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Wisconsin Bell, LLC

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#### **APPLICATION OF INTRALATA WHOLESALE SERVICE**

## 1. Application of Tariff

This tariff contains regulations and rates applicable to IntraLATA Wholesale Service (IWS). IWS offers Interexchange Carriers (ICs) the ability to provide IntraLATA toll calls for their end users over the Telephone Company's network from the Telephone Company's access lines provided to The Telephone Company's end users. Customers with a valid Carrier Identification Code (CIC) and that are certified by the Wisconsin Commerce Commission are eligible to purchase IWS from this tariff.

The Telephone Company provides ICs with an unrated toll record of the intraLATA toll calls IC end-users place over the Telephone Company's network.

## 2. Definitions

### Customer(s)

Denotes any individual, partnership, association, joint-stock company, Trust, corporation or government entity or any other entity which subscribes to the services offered under this tariff.

#### **End-User**

Denotes any customer of an intrastate telecommunications service that is not a carrier.

### **Exchange**

Denotes a unit, generally smaller than a LATA, established by the Telephone Company for the administration of communications service in a specified area which usually embraces a city, town or village and its environs. It consists of one or more central offices together with the associated facilities used in furnishing communications service within that area. One or more designated exchanges comprise a given LATA.

#### IntraLATA Service

Applies to service between points which are in the same Local Access and Transport Area (LATA).

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## 2. Definitions (cont'd)

# Interexchange Carrier (IC)

Denotes any individual, partnership, association, joint-stock company, trust, governmental entity or corporation engaged for hire in intrastate, interstate or foreign communication by wire or radio, between two or more exchanges.

## **Local Access and Transport Area (LATA)**

Denotes a geographic area established for the provision and administration of communications service. It encompasses one or more designated exchanges, which are grouped to serve common social, economic and other purposes.

#### **Tandem**

Denotes a major switching center linking several end offices, especially in high density areas. Telephone Company tandems are listed in the Local Exchange Routing Guide.

## The Telephone Company

Refers to SBC Wisconsin.

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## 3. IntraLATA Wholesale Service (IWS)

## 3.1 <u>Description</u>

#### General

IWS offers ICs the ability to transport 1+ intraLATA toll calls placed by the IC's end users over the Telephone Company's network from the Telephone Company's access lines provided to the Telephone Company's end users. The network announcement heard by an end-user will be that of the Telephone Company, not the IWS customer, as the IC uses the Telephone Company's infrastructure including the network announcement.

IWS allows customers with a valid Carrier Identification Code (CIC) to route their 1+ IntraLATA toll, 0+ IntraLATA Collect and 0+ Billed to Third Party IntraLATA calls over the Telephone Company's existing Network.

0+ Collect calls and 0+ Billed to Third Party calls will route over the Telephone Company's network and be completed by the Telephone Company. The IWS customer will not be charged the MOU for these calls as set forth in 4.3 following. The applicable rates for these calls are established by the Telephone Company, and the revenue for these calls will journal to the Telephone Company. The responsibility for notifying the IC's end-users about this billing arrangement rests with the IWS customer.

Excluded from IWS routing are casual dialed IntraLATA toll calls (101XXXX+1), Foreign and Home Numbering Plan Area (F/HNPA) 555-1212 intraLATA, HNPA 555-1212 interLATA and Coin service. (1+ Coin Service will not work without Exchange Access Operator Services Signaling and coin control signaling provided by the subscriber's trunk group.)

The Telephone Company will resolve trouble isolated to the Telephone Company's network as reported by the IWS customer, as well as the IWS customer's end users. Such trouble may be reported to Telephone Company's repair bureau by the IWS customer or the IWS customer's end-users.

## 3.2 Ordering

An IWS Order is an order to provide the IC with IWS services or provide modifications to existing IWS services. IWS is ordered at the state level by submitting the "IWS Ordering Form" to the Access Service Center. The customer must purchase IWS for all Telephone Company Tandems within a state when ordering service. The IWS Service order charge as specified in Section 4.3 will apply to each Tandem.

A minimum of 30 days written notice to establish service or to disconnect service is required.

### 4. Rates

## 4.1 Rate Regulations

This section contains the specific regulations governing the rates and charges that apply for IWS.

There are three types of rates and charges that apply to the IWS rate elements. These are nonrecurring charges for the IWS Order Charge and Network Charge and a recurring usage charge for each completed minute of use (MOU) on the IWS network.

### 4.2 Rate Application

- (A) The IWS Rate is applied to each completed originating minute of use. It includes the use of network facilities, intraLATA toll terminating charges, and Telephone Company delivery of unrated toll records to the IC.
- (B) The IWS Service Order Charge will be applied to each service order, per Tandem, processed by the Telephone Company. All Telephone Company Tandems are required to be provisioned with IWS service.
- (C) The IWS Network Charge will be applied to any initial IWS order. This charge covers the establishment and removal of IWS functionality in all Telephone Company end offices for which service is ordered.

### 4.3 Rates and Charges

		USOC	Rate Per Minute of Use
(A)	IWS Rate		\$.02
			Nonrecurring Charge
(B)	IWS Service, Order Charge	ORCMX	\$ 50.00
(C)	IWS Network Charge	NRMWS	59,000.00