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## A119. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - WIDE AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE

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## A119. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS WIDE AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE<sup>/3/</sup> (C)

### A119.1 General

(Obsoleted 8-14-2004, Type 4) Not available for new installations, additions or transfers of service.

- A. Wide Area Telecommunications Service (WATS) is the furnishing of facilities by the Company and its concurring Local Exchange Carriers for dial type telecommunications between a termination associated with an exchange access line or a WATS access line and terminations using the public switched network within the State of Georgia in accordance with the **terms, conditions** and schedule of charges specified in this **Guidebook**. The WATS charges set forth herein are in payment for the service furnished between the calling and called terminations within Georgia. Toll Free Dialing Service (TFD)<sup>/1/</sup> is the term now used to describe the service formerly known as 800 Service<sup>/1/</sup>. Toll Free Dialing Service provides incoming service utilizing 8XX numbers. Additional 8XX codes will be activated as required for Toll Free Dialing Service. For both Outward WATS and Toll-Free Dialing (TFD) Service, intraLATA service may be subscribed to separately or may be subscribed to in combination (Combined WATS) with an interLATA carrier's interLATA WATS or WATS-like service requiring the use of the Company's WATS serving office. Combined Outward WATS and intraLATA only Outward WATS require the use of a WATS access line from A119.5.2. Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service<sup>1</sup> can be terminated, at the direction of the customer, on a WATS access line from A119.5.2 or on an exchange access line purchased from the appropriate **guidebook**. See A119.5.20, following for other applicable charges when terminating on an exchange access line. For WATS Access Lines arranged for bijurisdictional use, refer to A119.5.1.1 following. This **Guidebook** sets forth the **terms, conditions** and rates for the intraLATA portion of these services. For the rules, regulations and rates of the interLATA portion of these services, refer to the interLATA carrier's tariffs. (C)
- B. Dial type communications, as specified in A. preceding, for Combined Outward WATS and intraLATA only Outward WATS must be dialed and completed from or to a WATS Access Line. For Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service, service can be completed to a WATS Access Line or an exchange access line. In all cases communications must be completed without the assistance of a Company operator, except that a Company operator will:<sup>2</sup> (C)
1. Re-establish a call which has been interrupted by cutoff or poor transmission after the called number has been reached.
- C. A WATS access line or exchange access line for Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service is the transmission path between a WATS termination and the point in the Company Central Office where access to the public switched network is obtained for the purpose of completing WATS calls. The WATS access line will be arranged at the subscriber's option for Outward WATS. Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service, at the direction of the customer, can be terminated on a WATS access line arranged for inward calling only or on an exchange access line. For service terminating on an exchange access line, only one Toll Free Dialing number can be assigned to terminate on any one exchange access number. An exchange access number may include residence or business line or trunk numbers including DID numbers from Section A12. The termination of Toll Free Dialing Service to an existing Outward WATS or Open TFD Service or Option TFD Service telephone number is prohibited. These services are subject to the provisions, **terms and conditions** outlined herein and in Section A2. A WATS access line may also be provided over an intraLATA High Capacity Channel Service equipped with Outward WATS or Toll Free Dialing Service functionality. See Private Line **Guidebook** Section B7. for additional applicable charges.
- D. WATS arranged for combined intraLATA/interLATA outward service (in conjunction with an interLATA carrier) provides for the origination of calls from a station associated with WATS for telecommunications with stations within this State by way of the WATS access line and the public switched network. WATS arranged for intraLATA only outward service provides for the origination of calls from a station associated with WATS for telecommunications within the same LATA and this same State by way of the WATS access line and the public switched network.

<sup>/1/</sup> Open TFD Service subscribers who choose to terminate the Toll-Free Dialing number to an exchange access line may elect the Area of Service as either the entire state or the entire United States. The Area of Service for Open TFD Service provided on a WATS Access Line must be the state; it cannot be defined as the entire United States.

<sup>/2/</sup> Due to technical limitations of certain interLATA carriers' services, operator assistance as specified in A19.1.B. cannot be provided with the Combined IntraLATA/InterLATA Outward WATS offered in conjunction with interLATA carriers having these technical limitations.

<sup>/3/</sup> Effective December 31, 2021, Wide Area Telecommunications Service, Toll Free Dialing Service, and 800 Services are withdrawn for residential customers. (N)

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- E. WATS arranged for Combined Statewide intraLATA/interLATA Toll Free Dialing Service<sup>/1/</sup> and Open TFD Service provides for the termination of calls from stations within this State, for telecommunications with a station associated with and Toll Free Dialing Service access line or exchange access line for Open TFD Service located within this State. WATS arranged for Option TFD Service provides for the termination of calls from stations within the same LATA and the same State, for telecommunications with a station associated with an Toll Free Dialing Service access line or exchange access line located within the same LATA and State. (C)
- F. WATS is furnished in the offices technically capable of providing the service only if the necessary facilities are available.
- G. Combined IntraLATA/InterLATA Outward WATS is furnished only in offices where the interLATA carrier has purchased appropriate Feature Group C or D access facilities.

