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Missouri Public Service Commission
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**Re: Fidelity Communication Services I, Inc. – Local Exchange Tariff and
Intrastate Access Tariff**

Dear Mr. Roberts,

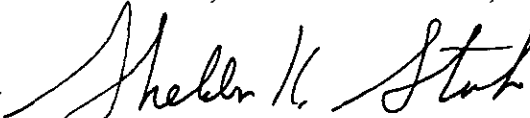
Enclosed are the original and five (5) copies of the Fidelity Communication Services I, Inc. ("Fidelity") Local Exchange Tariff, PSC MO. NO. 1 and Intrastate Access Tariff, PSC MO. NO. 2. The proposed effective date for each tariff is June 1, 2000. The tariffs are filed as a result of the certification of Fidelity as a competitive local exchange company in Case No. TA-2000-191 on December 2, 1999. A copy of these tariffs will be made available to all parties of record in this matter who request same. The tariffs filed herewith contain 109 and 17 pages, respectively.

We have enclosed one extra copy of each tariff which we would appreciate being date stamped upon receipt and returned to the undersigned in the envelope provided.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,

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cc: Office of Public Counsel

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**Fidelity Communications Services I, Inc.
(a Competitive Telecommunications Company)**

Intrastate Access Tariff

**For Interexchange Telephone Service
Applying to All Exchanges**

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EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

- (C) Change in Regulation
- (D) Discontinued Rate, Regulation or Text
- (I) Increase in Rate
- (N) New Rate, Regulation or Text
- (R) Reduction in Rate
- (T) Change in Text but no change in Rate or Regulation

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ACCESS TARIFF CONCURRENCE**Intrastate Access Services****A. Access Tariff Concurrence**

Access services are those services which are described in the Access Services Tariff of Fidelity Telephone Company. These services are offered by the Company to intrastate interexchange customers (ICs) in accordance with the rules and regulations specified in the Access Services Tariff of Fidelity Telephone Company except for those items listed in section 5.D. as exceptions and approved by the Missouri Public Service Commission, and in any amendments thereto and authorized by the Missouri Public Service Commission or applicable law. The Company does not concur in the rates for access services of Fidelity Telephone Company. Rates for these services are set out in the following pages of this concurrence.

B. Provision of Services

The Company, to the extent that such services are or can be made available with reasonable effort and after provisions have been made for the Company's telephone exchange services, will provide to an intrastate IC, upon reasonable notice, services of the type offered in Fidelity Telephone Company's Access Services Tariff pursuant to the terms and conditions specified therein except for those items listed in section 5.D. as exceptions and at the rates specified in the following pages of this concurrence. The Company's concurrence in Fidelity Telephone Company's Access Services Tariff shall not be construed or deemed a representation that all services and service components described therein are available from the Company.

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The Company reserves the right to cancel and make void the above concurrence statement, subject to requirements as may be ordered by the Missouri Public Service Commission, at any and such time as it appears that such cancellation is in the best interest of the Company and/or its customers.

D. Exceptions to the Access Services Tariff of the Fidelity Telephone Company

1. The Company will not apply provisions of the Minimum Monthly Charge set out in Section 6.5.4 of the Fidelity Telephone Company tariff.
2. Switched Access local transport as described in Section 6.1.3(A) of the Fidelity Telephone Company tariff will be distance sensitive for FGC and FGD calls. To determine the mileage to be billed, compute the mileage using the V&H coordinates method, as set forth in the NATIONAL EXCHANGE CARRIER ASSOCIATION TARIFF – WIRE CENTER & INTERCONNECTION INFORMATION. When the calculation results in a fraction of a mile, always round up to the next whole mile before determining the mileage and applying the rates.
3. The Company includes nonrecurring (one-time) charges for specific activities in conjunction with the installation of service (to include engineering), changes to an existing Switched Access Arrangement or activation/deactivation of a Carrier Identification Code (CIC).
 - a. Switched Access Ordering charges are associated with the work performed by the Company in connection with the receiving, recording and processing of customer service requests. There are two types of service order charges.
 - 1) Initial Ordering Charge – Switched Access

This charge applies on a per Access Service Request (ASR) basis, including requests to add additional lines or trunks to activate an existing trunk as a result of additional trunks or BHMCs ordered for an existing service. Additionally, this would include the activation/deactivation of a Carrier Identification Code (CIC).
 - 2) Subsequent Ordering Charge – Switched Access

This charge applies on a per ASR basis for modifications to an existing service. This would include activities such as:

 - Changes and/or additions to end office services optional arrangements (changes in hunt group or screening arrangements).

