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Dear Ms. Salak:

Attached are revised tariff pages for Section A20 Interconnection of Mobile Services. Attachment A provides a list of impacted tariff pages.

If you require additional information, please call Carlton Ball at (813) 483-2529 or Frank App at 813-483-2521.

Sincerely,  
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Attachments

Attachment A

**VERIZON FLORIDA GENERAL SERVICES TARIFF**

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**A20.1 APPLICATION**

- .1 The interconnection arrangements described herein and their rates are applicable but not limited to duly authorized Cellular Mobile Carriers (CMC's), Radio Common Carriers (RCCs), Specialized Mobile Carriers (SMC), and other Private Land Mobile Radio Carriers (PLMRs) herein after referred to as the Carrier, engaged in the provision of land mobile radio service and/or one-way signaling service in the state of Florida.
- .2 These services are offered at the rates specified herein from central offices where necessary service options are available.
- .3 Bellcore Technical Reference TR-NPL-0-000145 establishes technical requirements and protocols for Type 1 and Type 2 interconnection.
- .4 The regulations, rates, and charges contained herein are in addition to the applicable regulations, rates, and charges specified in other sections of this Tariff.
- .5 FCC rules described in 47 CFR Part 20 and 47 CFR 51.715 apply to the transport and termination of wireless traffic.

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**A20.2 GENERAL**

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- .1 Subject to the availability of facilities and the reasonable requirements of the Company for its telecommunications service, the Company will provide to the Carrier, upon request, those facilities and arrangements described herein which are necessary to establish the physical connection and interchange of traffic provided for herein and other facilities the Carrier may require for operation of its system such as remote transmitter and receiver links.
- .2 The facilities and arrangements, the location(s) of such connection(s), including maintenance and operating points of demarcation, and the additional facilities are provided for use in the Carrier's system.
- .3 DS1 service denotes a channel service expressed in terms of its digitally encoded data bit rate in accordance with a North American hierarchy of digital signal levels. It has a 1.544 Mbps transmission data rate and provides for the two-way simultaneous transmission of isochronous timed Bipolar Return-To-Zero (BPRZ) bit stream format. Unframed signal formats are not permitted or compatible with Company Equipment. The required format and specifications are contained in Bellcore Technical References 62508 and 62411.
- .4 Usage charges as specified in A20.6, will not apply to calls to Directory Assistance, calls to a Company operator or for 911 Emergency Service (where available).

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A20.2 GENERAL (Continued)

- .5 The facilities and services provided herein shall be used only for the handling of interchanged traffic originating or terminating on the Carrier's system in connection with the Carrier's authorized services.
- .6 The facilities or arrangements provided shall not be used, switched, or otherwise connected together by the Carrier for the provision of through calling from a land-line telephone to another land-line telephone, nor shall mobile interconnection be employed to avoid toll access charges through arrangements between mobile carriers and Interexchange carriers.
- .7 Any facility or arrangement provided under this Tariff shall be of the type normally utilized in the furnishing of the Company's telecommunications services including, but not limited to: effective two-wire and four-wire voice grade and voice grade data facilities, central office outpulsing facilities, and exchange access facilities. When nonstandard equipment or services such as transmission characteristics and signaling of a special type are requested, they may be provided via the special assembly process for each case as prescribed in Section A5., and the rates for these arrangements will be applied in addition to those applicable in this or other tariff sections.
- .8 Directory listings for the main subscriber to these services are provided in accordance with the regulations and rates prescribed in tariff Section A6. Clients of subscribers to these services are provided listings at the rates specified for Additional Main Listings-Business in Section A6.
- .9 The Company will cooperate with the Carrier in the planning and development of any necessary specialized telecommunications facilities or arrangements reasonably required for the provision of the Carriers service(s).
- .10 At the Carrier's request and at the discretion of the Company, subject to operating limits and the availability of facilities, these services may be provided from central offices other than the customer's serving central office. Where a trunk group is served from a central office other than the customer's normal serving central office, the appropriate mileage rates for Foreign Exchange or Interoffice Channel service, per facility, will apply. All mileage will be calculated as described in Section A26 of this Tariff.
- .11 Central office facilities and blocks of telephone numbers provided by the Company for the Carrier's use shall be assigned by the Company and may be changed to meet the reasonable operating and service requirements of the Company. The Carrier shall not acquire any proprietary interest in number assigned for use. Where such changes are to be made, the Company shall advise the Carrier in writing not less than sixty days in advance and will coordinate the changes with the Carrier.
- .12 The appropriate service charges in Section A4 apply to the establishment and rearrangement of services provided under this section. As stipulated in Docket No. 870675, nonrecurring connection charges shall be assessed to each mobile carrier that switches to either Type 1 or Type 2 interconnection as a result of rates set in that docket.
- .13 A uniform dialing rate is applicable to all Type 1 and Type 2 carriers for intraLATA calls originating on mobile networks. This usage rate per minute for all mobile traffic within the LATA is as specified in A20.6.c following.
- .14 Calls subject to Operator Assisted charges as defined in A3.11, local and long distance Verification and Emergency Interrupt Service as defined in A3.12 and A18.9, respectively, and local and long distance Directory Assistance Service as defined in A3.10 and A18.8, respectively, of this Tariff will be individually itemized on the Carrier's bill. (T)

