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16. Primary Exchange Carrier and Secondary Exchange Carrier Billing Arrangements

16.1 General

This section sets forth information concerning the provision of Access Services by more than one exchange telephone company when providing Feature Group A in an Extended Area Service environment, Feature Group A Terminating LATA wide Access (non EAS environment) or Feature Group B in an Access Tandem environment, and such companies do not provide service under the same access service tariff. It is an adjunct to other sections of this tariff such as Ordering (Section 5) and Switched Access Service (Section 6).

16.2 Billing of Switched Access Service Feature Group A in Extended Area Service Environments

(A) Where the customer is provided Switched Access Service Feature Group A, in an Extended Area Service environment as set forth in 6.4.1(C)(6) preceding, the Telephone Company may apply additional Switched Access Service rates. The application of such additional charges depends upon whether or not there exists a revenue sharing arrangement between the Primary Exchange Carrier (PEC) and the Secondary Exchange Carrier (SEC) as set forth in 2.4.8(B) preceding. Listed below, by state, is information concerning which SECs bill the additional Switched Access Service charges and which do not. The extended Area Service areas are as set forth in the general and/or local exchange service tariffs of the Telephone Company.

(B) State - Oregon

PEC - US West Communications (USWC)

SECs Applying Add'l. Chgs. SECs Not Applying Add'l. Chgs.

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16. Primary Exchange Carrier and Secondary Exchange Carrier Billing (Cont'd)

16.3 Billing of Switched Access Service Feature Group A Terminating LATA Wide Access Environments

(A) Where the customer is provided jointly provisioned LATA Wide Terminating Switched Access Service Feature Group A (non EAS), the Telephone Company may apply additional Switched Access Service rates. The application of such additional charges depends upon whether or not there exists a revenue sharing arrangement between the Primary Exchange Carrier (PEC) and the secondary Exchange Carrier (SEC). Listed below, by state, is information concerning which SECs bill the additional Switched Access Service charges and which do not. The Extended Area Service areas are as set forth in the general and/or local exchange service tariffs of the Telephone Company.

(B) State - Oregon:

PEC - US West Communications (USWC)

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SECs Not Applying Add'l. Chgs.

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