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Intrastate Access Services – Continued

D. Exceptions to the Access Services Tariff of the Fidelity Telephone Company

3. Cont'd

a. Cont'd

2) Cont'd

- The combination or splitting of FGA hunt groups.
- A move to a new point of termination within the same customer designation location.
- A change for rating purposes from one type of Transport to another (i.e. Switched to Special).
- The activation or deactivation of 900 SAC NXX codes on a per tandem level basis.
- The addition of Calling Party Number (CPN) Parameter, Carrier Selection Parameter, (CSP), and Charge Number (CN) Parameter when ordered subsequent to the provision of SS7 out of band signaling.
- Changes in FGD switched access and 800 SAC Access signaling from multifrequency address signaling to SS7 out of band signaling.

3) Administrative changes will be made without charge to the customer.

b. Design Change Charge

A design change is any change to a pending ASR or a change to an existing service which requires engineering review or changes. Design changes may include the addition or deletion of End Office service Optional Arrangements or changes in the signaling arrangements associated with the Interface Arrangements. Design changes do not include a change of Switched Access Interface Arrangement or facility type, Interexchange Customer Designated Location, end user premises, end office switch, or Feature Group type. Changes of this nature will require the issuance of a new ASR and the cancellation of the original ASR with the appropriate cancellation charges applied.

The Company will review the requested change, notify the customer whether the change can be accommodated and if a new service date is required. If the customer authorizes the Company to proceed with the design change, a Design Change Charge will apply.

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3. Cont'd

b. Cont'd

The Design Change Charge will apply on a per ASR per occurrence basis for each request requiring a design change. The Design Change Charge is in addition to any Switched Ordering charges associated with the change requested. When the design change is on a pending ASR, the Initial Ordering Charge – Switched Access will apply. If the design change is to an existing service, the Subsequent Ordering Charge – Switched Access will apply.

4. The Company includes nonrecurring (one-time) charges for specific work activity, (i.e., installation of service or change to an existing service). The types of nonrecurring charges that apply for Special Access Service are listed below.

a. Special Access Ordering Charges are associated with the work performed by the Company in connection with the receiving, recording and processing of customer service requests. There are two types of service ordering charges.

- 1) Initial Ordering Charge – Special Access, applies on a per Access Service Request (ASR) basis, including those requests to add additional termination to an existing service.
- 2) Subsequent Ordering Charge – Special Access, applies on a per ASR basis for modifications to an existing service. This would include activities such as:
 - Additions of supplemental features and multiplexing arrangements.
 - Changes in the type of transport rate option from Switched to Special transport for the FGA or FGB Switched Access.

b. Design Change Charge applies when a customer requests a design change to the service ordered. A design change is any change to a pending ASR for Special Access Service which requires engineering review. Design changes include such things as the addition or deletion of supplemental features or changes in the terminating options. Design changes do not include a change or Interexchange Customer Designated Location (CDL) or end user premises when its serving wire center changes or Special Access service type (e.g., 2-wire to 4-wire Voiceband or Voiceband to Program Audio, etc.). Changes of this nature will require the issuance of a new ASR and the cancellation of the original ASR.

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4. Cont'd

b. Cont'd

The Company will review the requested change, notify the customer whether the change can be accommodated and specify if a new service date is required. If the customer authorizes the Company to proceed with the design change, a Design Change Charge will apply.

The Design Change Charge will apply on a per ASR per occurrence basis, for each ASR requiring a design change.

5. Miscellaneous charges – Premium charges will apply all day Sunday and on all Telephone Company approved holidays.

6. Primary Interexchange Carrier (PIC) Change Charge

A Primary Interexchange Carrier is available for Inter and IntraLata services. The end user customer may choose a carrier for Inter and/or IntraLata MTS services. Should the end user or agent change the carrier of choice, a PIC change charge and the appropriate local tariff service order charges will be applicable. See PIC change charge at Section 6.E.5.

Initial end user and agent selection of a PIC by ballot or appearing on an IC list will not incur a charge. A change of PIC selection prior to the end office conversion will not incur a charge. Notification of a change in a PIC may be coordinated by the end user or agent with either the IC selected or the Company.