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**A20.3 MOBILE SERVICES DIAL LINES**

1. Mobile service dial lines are direct connections between a Carrier's point of termination and a Company end office. The Carrier establishes connections to other Company end offices and other Carriers through this interface. In addition, this form of interconnection allows the Carrier to establish connection to company operator services, directory assistance and 911 service (where available).
- .2 These services are offered at the rates specified herein. For the purposes of this Tariff section, dial line services are defined as line side connections that are two wire circuits, or their equivalence, using loop start, ground start or reverse battery supervision, with either dial pulse (DP) or dual tone multifrequency (DTMF) address pulsing.
- .3 These services may be arranged for one-way inward (to the Carrier), one-way outward (from the Carrier), or two-way service as follows:
  - a. Outward calls may use either dial pulse (DP) or dual tone multifrequency address pulsing.
  - b. Dual Tone Multifrequency is an available option for inward signaling to the Carrier only in those offices that are so suitably equipped.
- .4 The Carrier's equipment shall provide the necessary on-hook, off-hook, answer and disconnect signals.
- .5 At the Carrier's request and at the discretion of the Company, subject to the operating limits and availability of facilities, these services may be provided from central offices other than the Carrier's serving central office. When these lines are serviced from other than the Carrier's normal serving central office, appropriate mileage rates apply as per this Tariff.

**A20.4 TYPE 1 INTERCONNECTION**

- .1 A Type 1 interconnection is a direct trunk connection between a Carrier's point of termination and a Company end office. The carrier establishes connections to other Company end offices and other carriers through this interface. In addition, this form of interconnection is needed to establish connection to Company operator services, directory assistance, and E911 service (where available).
- .2 These services are offered at the rates specified herein from central offices where necessary service options are available. For the purposes of this Tariff section, Type 1 services are defined as: four wire circuits or their equivalence with MF address pulsing and E&M supervision.
- .3 These services may be arranged for one-way inward (to the Carrier), one-way outward (from the Carrier), and two-way central office trunk terminating equipment arranged for signaling to and/or from the Carrier as follows:
  - a. Trunk Type: Two-way, Four-wire, Wink Start only, trunk with Multifrequency (MF) Address Pulsing, and E&M Supervision.
  - b. Trunk Type: One-way Four-wire, Wink Start only trunk with Multifrequency (MF) Address Pulsing, and E&M Supervision.
  - c. Dual Tone Multifrequency is an available option for inward signaling to the carrier only in those offices that are suitably equipped.
- .4 When Direct-Inward-Dialing (DID) is furnished in conjunction with these services, it will be provided only from central offices where DID is offered and where adequate equipment is available.

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A20.4 TYPE 1 INTERCONNECTION (continued)

- .5 At the Carrier's request and at the discretion of the Company, subject to the operating limits and availability of facilities, these services may be provided from central offices other than the Carrier's serving central office. When trunks are served from other than the Carrier's normal serving central office, appropriate mileage rates apply as per this Tariff.
- .6 The Carrier's equipment shall provide the necessary on-hook, off-hook, answer, and disconnect supervision, and shall in all cases comply with the technical interconnection specification described in Bellcore Technical Reference TR-NPL-000145 or approved revisions.