/1/ Effective December 31, 2021, Wide Area Telecommunications Service and Toll Free Dialing Service are withdrawn for residential customers. (N)  
(N)

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### A119.1 General (Cont'd)

- H. WATS access line extensions associated with an intraLATA WATS access line must be located within the same LATA as the WATS access line.<sup>1</sup>
- I. Customers who subscribe to Toll Free Dialing Service provided by other than the Company may designate the Company as the intraLATA carrier. Such intraLATA usage will be billed in accordance with the rates, *terms and conditions* specified in A119.5.2.
- J. The Company will provide the intraLATA portion of Open TFD Service with the IC providing the interLATA and/or interstate portion of the service. For the rules, regulations and rates of the interLATA and/or interstate portion of this service, refer to the interexchange carrier's tariffs.
- K. Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service are provided by the Company utilizing a Toll Free Dialing number.
  1. Toll Free Dialing Number Assignment - Toll Free Dialing Number Service provides for the assignment of a single ten digit TFD number (e.g., 800+xxx+xxxx) to the customer which can be used on a statewide basis for Option TFD Service or Open TFD Service.<sup>2</sup> Toll Free Dialing Service provides the customer with one TFD number statewide for Option TFD Service or Open TFD Service. A TFD number, when used for Option TFD Service, can be selected for an area consisting of less than an entire state by specifying the desired Area of Service. Area of Service is described in 2. following. The assigned TFD number can terminate to a WATS Access line provided in A119.5.2 following or to an exchange access line. A119.5.20 following provides the applicable charges for Toll Free Dialing services terminating to an exchange access line. In the provisioning of Open TFD Service, the Company will be the Responsible Organization (RESPORG). The Company will require the 10-digit POTS number for intraLATA screening.
  2. Area of Service for Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service - For Option TFD Service, the Area of Service defines the geographic locations (LATAs) within a state from which the Option TFD Service customer desires to accept calls for a given TFD Number. The Area of Service may range from a single LATA to the entire state. A WATS Access Line or exchange access line is required within each LATA specified by the Area of Service for termination of Toll Free Dialing Service traffic that originated within that LATA. The desired Area of Service must be specified by the customer at the time Option TFD Service is ordered. Customers requesting an Area of Service encompassing more than one LATA are required to subscribe to the Variable Call Destination feature described in 3. following. For Open TFD Service, the Area of Service is defined as either the entire state or the entire United States.<sup>2</sup>
  3. Variable Call Destination - The Variable Call Destination feature provides for multiple terminations (one ten digit telephone number per LATA) of Option TFD Service when the customer specifies an Area of Service greater than one LATA. This allows for the assignment of one TFD Number, for statewide use, with termination to a WATS Access Line or exchange access line within the LATA where the TFD call originated. Rates for Variable Call Destination record establishment and record changes are provided in A119.5.20, following.

**Note 1:** Refer to the interLATA carrier's tariff for rates and charges applicable to WATS access line extensions terminated in a LATA other than the WATS access line.

**Note 2:** Open TFD Service subscribers who choose to terminate the Toll Free Dialing number to an exchange access line may elect the Area of Service as either the entire state or the entire United States. The Area of Service for Open TFD Service provided on a WATS Access Line must be the state; it cannot be defined as the entire United States.

**Note 3:** Effective December 31, 2021, Wide Area Telecommunications Service, Toll Free Dialing Service, and Toll Free Dialing Service are withdrawn for residential customers.

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## **A119. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - WIDE AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE<sup>/1/</sup> (C)**

### **A119.2 Use of the Service**

- A. The service is furnished subject to the condition that all applicable terms and conditions stipulated in Section A2. will be adhered to.
- B. The service is furnished subject to the condition that there will be no abuse or fraudulent use of the service. Abuse or fraudulent use of the service includes:
  1. The placing or acceptance of a WATS call by a WATS subscriber, his agent, employee or representative, in response to an uncompleted long distance call, which was not completed in order to transmit or receive intelligence without payment of the applicable long distance charge.
  2. The obtaining, or attempting to obtain, or assisting another to obtain or to attempt to obtain, WATS by arranging, tampering with, or making connection with any facilities of the Company, or by any trick, scheme, false representation, or false credit device, or by or through any other fraudulent means or device whatsoever, with intent to avoid the payment, in whole or in part, of the regular charge for such service.
- C. Resale or shared use of WATS is permitted. Exchange access to such resold or shared services will be provided via switched access service at rates and charges specified in Section E6. of this Company's intrastate Access Tariff. All resold Toll Free Dialing Services, including Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service must terminate to a WATS access line.
- D. Toll Free Dialing Service facilities are available for use with Public Announcement Services and are subject to the provisions, terms and conditions outlined herein and in Sections A2. and A13.

### **A119.3 Limitation of Service**

- A. WATS does not include conference or other calls requiring operator handling except as provided in A119.1.B. preceding.
- B. WATS is not represented as adapted for connection to other services of the Company. This service contemplates the provision of satisfactory transmission only between the WATS access line or exchange access line for Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service and the called or calling station.

Connection of WATS to other services is permitted on a switched basis only. No permanent connection between WATS and other services may be established. Satisfactory transmission cannot be assured when the WATS access line is connected to other Company services or to customer-provided equipment or services.

WATS may be terminated at a premises where telecommunications management functions are performed on behalf of the customer only if the customer has a requirement to communicate over the WATS line or exchange access line for Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service to or from premises of that customer located in the State of Georgia. In such cases the premises where telecommunications management functions are performed will be considered a customer's premises.

