(1) Same Central Office -	\$ 22.96	\$ 9.33
(2) Different Central Office - same Exchange	\$ 20.61	\$ 55.06

4. Testing and repair rates and charges, including application as specified in MECA's Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 25, Part XIII and Part XVII, apply.

/a/ Not available with four wire two-way trunk unit.

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Schedule of Rates, Charges and  
Regulations Governing

PRIMARY BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

Applying in the Exchanges of this Company  
in Michigan as listed in the Company's  
M.P.S.C. No.1R  
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EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

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- (C) Signifies a changed regulation.
- (D) Signifies a discontinued rate, treatment or regulation.
- (I) Signifies an increased rate, or new treatment resulting in increased rate.
- (N) Signifies a new rate, treatment or regulation.
- (R) Signifies a reduced rate, or new treatment resulting in reduced rate.

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PRIMARY BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE

GENERAL

1. Primary Basic Local Exchange Service (PBLES) is a restricted Residential Basic Local Exchange Service offering. See Service Parameters as stated on Sheet No. 6 of this tariff.
2. The Telephone Company only offers Primary Basic Local Exchange Service in exchanges where the Telephone Company offers Residential Basic Local Exchange Service under its Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 1(R).
3. Primary Basic Local Exchange Service is the furnishing of facilities for telephone intercommunication between customers within a Local Calling Area.
4. Primary Basic Local Exchange Service customer may purchase any unregulated calling feature on a stand-alone basis at the then current rates for that unregulated calling feature.
5. The provision of Primary Basic Local Exchange Service is subject to regulations specified in the M.P.S.C. Tariffs of the Telephone Company, which tariffs as they now exist or as they may be revised, added to, or superseded are hereby made a part of this Tariff.

APPLICATION

1. Primary Basic Local Exchange Service is available only at locations where residential service would be available.
2. No more than one Primary Basic Local Exchange Service will be provided to an address.
3. A monthly recurring charge plus a MOU and/or a per call charge (where applicable) will apply as described in this tariff.

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PRIMARY BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE (Continued)

SERVICE PARAMETERS

1. This offering is for voice use only.
2. Data calls (such as calls to a computer tone) are not included as a part of this service. As part of this service offering, the Telephone Company may (at its choosing) attempt to block data calls. For data calls completed within the Local Calling Area, the Telephone Company may (at its choosing) bill for that usage at the Local Minute Rate starting with the first minute.
3. This offering provides up to 100 outgoing calls per billing month to the Primary Basic Local Exchange Service calling area. The Telephone Company will bill for calls in excess of this allowance at the Local Call Rate.
4. This offering provides up to 12,000 outgoing minutes per billing month to the Primary Basic Local Exchange Service Calling Area. The Telephone Company will bill for minutes in excess of this allowance at the Local Minute Rate.
5. This offering includes unlimited incoming local calls.
6. Calls made within the Local Calling Area but outside the Primary Basic Local Exchange Service Calling Area will be billed at the Local Minute Rate starting with the first minute.
7. Only completed local calls and conversation minutes count towards the above allowances. The Telephone Company will not bill for non-completed calls and non-conversation time.
8. The conversation minutes for each completed local call are rounded up to the next higher whole minute on a per call basis.
9. Vacation service is not available with this service.
10. Local call detail is not provided with this service.
11. The call and minute allowance apply per line per month. Unused calls or minutes, or calls or minutes over the allowance, may not be carried over or applied against another month's allowances.
12. Local Operator calls will not count against the allowances. Local Operator calls will be billed at the then current rates of the operator provider.
13. There is no charge for calls to the Telephone Company's business office nor do such calls count against either the call allowance or the MOU allowance.
14. A person with disabilities or who is voluntarily providing a service for an organization classified by the Internal Revenue Service as a section 501(c)(3) or (19) organization, or a person who provides a service for a congressionally chartered veterans organization or their duly authorized foundations, is exempt from the 100 calls per month limitation.
15. Touch Tone Service is included with this service.
16. Service Connection Charges as stated in this tariff apply.

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PRIMARY BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

EXCHANGE - PIGEON

A. PRIMARY BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE CALLING AREA

The Primary Basic Local Exchange Service calling area consists of the following exchanges:

PIGEON      ELKTON      OWENDALE      SEBEWAING      BAY PORT  
CASEVILLE

B. LOCAL CALLING AREA

The Local Calling Area associated with Primary Basic Local Exchange Service includes only the following exchanges:

BAD AXE      BAY PORT      CASEVILLE      CASS CITY      ELKTON  
GAGETOWN      KINDE      OWENDALE      PIGEON      PORT AUSTIN  
SEBEWAING      UNIONVILLE

The company will block all 1+ calls dialed to any rate center listed in the preceding.