Should an end user or agent dispute authorization of the change in PIC assignment and if the IC cannot produce a letter of agency or confirmation from the end user or agent, the IC will be billed a change charge (see Section 6.E.6) for restoring the end user's or agent's prior IC assignment. If the IC produces the letter of agency or confirmation of choice within 15 days of the Company request, the end user or agent will be billed two PIC charges in lieu of charges to the IC. Charges are only applicable if a change in an end user's or agent's IC selection has actually been implemented in the switch.

End users and agents who fail to select an IC will be served by the Company's long distance affiliate.

7. The Company will not apply the CCL additive as set out in section 3.7(E) of the Fidelity Telephone Company tariff.

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ACCESS TARIFF CONCURRENCE – Continued

Rates and Charges

A. Carrier Common Line Access Service

	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>
1. Intrastate InterLATA Carrier Common Line Access, per minute		
-Originating	\$ 0.0445	3.7
-Terminating	\$ 0.0833	3.7
2. Intrastate IntraLata Carrier Common Line Access, per minute		
-Originating	\$ 0.0472	3.7
-Terminating	\$ 0.0840	3.7

B. Switched Access Service

1. Nonrecurring Charges

Per Line or Trunk Connected		
Initial Order	\$204.88	Exception 5.D.3
Subsequent Order	\$192.28	Exception 5.D.3

2. Design Change Charge,
per ASR/per occurrence

\$ 11.00 Exception 5.D.3

3. Local Transport

Premium Access
All Feature Groups

<u>Call Miles</u>	<u>Per Access Minute</u>	
0-4	\$.0050	6.1.3.(A)
Over 4-8	\$.0120	6.1.3(A)
Over 8-16	\$.0150	6.1.3(A)
Over 16-25	\$.0180	6.1.3(A)
Over 25-50	\$.0225	6.1.3(A)
Over 50-100	\$.0308	6.1.3(A)
Over 100-200	\$.0335	6.1.3(A)
Over 200	ICB	6.1.3(A)

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Rates and Charges – Continued

B. Switched Access Service (Cont'd)

		Rate per Access Minute	Tariff Section Reference
4.	End Office Premium Access		
a.	Local Switching		
	LS2(Feature Group C&D(WATS))	\$ 0.0228	6.1.3(B)(1)
	LS1(Feature Group A & B)	\$ 0.0228	6.1.3(B)(1)
b.	Line Termination		
a.	Common	N/A	6.1.3(B)(2)
b.	Special Access	N/A	6.1.3(B)(2)
c.	Directory Assistance Info. Surcharge (Per Access Minute)	\$ 0.0004	6.1.3(B)(3)
5.	800 Data Base Access Service Subject to SSP Availability		
a.	Basic Rate – per query	\$0.0128	6.2.6(A)(4)(a)
b.	Vertical Features Rate -per query (replaces basic rate)	\$0.0013	6.2.6(A)(4)(a)

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Rates and Charges – Continued

C. Special Access Service

Rates for Dedicated Access, Private Lines and Centrex services will be determined on an Individual Case Basis (ICB). ICB rates will be structured to recover the Company's cost of providing the 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 Public Service Commission Staff upon request on a proprietary basis.

1. Special Access Ordering Charges

		<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Section Reference</u>
(a)	Initial Order	\$ 181.00	Exception 5.D.4.a.1.
(b)	Subsequent Order	133.68	Exception 5.D.4.a.2.
(c)	Design Change, per ASR, per occurrence	11.00	Exception 5.D.4.b.

		<u>Tariff Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Daily Rate*</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Section Reference</u>
2.	Channel Termination, per termination				
(a)	Voice Grade Channel				
	Two wire	ICB	N/A	ICB	7.1.2(A)
	Four wire	ICB	N/A	ICB	7.1.2(A)
(b)	Metallic Channel				
	Two Wire	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.1.2(A)
(c)	Program Audio				
	50 Hz to 15,000 Hz	ICB	ICB	ICB	7.1.2(A)
	a) Optional Features and Functions				
	Stereo per service	ICB	ICB	ICB	7.1.2(A)
(d)	Digital Data				
	2.4,4.8 and 9.6 Kbps	ICB	N/A	ICB	7.1.2(A)
	56Kbps	ICB	N/A	ICB	
(e)	High Capacity				
	1.544 Mbps				
	1 st Channel	ICB	N/A	ICB	7.1.2(A)
	Each Additional Channel	ICB	N/A	ICB	7.1.2(A)
(f)	Digital Transmission	ICB	N/A	ICB	7.1.2(A)
	Loop Arrangment				
	(1) Loop Exchange Usage				
	Per Channel	ICB	N/A	ICB	N/A
(g)	High Capacity, DS3	ICB	N/A	ICB	7.1.2(A)

* Daily rates apply only to Program Audio Services.