Extensions from WATS access lines are restricted to the use of the subscriber, his representatives and associates and are furnished only on the same or different premises of the same subscriber except that extensions from Toll Free Dialing Service may be located on other than the subscriber's premises for the purpose of answering calls when the subscriber is not available at the main station.

- C. Toll Free Dialing Service is furnished upon the condition that the subscriber contracts for an adequate number of access lines to permit the use of this service without injurious effects upon it or any other service rendered by the Company. The Company may terminate or refuse to furnish Toll Free Dialing Service to any applicant, without incurring any liability, if the use of the service would interfere with or impair WATS or any other service rendered by the Company. In the case of such a termination of service, at least five days must elapse following written notification to the subscriber by mail or in person of the Company's intention to terminate the service for such cause.
- D. Any arrangement permitting customer control of the number of calls completed to a Toll Free Dialing Service access line or exchange access line for Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service is not permitted.

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- A. The WATS access line consists of all facilities, including outside plant facilities from the Company serving central office equipment to the first Company provided standard network interface on the subscriber's premises. Charges for Company provided jacks other than the standard network interface used in association with WATS are specified in Section A14.
- B. The termination of a WATS access line is the standard network interface. The first termination is the WATS access line and all other terminations on the same line are WATS access line extensions.
- C. WATS access lines and extensions will be terminated only at premises located within the State of Georgia.  
The rates and charges specified herein for WATS access line extensions provide for a WATS extension located within the same LATA as the WATS access line.
- D. The WATS access line may be connected to in one of the following:
  - 1. Terminal equipment, multiline terminating systems or a communication system on the customer's premises.
  - 2. Switching equipment in the Company Central Office.
  - 3. To an Other Common Carrier (OCC) or Central Office Connection Facility (COCF) channel in the Company Central Office.
  - 4. Communications systems provided by Other Common Carriers may be connected with the facilities furnished by the Company for WATS as specified in Section A15.

**A119.5 Rates and Charges****A119.5.1 General**

- A. The separate usage rate structures of the local exchange carrier and the interLATA carrier providing Combined IntraLATA/InterLATA Outward WATS Service are based on separate identification of intraLATA and interLATA usage.
- B. For Option TFD Service, Open TFD Service, Combined IntraLATA/InterLATA Outward WATS and IntraLATA Outward WATS, the intraLATA usage is applied to the schedule of hourly usage rates in A119.5.2.B. following.
- C. This schedule requires a separate monthly charge for each WATS access line in a service group or exchange access line for Option TFD Service or Open TFD Service independent of usage on that line or service group.
- D. Monthly usage charges are computed on an average usage per WATS Access Line in a service group or the total hours of use per exchange access line utilized for Option TFD Service or Open TFD Service according to the schedule and methodology found in A119.5.2.B. and A119.5.2.C., following. WATS access lines and exchange access lines will not be mixed at any one customer location for termination of intraLATA only TFD traffic associated with a given TFD number.
- E. Service Group
  - 1. The term "Service Group" as used in connection with Outward WATS denotes one or more Outward WATS access lines for the same service area terminated in the same multiline terminating system at the same premises.
  - 2. The term "Service Group" as used in connection with Toll Free Dialing Service denotes the WATS access lines arranged in Central Office equipment furnished by the Company as part of a given hunting arrangement.
- F. Chargeable Time
  - 1. Chargeable time begins when the connection is made between the WATS station and the calling or called station.
  - 2. Chargeable time ends when the calling station hangs up. However, if the calling station does not hang up after the called station hangs up, then chargeable time ends when timing equipment in the network connection is released by the telephone network automatic timing equipment.

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### A119.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

#### A119.5.1 General (Cont'd)

##### F. Chargeable Time (Cont'd)

3. When a connection is established in one rate period and ends in another, the rate in effect for each rate period applies to the portion of the connection occurring within the rate period.

##### G. Minimum Average Time Requirement

1. Usage is subject to an average of 15 seconds per completed call for each billing period in each service group or for each exchange access line used to terminate Option TFD Service or Open TFD Service usage for each rate period.
2. If the average duration of all such calls is less than 15 seconds, the total use for the service group or exchange access line for a particular rate period equals the number of calls multiplied by 15 seconds.

##### H. Rate Periods

Rates applicable are based on the time of day, day of week as follows:

###### 1. Peak Period

8AM to 5PM Monday through Friday. The Business Day Period for holidays (New Year's Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day) is charged at Off Peak Period Rates.

###### 2. Off Peak Period

5PM to 8AM Monday through Friday

All day Saturday and Sunday

##### I. Universal WATS Access Lines Arranged for Bijurisdictional Use

The following parameters apply only to WATS Access Lines arranged for bijurisdictional use.

