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SCHEDULE OF RATES

FOR

WIDE AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE

This tariff applies to the provision of Wide Area Telecommunications Service originating in exchanges where Fidelity Telephone Company is acting as the "Primary Toll Carrier", specifically the exchanges of Fidelity Telephone Company and Bourbeuse Telephone Company, and the Bland exchange of Contel of Missouri, Inc.

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2. GENERAL REGULATIONS (Continued)

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2.1 Definitions (Continued)

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LOCAL ACCESS AND TRANSPORT AREA (LATA): The Local Access and Transport Area denotes a geographical area established for the administration of communications service. It encompasses designated local operating Telephone Company exchanges which are grouped to serve common social, economic and miscellaneous purposes.

MOVE: A change in location on the same premises of the customer's WATS Access Line.

MULTILINE TERMINATING SYSTEM: Switching equipment (i.e., PBX, Centrex, ACD, tandem switching equipment) and Key telephone-type systems which are capable of terminating more than one central office line, WATS Access Line, Private Line Service or communications system.

NETWORK DATA REPORT: Interexchange customers (ICs) providing 800 service either jointly with the Telephone Company or on a non-joint provisional basis must provide to the Telephone Company an 800 Network Data Report. This report shall reflect all 800 telephone numbers that may originate and terminate in the same state within Telephone Company territory. Each 800 telephone number provided in the 800 Network Data Report will reflect either an NPA-NXX code (for calls completing according to the provisions of non-joint provided WATS Access Line Service) or a ten digit POTS telephone number (for calls completing on joint provided WATS Access Line Service to which the 800 Access Service traffic will complete. This report shall also reflect any time or day sensitive routing information which the Telephone Company requires to accurately bill and an indicator of the type of termination that will be used in the completion of the 800 call, i.e., common line, WATS Access Line, or other. The IC is required to provide this report before initial 800 Access Service is established. The IC is required to provide an updated 800 Network Data Report on a weekly basis unless the Telephone Company and the IC agree that the ICs 800 service activity requires provision of the report on either a more frequent or less frequent basis.

NON-JOINTLY PROVIDED WATS SERVICE: At the option of the interexchange customer (IC) providing interLATA service to the end user, the IC may choose to not jointly provide WATS Service with the Telephone Company. If the WATS Service is not jointly provided, the Telephone Company will bill long distance message rates for intraLATA calls originated on interLATA-only WATS Access Lines. For intraLATA 800 service calls the rates found in Section 5.4, Paragraph 5.4.A.3, of this tariff apply.

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2. GENERAL REGULATIONS (Continued)

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2.4 Liability of Telephone Company (Continued)

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The Company may require each customer to sign an agreement for the furnishing of such service components as a condition precedent to the furnishing of such equipment.

The customer shall furnish, install and maintain sealed conduit with explosion-proof fittings between the service components provided in an explosive atmosphere and points outside the hazardous area where connection may be made with regular service components of the Company. The customer may be required to install and maintain these service components within the hazardous area if, in the opinion of the Company, injury or damage to Company employees or property might result from installation or maintenance by the Company.

G. The charges specified in this Tariff do not contemplate work being performed by the Telephone Company employees involved at a time when overtime wages apply, due to the request of the customer, nor do they contemplate work once begun being interrupted by the customer. If the customer requests that overtime be performed or interrupts work once begun, an additional charge based on the additional costs involved applies.

2.5 Limitation of Service

A. WATS does not include person-to-person, collect, conference or other calls requiring operator handling, except that an operator will reach the called telephone number where service components are not available for customer dial completion.

WATS is not represented as adapted for connection to other services of the Telephone Company or to customer-provided systems. The service contemplates the provision of satisfactory transmission only between the access line and the calling or called station. The access line will be terminated only at a customer's premises located in the same serving exchange of the same state as that for which the rate applies.

2.6 Use of Service for Unlawful Purposes

The service is furnished subject to the condition that it will not be used for an unlawful purpose.

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5. RATES (Continued)

5.3 Minimum Average Time Requirement (MATR)

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Usage is subject to an average of one minute per completed call in each rate period for each billing period. This means that if the average duration per call in any rate period during each billing cycle is less than one minute, billing will be based on an average duration of one minute per call.

5.4 Access Lines - Inward WATS (800 Service) or Outward WATS

A. 800 Service (1)

	<u>USOC</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	
1. IntraLATA Access Line, each	8L9	\$35.50	
2. IntraLATA Monthly Usage Rate Table	<u>Business Day</u>	<u>Evening</u>	<u>Night/Weekend</u>
First 9 hours, each hour.....	\$21.48	\$17.19	\$13.96
Next 9 hours, each hour.....	21.22	16.98	13.79
Next 17 hours, each hour.....	20.89	16.70	13.57
Over 35 hours, each hour.....	20.68	16.54	13.44

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(1) In addition, apply the appropriate Special Access Service Surcharge rate (USOC: S25) as found in Section 7, Paragraph 7.4.2 of the Access Services Tariff.

