

SECTION 8: LOCAL AND INTRALATA CALLING SERVICE8.3 Rates

The rates set forth in this section apply to all direct-dialed local and IntraLATA calls. For operator-assisted local and intraLATA calls, the operator charges listed in Section 12.1.3 apply in addition to the charges listed below.

8.3.1 Rates for Local Calling

A Local Area Call is a call that originates and terminates within an exchange area and is billed per call according to duration and the rate period in which the call occurs. Per minute charges apply for each call. Timing is in whole minute increments, with a minimum charge of one minute per call. Plan is available on a month-to-month (MTM) basis.

Basic Rate Plan

<u>BAND</u>	<u>1 YR TERM</u>
Local Calls 0-8	\$0.0150
Over 8 Mi	\$0.0200
Over 15 Mi	\$0.0100

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SECTION 9: MESSAGE TOLL SERVICE9.1 Description

Message Toll Service enables a User of an exchange access line provided by the Company or another certified local exchange carrier to place calls to any station on the public switched telecommunications network bearing an NPA-NXX designation associated with points outside the customer's Local Calling Area, but within the State of Missouri.

MTS calls will be billed in 6-second increments with an initial billing period of 18 seconds.

9.2 Rates

The rates set forth below are for all direct dialed Message Toll Service (MTS) calls. Rates for Operator assisted calls are set forth in Section 12.

	<u>MTM/1YR</u>
Rate per minute	\$0.0550
Monthly Usage	Discount
\$0 - \$999	0%
\$1,000 - \$2,499	5%
\$2,500 - \$3,999	10%
\$4000 +	15%

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SECTION 12: MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES12.2 Busy Line Verify and Line Interrupt Service (cont'd.)12.2.3 RatesPer Request Charges

Busy Line Verify Service (each request)	\$2.00
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Busy Line Verify and Busy Line Interrupt Service (each request)	\$3.00
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12.3 Directory Assistance12.3.1 Description

Customers and Users of the Company's calling services (excluding toll free services) may obtain directory assistance in determining telephone numbers within Missouri by calling the Directory Assistance operator.

12.3.2 Rates

- A) Directory Assistance charges apply for all requests for which the Company's facilities are used. Each number requested is charged for as shown below. Requests for information other than telephone numbers will be charged the same rate as shown for the applicable request for telephone numbers.

	<u>Local</u>
Per Number Requested	1.99

- B) A credit will be given for calls to Directory Assistance when:

- 1) the Customer experiences poor transmission or is cut-off during the call,
- 2) the Customer is given an incorrect telephone number, or
- 3) the Customer inadvertently misdials an incorrect Directory Assistance NPA.

To receive a credit, the customer must notify the Company operator or Business Office of the problem experienced.

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SECTION 13: SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS

13.1 Individual Case Basis (ICB) Arrangements

Rates for dedicated access, private lines service will be determined on an ICB basis. ICB rates will be structured to recover company's cost of providing services and will be made available to customers in a non-discriminatory manner. Terms of specific ICB contracts will be made available to the Missouri PSC staff upon request on a proprietary basis. ICB rates are not offered for switched access services.

13.2 Temporary Promotional Programs

The Company may from time to time engage in special promotional service offerings designed to attract new customers or to promote existing services. Such promotional service offerings shall be subject to specific dates, times (not to exceed one year) and/or locations, and shall be subject to prior notification to and approval by the Commission. The Company will provide written notice to the Commission no less than seven (7) days prior to the beginning of each promotion period identifying the promotion, specifying the terms of the promotion, the location and dates of the promotion.

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