1. "1+" and "0" intraLATA usage carried over outward WATS Access Lines, having both intra and interstate capability (bijurisdictional) and provided from the BellSouth *Telecommunications* Tariff FCC No. 1 or other appropriate Local Exchange Carrier (LEC) interstate tariff, will be completed over LEC facilities at LEC intraLATA outward WATS rates and subject to *terms and conditions* applicable to LEC intraLATA outward WATS. Subscribers using a bijurisdictional access line for Toll Free Dialing Service may choose either the Company or the interexchange carrier to complete and bill intraLATA calls according to the appropriate rates, *terms and conditions*. The "1+" and "0" intraLATA usage will be billed to the customer (end user or IC) where the closed end of the Universal WATS Access Line is terminated. Customer billing information must be provided to the Company at the time the Universal WATS Access Line is ordered when the Company is used to complete intraLATA calls. (T)
2. Local Calling over Universal WATS Access is to be blocked.
3. All 1-700 intraLATA traffic over Universal WATS Access Lines is to be blocked by the Interexchange Carrier (IC). For all 1-700 intraLATA traffic that cannot be blocked, the ICs must report intraLATA usage to the LEC and pay compensation.

**A119. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - WIDE AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE<sup>1/2/</sup> (C)****A119.5 Rates and Charges****A119.5.2 Monthly Rates and Charges****A. Access Line Charges****1. 800 Service**

(Obsoleted 01-01-94, Type 3)

	<b>Monthly Rate</b>	<b>USOC</b>
(a) For Combined Statewide Service, each	<b>\$25.00</b>	
(b) For Combined Statewide Service when provided over an intraLATA High Capacity Channel Service with 800 Service functionality, each	<b>10.00</b>	<b>WH9S+</b>
<b>2. Outward</b>		
(a) For Combined IntraLATA/InterLATA Service, <sup>1</sup> each	<b>25.00</b>	<b>WMCS+</b>
(b) For IntraLATA Service only, each	<b>25.00</b>	<b>WFMS+</b>
(c) For Combined IntraLATA/InterLATA Service when provided over an intraLATA High Capacity Channel Service with WATS functionality, <sup>1</sup> each	<b>10.00</b>	<b>WHTS+</b>
(d) For IntraLATA Service only when provided over an intraLATA High Capacity Channel Service with WATS functionality, each	<b>10.00</b>	<b>WHPS+</b>
<b>3. Toll Free Dialing Service</b>		
(a) For Combined Statewide Service, each	<b>25.00</b>	
(b) Option TFD Service, each	<b>25.00</b>	<b>W1MSX</b>
(c) Open TFD Service, each	<b>25.00</b>	<b>WSA1X</b>
(d) For Combined Statewide Service when provided over an intraLATA High Capacity Channel Service with 800 Service functionality, each	<b>10.00</b>	<b>WH9S+</b>
(e) For Option TFD Service when provided over an intraLATA High Capacity Channel Service with TFD Service functionality, each	<b>10.00</b>	<b>8MKSX</b>
(f) For Open TFD Service when provided over an intraLATA High Capacity Channel Service with TFD Service functionality, each	<b>10.00</b>	<b>WH9T+</b>

**Note 1:** See *A119.1.B.* preceding.**Note 2:** Effective December 31, 2021, Wide Area Telecommunications Service and Toll-Free Dialing Service are withdrawn for residential customers. (N)

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**A119.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**A119.5.2 Monthly Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**B. Hourly Rates**

The rates per hour/per minute apply to the usage in an account or the total *Combined 800 Service*, Option TFD Service or Open TFD Service usage terminating on exchange access line(s). (M) (O)(T)

1. Outward WATS - IntraLATA Service<sup>1</sup> (O)

	Per Hour		Per Minute		USOC	
	Peak	Off Peak	Peak	Off Peak		
(a) Up to and including 15 hours	\$9.00	\$8.40	\$.1500	\$.1400	NA	(O)
(b) Greater than 15 hours	8.70	8.10	.1450	.1350	NA	(O)
(c) Greater than 40 hours	8.40	7.80	.1400	.1300	NA	(O)
(d) Greater than 80 hours	7.50	6.90	.1250	.1150	NA	(O)
(e) Greater than 120 hours	6.00	5.40	.1000	.0900	NA	(O)
(f) Greater than 170 hours	5.82	5.10	.0970	.0850	NA	(O)
(g) Greater than 320 hours	5.52	4.92	.0920	.0820	NA	(O)
(h) Greater than 500 hours	5.34	4.74	.0890	.0790	NA	(O)
(i) Greater than 1200 hours	4.98	4.50	.0830	.0750	NA	(O)
(j) Greater than 2500 hours	4.62	4.20	.0770	.0700	NA	(O)

2. Toll Free Dialing Service – *Combined 800 Service*, Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service<sup>1</sup> (O)(T)

(Combined 800 Service, Obsoleted 01-01-94, Type 3) (M)

(a) Up to and including 15 hours	9.00	8.40	.1500	.1400	NA	(O)
(b) Greater than 15 hours	8.70	8.10	.1450	.1350	NA	(O)
(c) Greater than 40 hours	8.40	7.80	.1400	.1300	NA	(O)
(d) Greater than 80 hours	7.50	6.90	.1250	.1150	NA	(O)
(e) Greater than 120 hours	6.00	5.40	.1000	.0900	NA	(O)
(f) Greater than 170 hours	5.82	5.10	.0970	.0850	NA	(O)
(g) Greater than 320 hours	5.52	4.92	.0920	.0820	NA	(O)
(h) Greater than 500 hours	5.34	4.74	.0890	.0790	NA	(O)
(i) Greater than 1200 hours	4.98	4.50	.0830	.0750	NA	(O)
(j) Greater than 2500 hours	4.62	4.20	.0770	.0700	NA	(O)

