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MISSOURI INTRASTATE ACCESS SERVICES TARIFF

OF

SAGE TELECOM COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

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This tariff contains the descriptions, regulations, and rates applicable to the provision of access services provided by Sage Telecom Communications, LLC ("Company" or "the Company"), with principal offices at 10440 N. Central Expressway, Suite 700, Dallas, Texas 75231-2228, for services furnished within the State of Missouri. This tariff is on file with the Missouri Public Service Commission, and copies may be inspected, during normal business hours, at the Company's principal place of business.

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SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS, (CONT'D)

Automatic Number Identification (ANI) - The automatic transmission of a caller's billing account telephone number to a local exchange company, interexchange carrier or a third party Customer. The primary purpose of ANI is for billing toll calls.

Bit - The smallest unit of information in a binary system of notation.

Bps - Bits per second. The number of bits transmitted in a one second interval.

Business Hours – The phrase "Business Hours" generally means the time beginning at 8:00 a.m. and ending at 5:00 p.m. local time at the place of Company operation, Monday through Friday excluding holidays.

Business Office – The phrase "Business Office" means the primary location where the business operations of Sage are performed and where a copy of Sage's tariffs are made available for public inspection. The address of the business office is 10440 N. Central Expressway, Suite 700, Dallas, Texas 75231-2228.

Call - A Customer or End User attempt for which the complete address code (e.g., 0-, 911, or 10 digits) is provided to the Serving Wire Center, End Office or Access Tandem Switch.

Central Office - The premises of the Company or another local exchange carrier containing one or more switches where Customer or End User station loops are terminated for purposes of interconnection to other station loops, trunks or access facilities.

Channel - A communications path between two or more points.

CIC - An interexchange carrier identification code.

Commission - Refers to the Missouri Public Service Commission.

Company or Carrier - Used throughout this tariff to indicate Sage Telecom Communications, LLC

Competitive Local Exchange Carrier - ("CLEC") or Alternative Local Exchange Carrier ("ALEC") – means any entity or person providing local exchange services in competition with an ILEC or LEC.

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SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS

2.1 Undertaking of Sage Telecom Communications, LLC

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- 2.1.1 The Company undertakes to furnish switched or dedicated access communications service pursuant to the terms of this tariff.
- 2.1.2 The Company's services and facilities are available twenty-four (24) hours per day, seven (7) days per week
- 2.1.3 The Company is responsible under this tariff only for the services and facilities provided hereunder, and it assumes no responsibility for any service provided by any other entity that purchases access to the Company network in order to originate or terminate its own services, or to communicate with its own customers.
- 2.1.4 The Company arranges for installation, operation, and maintenance of the communications services provided in this tariff for Customers in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth under this tariff. The Customer shall be responsible for all charges due for such service arrangements.
- 2.2 Use of the Company's Service
 - 2.2.1 Services provided under this tariff may be used by the Customer for any lawful telecommunications purpose for which the service is technically suited.
 - 2.2.2 The services the Company offers shall not be used for any unlawful purpose or for any use as to which the Customer has not obtained all required governmental approvals, authorizations, licenses, consents and permits.
 - 2.2.3 Any service provided under this tariff may be resold to or shared (jointly used) with other persons at the Customer's option. The Customer remains solely responsible for all use of service ordered by it or billed to its account(s) pursuant to this tariff, for determining who is authorized to use its service, and for promptly notifying the Company of any unauthorized use. The Customer may advise its customers that a portion of its service is provided by the Company, but the Customer shall not represent that the Company jointly participates with the Customer in the provision of the service. The Company may require applicants for service who intend to use the Company's offerings for resale, shared and/or joint use to file a letter with the Company confirming that their use of the Company's offerings complies with relevant laws and the Commission's regulations, policies, orders, and decisions.

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SECTION 4 - RATES AND CHARGES

4.1 <u>Carrier Common Line Access</u>

Originating Per Access Minute \$0.008385
Terminating Per Access Minute Note 1 (C)
800 Database Query, Per Call \$0.0031000

4.2 Switched Access Service

4.2.1	Switched Transport, Per Access Minute		
	•	Originating	Terminating
	Tandem-Switched Termination	\$0.000053	Note 1
	Tandem-Switched Facility, per mile	\$0.00003	Note 1
	Tandem Switching	\$0.000288	Note 1
	Common Transport Multiplexing	\$0.000047	Note 1

4.2.2 End Office Switching

8YY Database Query Charge Per Query

	Originating	<u>rerminating</u>
Local Switching (per access minute)	\$0.006142	Note 1
Common Trunk Port	\$0.000900	Note 1
Host Remote		
Host-Remote Termination	\$0.000053	
Host-Remote Facility, per mile	\$0.00003	
Host-Remote Trunk Port	\$0.000900	
Host-Remote Multiplexing	\$0.00047	

4.3 <u>VoIP-PSTN Traffic</u>

	<u>Originating</u>	<u>Terminating</u>
Carrier Common Line Access, per minute	\$0.000000	Note 1
Switched Transport, per minute		
Tandem-Switched Termination	\$0.000053	Note 1
Tandem-Switched Facility, per mile	\$0.000003	Note 1
Tandem Switching	\$0.000288	Note 1
Common Transport Multiplexing	\$0.000047	Note 1
End Office		
Local Switching	\$0.002563	Note 1
Common Trunk Port	\$0.000900	Note 1
Host Remote		
Host-Remote Termination	\$0.000053	
Host-Remote Facility, per mile	\$0.000003	
Host-Remote Trunk Port	\$0.000900	

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Note 1: Terminating switched access service is assessed at interstate rates pursuant to the Company's Federal Access Tariff FCC No. 1, as amended from time to time.

Host-Remote Multiplexing