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### A3. BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

#### A3.2 Statewide Rate Schedule

##### A3.2.1 Flat Rate Schedule

- A. The rates specified herein entitle subscribers to an unlimited number of messages to all stations bearing the designation of central offices within the serving exchange and additional exchanges as shown in A3.6., Local Calling Areas.
- B. The following statewide schedule of rates is applicable to flat rate main station service except as otherwise provided in this Guidebook.
1. The rate groups include Main Station Lines, PBX Trunks and Centrex Main Station Lines upper limit<sup>1</sup>.

		<b>Residence</b>	<b>Business</b>	<b>USOC</b>		
(a)	Group 1	(0 - 5,600)	<b>\$26.00</b>	<b>\$125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(b)	Group 2	(5,601 - 7,400)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(c)	Group 3	(7,401 - 9,800)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(d)	Group 4	(9,801 - 13,000)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(e)	Group 5	(13,001 - 17,300)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(f)	Group 6	(17,301 - 22,900)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(g)	Group 7	(22,901 - 30,200)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(h)	Group 8	(30,201 - 39,900)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(i)	Group 9	(39,901 - 52,800)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(j)	Group 10	(52,801 - 69,800)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(k)	Group 11	(69,801 - 92,300)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(l)	Group 12	(92,301 - 122,000)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(m)	Group 13	(122,001 - up)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>125.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)

**Note 1:** Party Line Service is deleted as of December 13, 2002.

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#### A3.2 Statewide Rate Schedule (Cont'd)

##### A3.2.2 Reserved for Future Use

##### A3.2.3 Measured Rate Schedule

- A. The following schedule of monthly rates is applicable to individual line except as otherwise provided in this Guidebook. Where the Area Calling Plan is available, Measured Rate Service is an Obsolete Service Offering, as described in A2.3.4.

1. Rates

		<b>Business</b>	<b>USOC</b>	
(a)	Group 1M (0 - 5,600)	<b>\$59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(b)	Group 2M (5,601 - 7,400)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(c)	Group 3M (7,401 - 9,800)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(d)	Group 4M (9,801 - 13,000)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(e)	Group 5M (13,001 - 17,300)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(f)	Group 6M (17,301 - 22,900)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(g)	Group 7M (22,901 - 30,200)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(h)	Group 8M (30,201 - 39,900)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(i)	Group 9M (39,901 - 52,800)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(j)	Group 10M (52,801 - 69,800)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(k)	Group 11M (69,801 - 92,300)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(l)	Group 12M (92,301 - 122,000)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)
(m)	Group 13M (122,001 - 161,300)	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	(1)

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**A3.2 Statewide Rate Schedule (Cont'd)**

**A3.2.9 Area Calling Plan**

- A. The offering of this service, (55-mile plan in the Jackson LATA) is subject to availability as determined by the Company.
- B. Access lines are provided at the following rates.
  - 1. Rates

	<b>Monthly Rate</b>	<b>USOC</b>
(a) Residence		
– Group 1 - (0 - 5,600)	<b>\$26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 2 - (5,601 - 7,400)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 3 - (7,401 - 9,800)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 4 - (9,801 - 13,000)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 5 - (13,001 - 17,300)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 6 - (17,301 - 22,900)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 7 - (22,901 - 30,200)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 8 - (30,201 - 39,900)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 9 - (39,901 - 52,800)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 10 - (52,801 - 69,800)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 11 - (69,801 - 92,300)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 12 - (92,301 - 122,000)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
– Group 13 - (122,001 - up)	<b>26.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
(b) Business including MultiServ service main station lines	<b>59.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
(c) Trunks - Combination	<b>51.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
(d) Trunks - Inward	<b>51.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
(e) Trunks - Outward	<b>51.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
(f) ESSX service NAR - Both Way	<b>10.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
(g) ESSX service NAR - Inward	<b>10.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
(h) ESSX service NAR - Outward	<b>10.00</b>	<b>NA</b>
(i) MultiServ PLUS service or BellSouth Centrex service NAR - Both Way	<b>10.00</b>	<b>M9QCR</b>
(j) MultiServ PLUS service or BellSouth Centrex service NAR - One-way Inward	<b>10.00</b>	<b>M9Q1R</b>
(k) MultiServ PLUS service or BellSouth Centrex service NAR - One-way Outward	<b>10.00</b>	<b>M9QOR</b>

(1)

- C. Residence access lines with Complete Choice are provided at the following rates.
  - 1. Rates