**Note 1:** This rate schedule is for IntraLATA only service and for the intraLATA portion of Combined IntraLATA/InterLATA Services. (O)

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**C. Method of Determining Usage Charges**

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1. For Combined IntraLATA/InterLATA Outward WATS or IntraLATA Outward WATS, apply the following to the intraLATA calls and usage. For Option TFD Service or Open TFD Service, apply the following to only the intraLATA toll free dialing calls and usage. (O)
2. Determine the total chargeable hours for each account. This is the greater of a. or b. following, rounded to the nearest tenth (one decimal place). (O)
  - a. Determine the total number of completed calls for the account for each rate period. Determine the equivalent hours used for each rate period by applying the minimum average time requirement of 15 seconds per call (1 call x 15 seconds). (O)
  - b. Determine the total actual hours used for each rate period for each account. (O)
3. Determine the total usage for the account by totaling the chargeable hours for each rate period in 2. preceding. (O)
4. Determine the hour band in B. preceding which corresponds to the total usage for the account (peak and off peak periods). The rates associated with this hour band will be used to rate all usage in the account for the appropriate rate periods. (O)
5. Determine the usage charge per rate period by multiplying the per hour/per minute rate in the appropriate hour band specified in B. preceding by the number of hours/minutes used in each hour band and totaling these charges. (O)
6. Determine the total usage charge in an account for both rate periods by adding the results from each rate period in 5. preceding. (O)
7. For Option TFD Service and Open TFD Service terminating on an Exchange Access Line, monthly usage charges are calculated separately for each LATA in which the service terminates on an exchange access line. The usage charge applies as follows: (O)
  - a. For each exchange access line (telephone number) termination of a given Toll Free Dialing number (maximum of one per LATA), the total chargeable minutes for each rate period for each termination is the greater of (1) or (2) following, rounded to the nearest tenth (one decimal place). (O)
    - (1) Determine the total actual Option TFD Service or Open TFD Service minutes associated with a given TFD number and exchange access line for each rate period (chargeable time for each call is specified in **A119.5.1.F.** and **A119.5.1.G.**), or (O)(T)
    - (2) Determine the total "equivalent" minutes associated with a given Toll Free Dialing number for the exchange access line termination used for each rate period by applying the minimum average time requirement of 15 seconds per call (1 call x 15 seconds). (O)
  - b. Using the total chargeable minutes per rate period determined in **A119.5.2.C.7.a.**, preceding and the table of rates in **A119.5.2.B.**, preceding, multiply the per minute rate(s) in the appropriate rate period by the number of minutes per rate period used in each hour band. The total charge is the sum of all the usage charges. (O)(T)

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**A119.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**A119.5.2 Monthly Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**D. WATS Access Line Extensions**

1. Located in Same Exchange as Main Termination

	<b>Monthly Rate</b>	<b>USOC</b>
(a) First extension on different premises from main termination, same building, each	<b>\$33.00</b>	<b>WSL++</b>
(b) First extension on different premises from main termination, different building, each	<b>33.00</b>	<b>WSP++</b>
(c) Additional extension in same building as main termination or other extension, each <sup>1</sup>	-	<b>WSS++</b>
(d) First extension in different building, same premises as main termination or other extension, each	<b>10.00</b>	<b>WSD++</b>

2. Located in Different Exchange from Main Termination

Interexchange channel mileage charges apply as specified for full period talking service in this Company's Private Line Guidebook and Channel Terminal charge plus:

(a) First extension	<b>33.00</b>	<b>EWV++</b>
(b) Additional extension in same building with first or other extension, each <sup>1</sup>	-	<b>WSS++</b>
(c) Additional extension in different building, same premises as first or other extension, each	<b>10.00</b>	<b>WSD++</b>
(d) Additional extension on different premises, same exchange as first extension, each	<b>33.00</b>	<b>WSP++</b>
(e) Additional extension on different premises, same exchange as first extension, same building, each	<b>33.00</b>	<b>WSL++</b>

**E. Listings for Toll Free Dialing Service may be provided at rates applicable for additional business listings as specified in Section A6. (T)**

**Note 1:** Nonrecurring charge applies.

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**A119.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**A119.5.3 Nonrecurring Charges and Installation Charges**

**A. Definitions**

**SERVICE ORDERING CHARGE**

Applies to work performed by the Company in connection with the receiving, recording and processing of customer requests for service.

**ACCESS LINE CONNECTION CHARGE**

Applies to work associated with establishing or changing each WATS access line or access line extension connection; may include work in the Central Office, the customer premises or intermediate locations.

**PREMISES VISIT CHARGE**

Applies to a visit to the customer's premises to perform work, other than disconnect work, requested by the customer.

**PREMISES WORK CHARGES - SIMPLE SERVICE**

Simple Premises Work Charges are nonrecurring charges based on the labor time and miscellaneous materials required to complete the installation of customer requested rearrangements on the customer's premises. Premises work is that work performed by a Company representative on a customer premises which includes, but is not limited to, customer requests for rearrangements of a drop wire, protector, and/or Network Interface. Premises work does not include the work required to establish network access.

