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A2. GENERAL REGULATIONS

A2.3 Establishment And Furnishing Of Service (Cont'd)

A2.3.3 Party Line Service (Cont'd)

- B. The Company reserves the right to cancel any existing Party Line Service, upon thirty days notice, whenever in the judgment of the Company the use of the party line subscriber is such, from high volume of use, other failure to fairly share the line, listening in on party line conversations, or other causes, as to interfere with the reasonable use of the other party connected with the same line.

A2.3.4 Reserved For Future Use

A2.3.5 Application For Service

- A. Any applicant for service may be required to sign an application form requesting the Company to furnish the service in accordance with rates, charges, rules and regulations from time to time in force and effect.
- B. The Company reserves the right to refuse service to any applicant who is found to be indebted to the Company for service previously furnished until satisfactory arrangements have been made for the payment of all such indebtedness. The Company may also refuse to furnish service to any applicant desiring to establish service for former subscribers of the Company who are indebted for previous service, regardless of the listing requested for such service, until satisfactory arrangements have been made for the payment of such indebtedness.
- C. If service is established and it is subsequently determined that either condition in *paragraph* A2.3.5.B exists, the Company may suspend or disconnect such service until satisfactory arrangements have been made for the payment of the prior indebtedness. (T)
- D. When additions, rearrangements, relocations or modification of service and equipment requested by a customer or applicant are canceled in whole or in part or are unduly delayed by or at the request of the customer or where the customer or applicant modifies his request for service and equipment so that additional costs are incurred by the Company, charges specified in Section A5 apply in addition to regular Guidebook rates and charges.
- E. (DELETED) (D)

A2.3.6 Application Of Rates For Business And Residence Service

- A. In general, business rates apply at business locations and residence rates apply at residence locations, as illustrated by situations described in B. and C. following.

B2. REGULATIONS

B2.3 Obligations of the Customer (Cont'd)

B2.3.1 Customer Responsibilities (Cont'd)

- E. The provision of the power required to operate Company facilities installed on the premises of the customers or authorized users.
- F. The provision, installation and maintenance of sealed conduit with explosive-proof fittings between equipment in explosive atmospheres and points outside the hazardous area where connection may be made with regular facilities of the Company, and may be required to install and maintain equipment 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. Obtaining permission for Company agents or employees to enter the premises of the customer or authorized user at any reasonable hour for the purpose of installing, inspecting, repairing or, upon termination of the service, removing the facilities of the Company, and for,
- H. Making Company facilities available for maintenance purposes at a time agreeable to both the Company and the customer. No allowance will be made for the period during which the service is interrupted for such purposes.
- I. Where new or additional service is to be established at a location that has a hazardous electrical environment (e.g., an electric power substation or generating plant or a high voltage transmission tower, switching or distribution location), the customer must have high voltage isolation equipment installed at such premises whenever hazardous voltages of 1000V peak-asymmetrical or greater exist prior to the installation of BellSouth ordered service. If the customer is aware that its premises are located where such hazardous voltages exist, the customer must notify BellSouth of this fact at the time its order for service is placed. BellSouth makes high voltage isolation equipment that complies with the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers ("IEEE") Standards 487 and 1590 available to its customer under Special Assembly.

The customer may elect to provide high voltage protection by means other than BellSouth Special Assembly and if customer so elects, the equipment used must meet the technical requirements specified in IEEE Standards 487 and 1590 and the customer shall submit its proposed design and equipment specifications to BellSouth for BellSouth's approval prior to installation of BellSouth service ordered. Where the customer has elected to select, install, use and maintain its own high voltage protection equipment, the customer does so with the understanding that it is solely responsible for any interruption of BellSouth's service associated with its selection, installation, use or maintenance of the high voltage protection. Furthermore, the customer, its employees, agents, officers, directors, affiliates, successors and assigns agree to indemnify and hold BellSouth, its subsidiaries, affiliates and their collective employees, agents, officers, and directors harmless from all loss, liabilities, costs and expenses, including attorneys' fees and all costs of defense and settlement, resulting from interruption of service, damage to property, claims, demands, suits or actions of any nature whatsoever arising from the failure of the high voltage protection selected, installed, used or maintained by the customer.

BellSouth reserves the right to suspend any service it provides absent required high voltage protection until adequate protection is provided.

Standard intervals do not apply for service ordered where voltage isolation equipment is required and must be installed prior to installation of service ordered from BellSouth.

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B2.3.2 Reserved For Future Use

B2.3.3 Transfer Of Service

The service or any rights associated therewith may not be assigned or in any manner transferred except as otherwise provided for in this Tariff.