	<b>Suspend Rate</b>	<b>Monthly Rate</b>	<b>USOC</b>
(a) Economy Area Calling Plan with the Complete Choice option, Per Line	<b>\$5.00</b>	<b>\$29.00</b>	<b>ARPEC</b>
(b) Standard Area Calling Plan with the Complete Choice option, Per Line (includes the Standard usage package)	<b>8.00</b>	<b>35.00</b>	<b>ARPS</b>
(c) Economy Enhanced Area Calling Plan with the Complete Choice option, Per Line	<b>5.00</b>	<b>29.00</b>	<b>ENHEC</b>
(d) Standard Enhanced Area Calling Plan with the Complete Choice option, Per Line (includes the Standard usage package)	<b>8.00</b>	<b>35.00</b>	<b>ENHSC</b>

**A103. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE**

**A103.38 Back-Up Line (Cont'd)**

**A103.38.1 Terms, Conditions and Rates (Cont'd)**

**G.** The access line rate per Back-Up Line is as follows.

	<b>Monthly Rate</b>	<b>USOC</b>	
1. Back-Up Line associated with Area Calling Plan/Enhanced Area Calling Plan business individual line service.			
(a) Per line	<b>\$125.00</b>	<b>SBL LX</b>	(1)
2. Back-Up Line associated with individual line BellSouth Business Plus service.			
(a) Per Back-Up Line with BellSouth Business Plus service			
- Option 1 primary line	<b>125.00</b>	<b>SBL L1</b>	(1)
(b) Per Back-Up Line with BellSouth Business Plus service			
- Option 2 primary line	<b>125.00</b>	<b>SBL L2</b>	(1)
3. Back-Up Line associated with all other business individual line service			
(a) Per line	<b>125.00</b>	<b>SBL FX</b>	(1)

**H.** The following usage charges apply to all inward calls which terminate on Back-Up Line service.

1. Inward Calls

	<b>Rate Per Minute Of Use \$.05</b>	<b>USOC NA</b>
(a) Usage Charge		

**I.** The following usage charges apply to all outward calls which originate from Back-Up Line service.

1. Back-Up Line service associated with Area Calling Plan/Enhanced Area Calling Plan will receive local calling to the Area Calling Plan Local Calling Area as described in A3.2.9. All outward calls terminating in this area will be billed at the usage rates described in the Area Calling Plan Section, except that no usage package options, usage caps, or usage allowances are applicable to calls originating from Back-Up Line service.		
(a) Calls terminating in Area Calling Plan Local Calling Area (see A3.2.9)	-	NA
(b) Calls terminating beyond the Area Calling Plan Local Calling Area will be billed according to the rates, terms and conditions as specified in A18.	-	NA
2. Back-Up Line service associated with BellSouth Business Plus service.		
(a) Calls terminating in the Local Calling Area as described in A3.6	<b>.05</b>	NA
(b) Calls terminating beyond the Local Calling Area will be billed the appropriate Option Primary line usage rate charges as specified in A3.43.2	-	NA
3. Back-Up Line service associated with all other business individual line service.		
(a) Calls terminating in the Local Calling Area as described in A3.6	<b>.05</b>	NA
(b) Calls terminating beyond the Local Calling Area will be billed according to the rates, terms and conditions as specified in A18	-	NA
4. Area Calling Plan/Enhanced Area Calling Plan calls completed with operator assistance will be rated at the usage charges and Operator Assisted Call surcharges as specified in A3.2.9. BellSouth Business Plus service calls completed with operator assistance will be rated at the usage charges as specified in 2, in addition to the appropriate Operator Assisted Call surcharges. All other calls completed operator assistance will be rated at the usage charges as specified in 3, in addition to the appropriate Operator Assisted Call surcharges.		

**J.** Usage charges, if appropriate, also apply to the calling party for calls which terminate on Back-Up Line service.

**A103. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE**

**A103.43 BellSouth Business Plus Service (Cont'd)**

**A103.43.2 Exchange Access Line Rates**

A. Individual Line Service

1. BellSouth Business Plus service - Option 1

	<b>Monthly Rate</b>	<b>Rate per Minute of Use</b>	<b>USOC</b>	
(a) Each line	<b>\$161.00</b>	-	<b>BU1</b>	(I)
(b) Each Minute of use above 120 hours (7,200 minutes)	-	<b>\$.05</b>	-	

2. BellSouth Business Plus service - Option 2

(a) Each line	<b>87.00</b>	-	<b>BU2</b>	(I)
(b) Each Minute of use outside the serving exchange and its additional exchanges	-	<b>.09</b>	-	

**A103.43.3 Service Charges**

- A. The service order charges specified in Section A4. are applicable for the installations of new lines at the subscriber's premises. These charges are not applicable for existing customers who wish to convert an existing line to a BellSouth Business Plus service plan.
- B. Service charges do not apply for transactions which only involve additions, deletions or changes to the service or features requested as part of BellSouth Business Plus service with BellSouth Business Choice Package service or BellSouth Complete Choice for Business package.