C. RATE

a. Monthly Recurring	\$20.85
b. Per Local Call Rate	0.146
c. Per Local Minute Rate	0.05*

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PRIMARY BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

EXCHANGE - TWINING

A. PRIMARY BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE CALLING AREA

The Primary Basic Local Exchange Service calling area consists of the following exchanges:

TWINING      AU GRES      OMER      PRESCOTT      WHITTEMORE  
EAST TAWAS

B. LOCAL CALLING AREA

The Local Calling Area associated with Primary Basic Local Exchange Service includes only the following exchanges:

TWINING      AU GRES      OMER      PRESCOTT      WHITTEMORE  
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EXCHANGE - ALBA

A. PRIMARY BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE CALLING AREA

The Primary Basic Local Exchange Service calling area consists of the following exchanges:

ALBA	ELMIRA	GAYLORD	LAKES OF THE NORTH
MANCELONA	BELLAIRE	EAST JORDAN	

B. LOCAL CALLING AREA

The Local Calling Area associated with Primary Basic Local Exchange Service includes only the following exchanges:

ALBA	ELMIRA	GAYLORD	LAKES OF THE NORTH
MANCELONA	BELLAIRE	EAST JORDAN	

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EXCHANGE – LAKES OF THE NORTH

A. PRIMARY BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE CALLING AREA

The Primary Basic Local Exchange Service calling area consists of the following exchanges:

LAKES OF THE NORTH MANCELONA	GAYLORD ALBA	GRAYLING	MANISTEE RIVER
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B. LOCAL CALLING AREA

The Local Calling Area associated with Primary Basic Local Exchange Service includes only the following exchanges:

LAKES OF THE NORTH MANCELONA	GAYLORD ALBA	GRAYLING	MANISTEE RIVER
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PRIMARY BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE  
SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGES

A. GENERAL

1. The Service Charges covered herein are applicable in connection with the establishment of Primary Basic Local Exchange Service (PBLES) and subsequent additions of lines and other service.
2. Service Charges
  - a. The Service Charge is the charge for work performed by the Telephone Company in connection with receiving, recording and processing of PBLES customer requests for service ordered to be performed or provided at the same time, on the same system and on the same premises. The term "per order" means all work or service ordered at the same time for the same PBLES account.
  - b. The Line Connection Charges applied to each central office line (exchange line, trunks, etc) for work required in the central office and outside plant, including restoral of service after temporary disconnection of PBLES for nonpayment.
3. Customer Premises
  - a. A premises is a building, portion of a building or buildings on the same continuous property occupied by the customer as a residence. All space for offices occupied by a PBLES customer on the same or separate floors of one building are considered as a single (or same) premises.
    - (1) Same continuous property shall mean an uninterrupted plot of land within the same block and occupied by one PBLES customer. Same block is defined as a parcel of land enclosed but uncrossed by public thoroughfares.
    - (2) A building shall mean a structure on one foundation or two structures on separate foundations with a common wall or abutting walls with ready access from one structure to the other by means of doorways or permanent openings through the intervening wall or walls. Structures in the same or different block occupied by one PBLES customer and connected by passageways shall be considered as the same building if the passageway is actually used as a continuation of the space in the two buildings and not principally used as a walkway.
4. Additional Conditions
  - a. Service charges are in addition to all other applicable rates and charges associated with the PBLES being provided. Installation charges for additional equipment as shown in Tariff M.P.S.C. No. 2 may apply in lieu of wiring or station connection charges.
  - b. The charges specified herein do not contemplate work being performed by the Company employees at a time when overtime wages apply due to the request of the PBLES customer nor do they contemplate work begun being interrupted by the customer. If the PBLES customer requests overtime labor being performed or interrupts work once begun, a charge in addition to the specified charges will be made equal to the additional cost involved.
  - c. No service charges apply for a change in equipment or move of equipment if made on the initiative of the Telephone Company for maintenance reasons or because of a change in the type of central office operation or for other Company reasons.
5. Restoral of Service
  - a. PBLES discontinued by the Telephone Company because of nonpayment, when the service has not been disconnected, is subject to the restoral of Service Charge.
  - b. When PBLES is rendered inoperative by fire or other causes beyond the control of the customer which render the premises unfit for occupancy, the same service as destroyed will be reestablished at

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PRIMARY BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE  
SERVICE CONNECTION CHARGES

B. SERVICE CHARGES

1. Service Ordering Charge

a. Initial Service Order, Per PBLES Order

Applies to any new PBLES customer's service order. \$ 14.00

b. Subsequent Service Order, Per PBLES Order

Applies to any present PBLES customer's order to relocate, install, change or add to the service; restoral of service after disconnect for nonpayment; et cetera. 5.00

2. Line Connection Charge

Per PBLES Line 5.00

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