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10. SPECIAL FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ACCESS SERVICES

10.1 General

This section covers Access Services that are provided to a customer for use only by agencies or branches of the Federal Government and other users authorized by the Federal Government. Services provided to state emergency operations centers are included. These services provide for command and control communications, including communications for national security, emergency preparedness and presidential requirements. They are required to assure continuity of Government in emergency and crisis situations and to provide for national security.

Services for command and control communications and for national security and emergency preparedness sometimes require short notice and short duration service provisions. These provisions are especially needed to meet presidential requirements or in response to natural, man-made, or declared emergencies. Requires of this type cannot be forecasted and are usually needed for a relatively short period. The provisions of service under these conditions may require the availability of facilities, such as portable microwave equipment, which are provided on a temporary basis by the Telephone Company, or customer.

10.2 <u>Emergency Conditions</u>

These services will be provided on the date requested or as soon as possible thereafter when the emergency falls into one of the following categories:

- State of crisis declared by the National Command Authorities (includes commitments made to the National Communications System in the "National Plan for Emergencies and Major Disasters").

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10.2 <u>Emergency Conditions</u> (Cont'd)

- Efforts to protect endangered U.S. personnel or property both in the U.S. and abroad. (Includes space vehicle recovery and protection efforts.)
- Communications requirements resulting from hostile action, a major disaster or a major civil disturbance.
- The director (Cabinet level) of a Federal department, Commander of a Unified/Specified Command, or head of a military department has certified that a communications requirements is so critical to the protection of life and property or to the National Defense that it must be processed immediately.
- Political unrest in foreign countries which affect the national interest.
- Presidential service.

10.3 Intervals to Provide Service

Services provided under the provisions of this section of the tariff are provided on an individual case basis. Therefore, orders for such service shall be placed under the Negotiated Interval provisions set forth in 5.2.1(B) preceding.

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10.4 Safeguarding of Service

10.4.1 Facility Availability

In order to insure communications during periods of emergency, the Telephone Company will, within the limits of good management, make available the necessary facilities to restore service in the event of damage or to provide temporary emergency service.

In order to meet the requirements of agencies or branches of the Federal Government, the Telephone Company may utilize government-owned facilities, when necessary to provide service.

10.5 Federal Government Regulations

In accordance with Federal Government Regulations, all service provided to the Federal Government will be billed in arrears. However, this provision does not apply to other customers that obtain services under the provisions of this tariff to provide their services to the Federal Government.

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10.6 Service Offerings to the Federal Government

The following unique services are provided to a customer for use only by agencies or branches of the Federal Government, other authorized users and state emergency operations centers. The rates and charges for these services shall be developed on an individual case basis and shall be consistent with the rates and charges for services offered in other sections in this tariff.

10.6.1 Type and Description

(A) Voice Grade Special Access Services

In the wire centers and as of the effective dates listed in Section 16.1.2 of this tariff, Voice Grade Special Access Service is no longer available to new customers and is only available to existing customers as outlined in Section 16.

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(1) <u>Voice Grade Secure Communications Type I</u>

Approximate bandwidth of 10-50,000 Hertz. Furnished for two-point secure communications on two-wire or four-wire metallic facilities between a customer premises and an end user's premises. Services are conditioned as follows:

 $\mbox{T-3}$ Conditioning - The absolute loss (referenced to 1 milliwatt) with respect to frequency shall not exceed:

15 db at 10 Hz 13 db at 100 Hz 9 db at 1,000 Hz 20 db at 10,000 Hz 30 db at 50,000 Hz

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10.6 Service Offerings to the Federal Government (Cont'd)

10.6.1 Type and Description (Cont'd)

Voice Grade Special Access Services (Cont'd) (A)

In the wire centers and as of the effective dates listed in Section 16.1.2 of this tariff, Voice Grade Special Access Service is no longer available to new customers and is only available to existing customers as outlined in Section 16.

Voice Grade Secure Communications Type I (Cont'd) (1)

> Additional conditioning (available in one or two directions on four-wire facilities only) to provide the following characteristics:

> The absolute loss (referenced to one milliwatt) with respect to frequency shall not exceed:

0 db at 1,000 Hz

- + 1 db between 1,000 Hz and 40,000 Hz
- + 2 db between 10 Hz and 50,000 Hz

(+ means more loss)

The net loss of the conditioned service (with or without additional conditioning) shall not vary by more than four db at 1,000 Hz from the levels specified above. Voice frequency signaling or supervisory tones can be transmitted.