**RECORD CHANGE ONLY CHARGE**

Applies to work associated with a change of Company records at the customer's request, for a transfer of service as specified in A2.3.7, a change in the 800 Service National Directory Center listing, or a change in the number of Outward WATS access lines in a service group when none of the other nonrecurring charges apply. (T)

**B. For installation of WATS access lines, extensions or four-wire terminating arrangements**

1. Access Lines<sup>1</sup>

		<b>Nonrecurring Charges</b>		
		<b>Outward</b>	<b>TFD</b>	<b>USOC</b>
		<b>WATS</b>	<b>Service</b>	
(a)	Service Ordering, each order	<b>\$51.00</b>	<b>\$51.00</b>	NA
(b)	Access Line Connection, each line	<b>73.00</b>	<b>61.00</b>	NA
(c)	Premises Visit, each visit	<b>27.00</b>	<b>27.00</b>	NA
2.	Access Line Extensions			
(a)	Service Ordering, each order	<b>48.00</b>	<b>48.00</b>	NA
(b)	Extension Line Connection, each extension (Where the extension is located in the same building and on the same service as the access line or another extension)	-	-	NA
(c)	Extension Line Connection, each extension (For the first extension in a building where there is no access line or extension on the same service)	<b>53.00</b>	<b>53.00</b>	NA
(d)	Premises Visit, each visit	<b>27.00</b>	<b>27.00</b>	NA
3.	Four-Wire Terminating Arrangements (This charge is in addition to the access line nonrecurring charges.)			
(a)	Each arrangement	<b>16.00</b>	<b>16.00</b>	NA

**Note 1:** Not applicable for access lines provided over an intraLATA High Capacity Channel Service with WATS or Toll Free Dialing Service functionality. See Section B7. of the Private Line *Guidebook* for applicable charges. (T)

**A119. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - WIDE AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE**

**A119.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**A119.5.3 Nonrecurring Charges and Installation Charges (Cont'd)**

**C. For moving a WATS access line or extension<sup>1</sup>**

**1. Move - Access Line Network Interface**

		<b>Nonrecurring Charges</b>		
		<b>Outward</b>	<b>TFD</b>	
		<b>WATS</b>	<b>Service</b>	<b>USOC</b>
(a)	Service Ordering, each order	<b>\$51.00</b>	<b>\$51.00</b>	NA
(b)	Premises Visit, each visit	<b>27.00</b>	<b>27.00</b>	NA
(c)	Premises Work Charge <sup>2</sup>	-	-	NA
<b>2. Move - Extension Network Interface</b>				
(a)	Service Ordering, each order	<b>48.00</b>	<b>48.00</b>	NA
(b)	Premises Visit, each visit	<b>27.00</b>	<b>27.00</b>	NA
(c)	Premises Work Charge <sup>2</sup>	-	-	NA

**3. Outside Move, Different Building**

Moves to a different building will be treated as a disconnect of the existing access line or extension and installation charges as specified in A119.5.3.B. preceding will be applicable.

**D. Conversion Charges**

**1. Changing the Toll Free Dialing Service telephone number to a different number at the request of the customer**

(a)	Service Ordering, each order	-	<b>51.00</b>	NA
(b)	Access Line Connection, each line	-	<b>27.00</b>	NA

**2. Separating an existing Toll Free Dialing Service into two or more hunting arrangements which contain the same TFD Service access lines as the original hunting arrangement**

(a)	Service Ordering, each order	-	<b>51.00</b>	NA
(b)	Access Line Connection, each line	-	<b>27.00</b>	NA

**3. Combining two or more Toll Free Dialing Service hunting arrangements into a single hunting arrangement containing the same TFD Service access lines**

(a)	Service Ordering, each order	-	<b>51.00</b>	NA
(b)	Access Line Connection, each line	-	<b>27.00</b>	NA

**4. Converting an existing access line to a four-wire terminating arrangement**

(a)	Four-Wire Terminating Arrangement Conversion Charge, each arrangement	<b>151.00</b>	<b>139.00</b>	NA
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**E. Record Change Only Charge**

**1. For changing Company records at request of the customer**

(a)	Service Ordering, each order	<b>27.50</b>	<b>25.50</b>	NA
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**Note 1:** For customer requests for rearrangements of drop wire or protector, see Premises Work Charge as contained in Section A4. (T)

**Note 2:** Premises Work Charge as contained in Section A4. (T)

**A119. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - WIDE AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE**

**A119.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**A119.5.3 Nonrecurring Charges and Installation Charges (Cont'd)**

- F. Change Primary Interexchange Carrier (PIC)
  - 1. For InterLATA portion of Combined Outward WATS

Nonrecurring Charge	USOC
\$11.00	NA
3.00	NA

- (a) Initial line
- (b) Additional line, each, same order as initial line

**A119.5.4 Minimum Service Period**

The minimum service period for WATS is one day.

**A119.5.5 Fractional Periods**

- A. The charges for a fractional part of a month will be a proportionate part of the monthly recurring charge based on the actual number of days the service is provided.
- B. For the purpose of administering this *term and condition* with respect to the determination of charges for a fractional part of a month, every month is considered to have 30 days. (T)

**A119.5.6 Allowance for Interruptions**

- A. Allowance for interruptions applies to each WATS access line as set forth following:
  - 1. When the WATS access line is interrupted for a period of less than two (2) hours no credit applies.
  - 2. When the WATS access line is interrupted for a period of two (2) hours to 24 hours a per day credit applies.