A20.5 TYPE 2 INTERCONNECTION

- .1 Type 2A interconnection is a direct trunk connection between a Carrier's point of termination and an access tandem office or where conditions warrant a local tandem office arranged for either two-way calling or one-way calling in either originating or terminating directions. When one-way inward or two-way operation is used, a dedicated NXX code is required.
- .2 For purposes of this Tariff, Type 2A services are defined as trunk side connections to an access or, in some cases, local tandem offices which are four wire circuits using E & M supervision with the Multifrequency (MF) address pulsing.
- .3 Type 2B interconnection provides connection for Carriers to a Company end office via dedicated trunk facilities. With Type 2B interconnection, the Carrier is able to establish connection through the Company's facilities only to and from those valid central office prefixes (NXXs) served by the end office at which the Type 2B service is provided.
- .4 Availability of the Type 2A interconnection at a Company access tandem is dependent upon the Carrier's agreement to provide message peg counts to permit billing of the surrogate usage rate as defined in A20.6.4, Note 1 following.
- .5 The Carrier's equipment shall provide the necessary on-hook, off-hook, answer, and disconnect supervision, and shall in all cases comply with the technical interconnection specification described in Bellcore Technical Reference TR-NPL-000145 or approved revisions.
- .6 For purposes of this Tariff, Type 2B services are defined as trunk side connections to an end office that are four wire circuits using E & M supervision with multifrequency (MF) address pulsing.
- .7 Type 2T interconnection provides for a direct trunk connection between a Carrier's point of termination and an equal access tandem office. Type 2T interconnection is used for originating one-way calling to route equal access calls from the Carrier to an interexchange carrier.
- .8 For the purpose of this Tariff, Type 2T services are defined as trunk side connections to an equal access tandem. Type 2T services may be interconnected with two-wire, four-wire, or DS-1 circuits using E & M supervision with MF address pulsing.
- .9 Type 2A and Type 2T services are also available with Signaling System 7 (SS7) Out of Band Signaling.

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A20.6 RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CARRIER AND THE COMPANY

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**.1 Intercept and Acknowledgement of Calls**

- a. The Carrier shall provide a voice intercept announcement or distinctive tone signal to the calling party when a call is directed to a number that is not assigned by the Carrier.
- b. The Carrier shall provide a voice announcement or distinctive tone signals to the calling party when a call intended to activate a signal in a paging receiver has been received.
- c. When the Carrier's terminal is not able to complete calls because of a malfunction in the terminal or other equipment, the Carrier shall either divert the call to its operator or provide a recorded announcement to the calling party advising that the call cannot be completed.
- d. The Carrier shall provide supervisory tones or voice announcements to the calling party on all calls, consistent with standard telephone industry practices.

**.2 Trouble Reporting**

- a. Subscribers of the Carrier shall report all cases of trouble to the Carrier. The Carrier shall handle such trouble reporting and advise the Company. The Company shall respond to trouble reports from mobile carriers on a high priority basis.

**.3 Maintenance of Records**

- a. The Carrier will keep adequate records of its operations and transactions under this Tariff and shall furnish to the Company such information as may be reasonably required for the administration of this Tariff.

**.4 Confidentiality of Information**

- a. The Company, in accepting data or information that a Carrier wishes held in confidence, agrees to employ security measures and practices that are sufficient to protect the confidentiality of the data or information.
  - (1) Security measures and practices are those normally employed by the Company within the scope of its authority.

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A20.7 RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)

.1 Mobile Services Dial Lines

a. Voice Grade Service

	<u>Installation Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
(1) Local Channel, Two or Four Wire, each	Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in Verizon Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).	
(2) DID Trunk Termination, each	\$ 50.00	\$ 69.60

b. DS-1 Service

(1) DS-1 service is available at the rates, terms, and conditions specified in Section A26 of this Tariff. In addition, the following rate shall apply when a DS-1 is activated.		
(a) Digital trunk termination	-	\$71.20

.2 Type 1 and Type 2 Facilities - Multifrequency (MF) Signaling

a. Voice Grade Service

	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
(1) Local Channel, Two or Four Wire, each	Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in Verizon Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).	
(2) Interoffice Channel, fixed and per mile	Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in Verizon Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).	
(3) Trunk termination (one per network access)	\$ 50.00	\$ 69.60

b. DS-1 Service

(1) DS1 service is available at the rates, terms and conditions specified in Section A26 of this Tariff. In addition, the following rate shall apply when a DS-1 is activated.		
(a) Digital trunk termination (one per DS-1)	-	\$ 71.20

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A20.7 RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)

.3 Type 2 Facilities - SS7 Out of Band Signaling

a. Voice Grade Facilities

(1) Local Channel, Two or Four Wire, each Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in Verizon Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).

(2) Interoffice Channel, fixed or per mile Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in Verizon Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).

(3) Trunk termination (one per network access) \$ 50.00 \$ 69.60

b. The SS7 Out of Band Signaling option is provided in conjunction with Common Channel Signaling System 7 (CCS7) Access Service. CCS7 Access Service is provided at suitably equipped tandem switches pursuant to the rates, terms, and conditions set forth in the Verizon Telephone Operating Companies Tariff FCC No. 1 (GTOC FCC No. 1).

c. DS-1 Service

(1) DS1 service is available at the rates, terms and conditions specified in Section A26 of this Tariff. In addition, the following rate shall apply when a DS-1 is activated.