(2) Voice Grade Secure Communications Type II

Approximate bandwidth 10-50,000 Hz. Furnished on four-wire metallic facilities for duplex operation for two-point secure communications between an IC premises on an end user's premises and an end user's premises. Services are conditioned as follows:

G-1 Conditioning - The absolute loss with respect to frequency and the net loss variation shall be the same as Voice Grade Secure Communications Type I services without additional conditioning. Voice frequency signaling or supervisory tones can be transmitted.

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10.6 Service Offerings to the Federal Government (Cont'd)

10.6.1 Type and Description (Cont'd)

(A) <u>Voice Grade Special Access Services</u> (Cont'd)

In the wire centers and as of the effective dates listed in Section 16.1.2 of this tariff, Voice Grade Special Access Service is no longer available to new customers and is only available to existing customers as outlined in Section 16.

(3) <u>Voice Grade Secure Communications Type III</u>

Approximate bandwidth 10-50,000 Hz. Furnished on four-wire metallic facilities for duplex operation for two-point secure communications between an IC premises switch and an end user's premises. Services are conditioned as follows:

G-2 Conditioning - The absolute loss with respect to frequency and the net loss variation from the switch to an end user's premises shall be the same as Voice Grade Secure Communications Type I services without additional conditioning; from an end user's premises to the switch shall be the same as Voice Grade Secure Communications Type I services with additional conditioning. Voice frequency signaling or supervisory tones can be transmitted.

(4) <u>Voice Grade Secure Communications Type IV</u>

Approximate bandwidth 10-50,000 Hz. Furnished on four-wire metallic facilities for duplex operation for two-point secure communications between two IC premises switches. Services are conditioned as follows:

G-3 Conditioning - The absolute loss with respect to frequency and the net loss variation shall be the same in both directions of transmission as Voice Grade Secure Communications Type I services with additional conditioning. Voice frequency signaling or supervisory tones can be transmitted.

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10.6 Service Offerings to the Federal Government (Cont'd)

10.6.1 Type and Description (Cont'd)

(B) Wideband Digital Special Access Service

In the wire centers and as of the effective dates listed in Section 16.1.2 of this tariff, 1 Wideband Digital Special Access Service is no longer available to new customers and is only available to existing customers as outlined in Section 16.

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Service arrangements for secured communications to accommodate the transmission of binary digital baseband signals in a random polar format.

- (1) Wideband Secure Communications Type I For transmission at the rate of 18,750 bits per second.
- Wideband Secure Communications Type II (2) For transmission at the rate of 50,000 bits per second.

Wideband Secure Communications Type III (3)

To accommodate the transmission of restored polar two-level facsimile signals with a minimum signal element width of twenty microseconds at a rate of 50,000 bits per second. To accommodate the transmission of binary digital baseband signals in a random polar format at the rate of 50,000 bits per second.

10.6.2 Mileage Application

Mileage, when used for rate application between two customer premises, shall be determined by the V and H Coordinates Method.

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10.6 Service Offerings to the Federal Government (Cont'd)

10.6.3 Rates and Charges

Rates and charges for Special Federal Government Access Services are set forth in Section 30.10 following.

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10.6.4 Move Charges

(A) When services as set forth in 30.10.1 and 30.10.2 following to which no termination charge applies are moved to a different building, the nonrecurring charge applies; when moved to a new location in the same building, a charge of one-half the nonrecurring charge applies.

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10.6 <u>Service Offerings to the Federal Government</u> (Cont'd)

10.6.4 Move Charges (Cont'd)

- (B) When any service, the rates and charges for which include a termination charge, is moved and is installed at a new location, the customer may elect:
 - to pay the unexpired portion of the termination charge for the service, if any, with the application of a nonrecurring charge and the establishment of a new termination charge for such service at the new location, or
 - to continue service subject to the unexpired portion of the termination charge, if any, and pay the estimated costs of moving such service, provided that the customer requests these charges be quoted prior to ordering the service move. Charges for moving such service will be based on estimated costs attributable to the move.

Move charges include the estimated costs of removal, restoration of services or facilities necessitated by the move, transportation, storage, reinstallation, engineering, labor, supervision, materials, administration, and any other specific items of cost directly attributable to the move.