Credit Amount	USOC
\$15.00	NA

- (a) Per access line
- 3. When the WATS access line is interrupted for a period of more than 24 hours, the credit specified in A119.5.6.A.2. applies for each 24 hour period or any fraction thereof.
- 4. The credit in 2. and 3. preceding includes all credit to be applied for an interruption.
- 5. None of the preceding credit allowances will be made for:
  - a. Non-completion of WATS messages due to busy network conditions.
  - b. Interruption of service due to customer-provided equipment or systems.
  - c. Interruption of service due to negligence of the customer.
  - d. Interruption of service during any period in which the Company is not afforded access to the premises at which the WATS access line is terminated.
  - e. Interruption of service during any period when the customer has released the WATS access line to the Company for maintenance purposes, or implementation of a customer order for a change in service arrangement.
- 6. Long distance message telecommunications service furnished at a customer's request when his WATS is interrupted is charged at the long distance telecommunications rates contained in Section A18. (T)

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**A119. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - WIDE AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE****A119.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)****A119.5.7 Directory Assistance**

Directory Assistance Service for customers of *the Company* requesting telephone numbers of subscribers who are located outside their calling area, but within the same Local Access and Transport Area, is furnished under the provisions in A18.7. Such calls will not be included in the determination of WATS usage charges. (T)

**A119.5.8 Reserved for Future Use****A119.5.9 Reserved for Future Use****A119.5.10 Reserved for Future Use****A119.5.11 Reserved for Future Use****A119.5.12 Reserved for Future Use****A119.5.13 Reserved for Future Use****A119.5.14 Reserved for Future Use****A119.5.15 Reserved for Future Use****A119.5.16 Reserved for Future Use****A119.5.17 Reserved for Future Use****A119.5.18 Reserved for Future Use****A119.5.19 Reserved for Future Use**

**A119. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - WIDE AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE<sup>/3/</sup>** (C)

**A119.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**A119.5.20 Toll Free Dialing Service<sup>/3/</sup> Charges** (C)

**A.** Toll Free Dialing Service Termination on an Exchange Access Line

(Obsoleted 07-15-99, Type 4) Not available for new installations, *applies to Residence rate only*

**1.** Business

The following rates apply when Option TFD Service terminates on an exchange access line.

		<b>Monthly Rate</b>	<b>Nonrecurring Charge</b>	<b>USOC</b>
(a)	Per first TFD Service number terminating on an exchange access line, per LATA <sup>1,2</sup>	<b>\$3.00</b>	<b>\$55.00</b>	<b>WFASX</b>
(b)	Per each additional TFD Service number established at the same time, per LATA <sup>1,2</sup>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>20.00</b>	<b>WFAAL</b>
(c)	Per TFD record changed	-	<b>15.00</b>	<b>REAPT</b>

**2.** Residence

The following rates apply when Option TFD Service terminates on an exchange access line.

(a)	Per first TFD Service number terminating on an exchange access line, per LATA	<b>3.00</b>	<b>10.00</b>	<b>W1RSX</b>
(b)	Per each additional TFD Service number established at the same time, per LATA	<b>3.00</b>	<b>10.00</b>	<b>W1R2L</b>
(c)	Per TFD record changed	-	<b>15.00</b>	<b>REAPT</b>

**3.** Business

The following rates apply when Open TFD Service (Intrastate only) terminates on an exchange access line.

(a)	Per first TFD Service number terminating on an exchange access line <sup>2</sup>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>55.00</b>	<b>WSE1X</b>
(b)	Per each additional TFD Service number established at the same time <sup>2</sup>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>20.00</b>	<b>WSE2X</b>
(c)	Per TFD record changed	-	<b>15.00</b>	<b>REAPT</b>

**4.** Residence

The following rates apply when Open TFD Service (Intrastate only) terminates on an exchange access line.

(a)	Per first TFD Service number terminating on an exchange access line	<b>3.00</b>	<b>35.00</b>	<b>WSF1X</b>
(b)	Per each additional TFD Service number established at the same time	<b>3.00</b>	<b>10.00</b>	<b>WSF2X</b>
(c)	Per TFD record changed	-	<b>15.00</b>	<b>REAPT</b>

**5.** Business

The following rates apply when Open TFD Service (Interstate) terminates on an exchange *access* line.

(a)	Per first TFD Service number terminating on an exchange access line <sup>2</sup>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>55.00</b>	<b>WSG1X</b>
(b)	Per each additional TFD Service number established at the same time <sup>2</sup>	<b>3.00</b>	<b>20.00</b>	<b>WSG2X</b>
(c)	Per TFD record changed	-	<b>15.00</b>	<b>REAPT</b>

/1/ When Toll Free Dialing Service is provided by other than the Company and the Company is designated as the intraLATA carrier, only appropriate Service Charges from Section A4. apply.

/2/ When this service is added to an existing exchange access line, Section A4. and Section A119. Service and Installation Charges do not apply. When this service is ordered in conjunction with the new connection of an exchange access line, appropriate Service Charges in Section A4. apply to the exchange access line only.