(a) Digital trunk termination- - \$ 71.20

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A20.7 RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)

.7 Direct Inward Dialing Capability

- a. The following charges are applicable for establishment of inward dialing capability and the establishment of DID numbers.

	<u>Installation Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
(1) Establish trunk group and provide first group of 100 numbers (NDZ)	\$ 915.00	\$ -
(2) Each additional group of 100 numbers <sup>1</sup>	\$ 15.00	\$ -

.8 Facilities between carrier switching/control locations and/or remote transmitter/receiver sites.

See appropriate tariff section for Private Line Services, or may be provided via the Special Assembly process in Section A5.

.9 Directory Assistance Charges:

- a. A charge as follows is applicable for each call to directory assistance except as noted below. (Maximum of two requested telephone numbers per call.)

(1) Directory Assistance Service

(a) Each Call                      Rate: \$ .40

- b. In order to make allowance for a reasonable need for Directory Assistance Service, including numbers not in the same directory, directory inaccessibility and other similar conditions, no charge applies for the first three calls per month per individual line, PBX trunk line, dormitory communication station line or for the first call per month per Centrex/CentraNet<sup>®</sup> station line. The allowance is cumulative for all group billed services furnished to the same subscriber.
- c. When a customer elects to have a call automatically completed to the number for which the Directory Assistance Listing was requested (Star Information Plus<sup>sm</sup>), a surcharge of 45 cents shall apply per call. The Star Information Plus<sup>sm</sup> (\*SIP) surcharge is in addition to any applicable Directory Assistance and/or intraLATA local or toll charges. Call allowances as specified in (b) preceding do not apply to \*SIP.

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<sup>1</sup> Only one installation charge is applicable for the activation of additional number groups when such groups are ordered and activated at the same time.

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.10 Star Information Plus<sup>SM</sup> (\*SIP)

- a. Star Information Plus<sup>SM</sup> (\*SIP) provides an incoming Directory Assistance customer requesting an intraLATA number a mechanized announcement offering call completion to the listed number requested. The call is completed on a sent-paid basis (paid for by the calling customer).
- b. The mechanized announcement will instruct the caller that for an additional charge he may have his call automatically completed by depressing a specific digit on the touch-tone key pad. All completed calls will be charged the \*SIP surcharge, in addition to any other appropriate charges. Customers may request blocking of \*SIP calls originating from their telephone lines by contacting the local Company business office.
- c. Star Information Plus<sup>SM</sup> (\*SIP) will only be furnished where facilities and operating conditions permit.
- d. The Telephone Company assumes no responsibility or liability for any errors in the information furnished. The caller shall indemnify the Telephone Company and hold it free and harmless of and from any and all claims, demands or damages that shall arise from the use of the service.
  - (1) This service is furnished solely for the telephone calling purposes of the caller.
  - (2) Provisions concerning limitations of liability and allowance for interruption of service are as set forth in Section A2 of this Tariff.
- e. This offering provides call completion on a Local Access and Transport Area (LATA) basis.
- f. Facilities will be rated based on one of the following provisioning methods:
  - (1) As specified in Section A20.7.2 or Section A20.7.3; or
  - (2) Verizon will provide call completion through its network rather than requiring a return facility from the Verizon OSS Tandem Switch to the MTSO.

A call completion Minute of Use (MOU) charge from the OSS Tandem Switch into the Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) is applicable as follows:

	<u>Rate</u>
(a) Per Minute of Use (MOU)	\$.02914

- g. To provide the customer with the name of the Operator Service Provider at the beginning of the call, the following Front-End Trunk-Side Branding Charges are applicable:

	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>
(1) Pre-branding Recording Session, per each recording session, per day	\$ 4,661.00	-
(2) Branding Phrase, per each custom branding phrase, per OSS Switch	80.00	-
(3) Per OSS Switch	-	\$ 259.00

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**A20.1 APPLICATION**

- .1 The interconnection arrangements described herein and their rates are applicable but not limited to duly authorized Cellular Mobile Carriers (CMC's), Radio Common Carriers (RCCs), Specialized Mobile Carriers (SMC), and other Private Land Mobile Radio Carriers (PLMRs) herein after referred to as the Carrier, engaged in the provision of land mobile radio service and/or one-way signaling service in the state of Florida.
- .2 These services are offered at the rates specified herein from central offices where necessary service options are available.
- .3 Bellcore Technical Reference TR-NPL-0-000145 establishes technical requirements and protocols for Type 1 and Type 2 interconnection.
- .4 The regulations, rates, and charges contained herein are in addition to the applicable regulations, rates, and charges specified in other sections of this Tariff.
- .5 This tariff is applicable only for those customers where no Interconnection Agreement is negotiated, in compliance with FCC Order 96-98, Docket 92-237, Sections 251 and 252. FCC rules described in 47 CFR Part 20 and 47 CFR 51.715 apply to the transport and termination of wireless traffic.