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Over 35 hours, each hour.....	20.68	16.54	13.44	

3. Non-jointly Provided IntraLATA Usage Rate

Under this option, it is not required that the interexchange customer jointly provide 800 service with the Telephone Company. However, the interexchange customer must provide network data reports, as defined in this tariff, to the Telephone Company. The rate cited in the following paragraph will apply instead of the rates found in Paragraph A.2., preceding.

At the option of the interexchange customer providing interLATA 800 service, and with concurrence of the Telephone Company, intraLATA 800 service calls will be billed at a rate of \$.217 per minute of use for all intraLATA originating minutes of use. Billing will be to the interexchange customer. Additional charges may also apply as found in the Access Services Tariff of the Telephone Company.

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5. RATES (Continued)

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5.4 Access Lines - Inward WATS (800 Service) or Outward WATS (Continued)

A. 800 Service (1) (Continued)

3. Non-jointly Provided IntraLATA Usage Rate (Continued)

The IC will not pay charges from both the Wide Area Telecommunications Service Tariff and the Access Services Tariff for the same nonjointly provided intrastate intraLATA originating 800 Service usage. The IC should not include nonjointly provided intrastate intraLATA originating 800 Service usage in the calculation of intrastate jurisdictional percentages reported to the company and used to determine the appropriate charges for the IC intrastate switched access usage for services other than nonjointly provided intrastate intraLATA originating 800 Service.

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5. RATES (Continued)

5.4 Access Lines - Inward WATS (800 Service) or Outward WATS (Continued)

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B. Outward WATS (1)

	Monthly Rate		
	USOC	Evening	Night/Weekend
1. IntraLATA Access Line, each	WAX	\$25.40	
2. IntraLATA Monthly Usage Rate Table	Business Day	Evening	Night/Weekend
First 10 hours, each hour.....	\$21.44	\$17.16	\$13.94
Next 10 hours, each hour.....	19.78	15.82	12.86
Next 18 hours, each hour.....	19.54	15.63	12.70
Over 38 hours, each hour.....	16.50	13.21	10.73

C. Method of Applying Monthly IntraLATA Usage Rate

- Rates for 800 Service in Paragraph 5.4, A.2., preceding, will apply to 47 percent of the total intrastate 800 Service usage for each rate period. Rates for the remaining 53 percent of the total 800 Service usage will be at the rates as found in the tariffs of the interexchange customer.
- Rates for Outward WATS Service in Paragraph 5.4, B.2., preceding, will apply to intraLATA usage only. Rates for interLATA Outward WATS usage will be at the rates as found in the tariffs of the interexchange customer.

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5.5 Method of Determining Monthly Charges for Usage

For all WATS access lines on which usage is recorded by the Telephone Company by time-of-day rate periods, the usage charge is determined, separately for Outward WATS and 800 Service, using steps A. through E., following:

- Determine the total number of completed calls for each rate period for each service arrangement.
- Apply the Minimum Average Time Requirement of one minute by dividing the number of completed calls for each rate period in each service arrangement by 60. (one call = one minute.)

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Private Line Service Tariff
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REGULATIONS

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1.1 UNDERTAKING OF THE TELEPHONE COMPANY--(Continued)

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1.1.3 Liability--(Continued)

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G. The Telephone Company shall be under no liability for the quality or defects in voice recordings where Telephone Company combined service components are used in making such recordings.

1.1.4 Provisions of Service Components

A. The Telephone Company or the Telephone Company and other telephone companies with which it jointly furnishes service will provide, maintain and repair all service components necessary for Private Line Service, except for those facilities on the customer's side of the network interface. Also, the customer must provide their own terminal equipment, communications systems or premises wiring for use with such service as specified in Paragraph 1.6.

1. When a Private Line Service is used for teletypewriter transmission, the teletypewriter equipment will be provided by the customer.
2. When a Private Line Service is used for data transmission which requires terminal equipment (data sets) not provided as an integral part of the channel, such data sets will be provided by the customer. With the customer providing his own data set(s) on a private line, it shall be the responsibility of the customer to ensure the continuing compatibility of such data set(s) with the service components furnished by the Telephone Company.
3. Where Telephone Company-provided service components and customer-provided equipment and/or customer-provided premises wiring are connected to the same Private Line Service, the customer-provided equipment and/or customer-provided premises wiring must be compatible with the Telephone Company-provided service. The Telephone Company has the service responsibility up to the network interface on the customer's premises for the customer-provided equipment and/or customer-provided premises wiring.
4. IntraLATA Private Line Service is offered where existing service components and operating conditions permit.

B. Maintenance and Repairs--All ordinary expense of maintenance and repair associated with network facilities and equipment, unless otherwise specified in this Tariff, is borne by the Telephone Company. The customer agrees to take good care of the network equipment and facilities provided. In case of damage to or

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