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C. Special Access Service – Continued

		<u>Tariff Monthly Rates</u>	<u>Daily Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Section Reference</u>
3.	Channel Mileage,				
	(a) Channel Mileage Facility				
	1. Applies to Voice Grade -per Mile	ICB	N/A	None	7.1.2(B)(1)
	2. Applies to Metallic -per Mile	ICB	N/A	N/A	7.1.2(B)(1)
	3. Applies to Program Audio -per Mile	ICB	ICB	None	7.1.2(B)(1)
	4. Applies to High Capacity -per Mile	ICB	N/A	None	7.1.2(B)(1)
	5. Applies to Digital Data -per Mile	ICB	N/A	None	7.1.2(B)(1)

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ACCESS TARIFF CONCURRENCE – Continued

Rates and Charges – Continued

C. Special Access Service – Continued

		<u>Tariff Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Daily Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charges</u>	<u>Section Reference</u>
3.	Channel Mileage, (Cont'd)				
(b).	Channel Mileage Termination				
1.	Applies to Voice Grade -per Termination	ICB	N/A	None	7.1.2(B)(2)
2.	Applies to Metallic -per Termination	ICB	N/A	None	7.1.2(B)(2)
3.	Applies to Program Audio -per Termination	ICB	N/A	None	7.1.2(B)(2)
4.	Applies to High Capacity -per Termination	ICB	N/A	None	7.1.2(B)(2)
5.	Applies to Digital Data -per Termination	ICB	N/A	None	7.1.2(B)(2)
4.	Special Access Surcharge				
	-Per Voice Grade Equivalent	\$25.00	N/A	None	7.3.2.

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Rates and Charges – Continued

D. Billing and Collection Service

	<u>Rates</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>
1. Recording, per customer message	See Note	8.1.1
2. Provision of Message Detail, per message	See Note	8.1.1
3. Magnetic Tape, per tape	See Note	8.1.1
4. Rating Service, per message	See Note	8.2.1
5. Bill Processing Svc., per message	See Note	8.2.1
6. Special Billing Service, per bill	See Note	8.2.1
7. Data Transmission, per message	See Note	8.2.1
8. Provision of Sample Message Data, per Record processed	See Note	8.2.1
9. Program Development Basic per hour	See Note	8.2.1
Premium per hour	See Note	8.2.1
10. Message Billed Service, in which one or more messages or message service related rate elements are billed, per bill rendered to a customer end user account per month	See Note	8.2.1

Note: Fidelity Communications Services I, Inc. provides Billing and Collection Services pursuant to contract.

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E. Miscellaneous Services

	Basic Time, Scheduled <u>working hours</u>	Overtime, outside scheduled <u>working hours</u>	Premium outside schedule <u>working hours</u>	Tariff Section Reference
1. Additional Engineering Periods				
Per engineer, 1 st ½ hour or fraction thereof,	ICB	ICB	ICB	13.1
each Additional	ICB	ICB	ICB	13.1
2. Additional Labor				
Per technician, 1 st ½ hour or fraction thereof,	ICB	ICB	ICB	13.1
Each Additional	ICB	ICB	ICB	13.1
3. Maintenance of Service				
Per technician, 1 st ½ hour Of fraction thereof,	ICB	ICB	ICB	13.1
Each Additional	ICB	ICB	ICB	13.1
4. Programming Services				
Per programmer, ½ hour or fraction thereof,	ICB	ICB	ICB	13.1
Each Additional	ICB	ICB	ICB	13.1
5. PIC Change Charge, per occurrence				
InterLATA *	\$ 5.00			13.3.1
IntraLATA *	\$ 5.00			13.3.1
6. Unauthorized PIC Change	\$ 35.65			13.3.1

* If both InterLATA and IntraLATA PIC's are changed to the same carrier at the same time, then only one PIC change charge will apply.

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