/3/ Effective December 31, 2021, Wide Area Telecommunications Service and Toll-Free Dialing Service are withdrawn for residential customers.

(N)  
(N)



**A119. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - WIDE AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE<sup>/3/</sup> (C)**

**A119.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**A119.5.20 Toll Free Dialing Service Charges (Cont'd)**

**A. Toll Free Dialing Service Termination on an Exchange Access Line (Cont'd)**

**6. Residence**

The following rates apply when Open TFD Service (Interstate) terminates on an exchange access line.

	<b>Monthly Rate</b>	<b>Nonrecurring Charge</b>	<b>USOC</b>
(a) Per first TFD Service number terminating on an exchange access line	<b>\$3.00</b>	<b>\$35.00</b>	<b>WSH1X</b>
(b) Per each additional TFD Service number established at the same time	<b>3.00</b>	<b>10.00</b>	<b>WSH2X</b>
(c) Per TFD record changed	-	<b>15.00</b>	<b>REAPT</b>

**B. Variable Call Destination Rates**

1. The following rates apply when an Area of Service greater than one LATA is selected. It provides for multiple terminations (one ten-digit telephone number per LATA) of Option TFD Service.

(a) Per TFD record established	<b>2.00</b>	<b>10.00</b>	<b>E8H</b>
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**Note 1:** When Toll Free Dialing Service is provided by other than the Company and the Company is designated as the intraLATA carrier, only appropriate Service Charges from Section A4. apply.

**Note 2:** When this service is added to an existing exchange access line, Section A4. and Section **A119**. Service and Installation Charges do not apply. When this service is ordered in conjunction with the new connection of an exchange access line, appropriate Service Charges in Section A4. apply to the exchange access line only.

**Note 3:** Effective December 31, 2021, Wide Area Telecommunications Service and Toll-Free Dialing Service are withdrawn for residential customers. (N)

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**A119. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - WIDE AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE<sup>1/</sup> (C)**

**A119.5.21 Add-On TFD Service**

- A. Unless specified otherwise in the following paragraphs, hourly rates and usage charge methodology specified for Option TFD Service in A119.5.2.B. and C. preceding apply for usage carried and billed by the Company when the Company is designated as the intraLATA carrier for Toll Free Dialing service provided by another company. The following provisioning USOC establishes the add-on TFD billing capability.

USOC  
TGW

Per add-on TFD access number

**B. Local Discount Option**

- 1. Due to billing system requirements, this option is available only for TFD Service that terminates to a telephone number providing dial tone from the *Company's* network to an end user who obtains the telephone number service directly from *the Company* or indirectly from a certificated reseller of *the Company's* services.
- 2. Customers who subscribe to add-on Toll Free Dialing service with a local discount must subscribe to a specified monthly usage commitment. Based on the monthly usage commitment, the appropriate rates from the following table apply as specified in 5. following for all usage on the service. The following table specifies two sets of intraLATA usage rates for each monthly usage commitment. One set of rates applies for calls that originate from exchanges within the basic service area specified in A3.6.1 for the TFD termination, and the other set of rates applies for calls that originate from exchanges outside the same basic service area. A customer may be billed a shortfall penalty after each anniversary of the service if the monthly usage commitment is not satisfied on a cumulative annual basis.
- 3. Usage Rates

Add-On TFD Monthly Usage Commitment	Within Basic Service Area		Outside Basic Service Area		USOC
	Initial Period (up to 30 seconds)	Per Minute For Additional Time	Initial Period (up to 30 seconds)	Per Minute For Additional Time	
		(six second increments)		(six second increments)	
(a) 300 hours	\$0.03450	\$0.06900	\$0.04200	\$0.08400	WFT01
(b) 750 hours	0.03250	0.06500	0.03950	0.07900	WFT05
(c) 1,500 hours	0.03050	0.06100	0.03700	0.07400	WFT10
(d) 3,000 hours	0.02850	0.05700	0.03450	0.06900	WFT20
(e) 4,500 hours	0.02550	0.05100	0.03200	0.06400	WFT30
(f) 6,000 hours	0.02450	0.04900	0.02950	0.05900	WFT40
(g) 7,500 hours	0.02350	0.04700	0.02825	0.05650	WFT50

- 4. For customers who subscribe for a specified term to add-on Toll Free Dialing service with a local discount, the discounts indicated in the following table apply to the appropriate rates specified in 3. preceding. Upon cancellation of a specified term plan, the customer will be billed an amount equal to the discounted local calling area rate times the monthly usage commitment for the number of months remaining on the plan.

Term Commitment for Local Discount Option Add-On TFD Service	Discount
Month-to-Month	None
12 months	5.0%
24 months	8.0%
36 months	11.0%

- 5. For add-on Toll Free Dialing service with a local discount, each message is rated separately. The discounts specified in 4. preceding are applied to the rates specified in 3. preceding and the resulting rate is applied to each message using an initial period of thirty seconds and additional periods in six-second increments thereafter. If a call lasts less than thirty seconds, the customer is billed the appropriate charge for a full thirty second message. There are no time-of-day discounts for add-on Toll Free Dialing service with a local discount.

**Note 1:** Effective December 31, 2021, Wide Area Telecommunications Service and Toll-Free Dialing Service are withdrawn for residential customers.

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