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**A20.2 GENERAL**

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- .1 Subject to the availability of facilities and the reasonable requirements of the Company for its telecommunications service, the Company will provide to the Carrier, upon request, those facilities and arrangements described herein which are necessary to establish the physical connection and interchange of traffic provided for herein and other facilities the Carrier may require for operation of its system such as remote transmitter and receiver links.
- .2 The facilities and arrangements, the location(s) of such connection(s), including maintenance and operating points of demarcation, and the additional facilities are provided for use in the Carrier's system.
- .3 DS1 service denotes a channel service expressed in terms of its digitally encoded data bit rate in accordance with a North American hierarchy of digital signal levels. It has a 1.544 Mbps transmission data rate and provides for the two-way simultaneous transmission of isochronous timed Bipolar Return-To-Zero (BPRZ) bit stream format. Unframed signal formats are not permitted or compatible with Company Equipment. The required format and specifications are contained in Bellcore Technical References 62508 and 62411.
- .4 Usage charges as specified in A20.6, will not apply to calls to Directory Assistance, calls to a Company operator or for 911 Emergency Service (where available).

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A20.2 GENERAL (Continued)

- .5 The facilities and services provided herein shall be used only for the handling of interchanged traffic originating or terminating on the Carrier's system in connection with the Carrier's authorized services.
- .6 The facilities or arrangements provided shall not be used, switched, or otherwise connected together by the Carrier for the provision of through calling from a land-line telephone to another land-line telephone, nor shall mobile interconnection be employed to avoid toll access charges through arrangements between mobile carriers and Interexchange carriers.
- .7 Any facility or arrangement provided under this Tariff shall be of the type normally utilized in the furnishing of the Company's telecommunications services including, but not limited to: effective two-wire and four-wire voice grade and voice grade data facilities, central office outpulsing facilities, and exchange access facilities. When nonstandard equipment or services such as transmission characteristics and signaling of a special type are requested, they may be provided via the special assembly process for each case as prescribed in Section A5., and the rates for these arrangements will be applied in addition to those applicable in this or other tariff sections.
- .8 Directory listings for the main subscriber to these services are provided in accordance with the regulations and rates prescribed in tariff Section A6. Clients of subscribers to these services are provided listings at the rates specified for Additional Main Listings-Business in Section A6.
- .9 The Company will cooperate with the Carrier in the planning and development of any necessary specialized telecommunications facilities or arrangements reasonably required for the provision of the Carriers service(s).
- .10 At the Carrier's request and at the discretion of the Company, subject to operating limits and the availability of facilities, these services may be provided from central offices other than the customer's serving central office. Where a trunk group is served from a central office other than the customer's normal serving central office, the appropriate mileage rates for Foreign Exchange or Interoffice Channel service, per facility, will apply. All mileage will be calculated as described in Section A26 of this Tariff.
- .11 Central office facilities and blocks of telephone numbers provided by the Company for the Carrier's use shall be assigned by the Company and may be changed to meet the reasonable operating and service requirements of the Company. The Carrier shall not acquire any proprietary interest in number assigned for use. Where such changes are to be made, the Company shall advise the Carrier in writing not less than sixty days in advance and will coordinate the changes with the Carrier.
- 12 The appropriate service charges in Section A4 apply to the establishment and rearrangement of services provided under this section. As stipulated in Docket No. 870675, nonrecurring connection charges shall be assessed to each mobile carrier that switches to either Type 1 or Type 2 interconnection as a result of rates set in that docket.
- .13 A uniform dialing rate is applicable to all Type 1 and Type 2 carriers for intraLATA calls originating on mobile networks. This usage rate per minute for all mobile traffic within the LATA is as specified in A20.6.c following.
- .14 Calls subject to Operator Assisted charges as defined in A3.11, local and long distance Verification and Emergency Interrupt Service as defined in A3.12 and A18.9, respectively, and local and long distance Directory Assistance Service as defined in A3.10 and A18.8, respectively, of this Tariff will be individually itemized on the Carrier's bill.

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**A20.3 MOBILE SERVICES DIAL LINES**

1. Mobile service dial lines are direct connections between a Carrier's point of termination and a Company end office. The Carrier establishes connections to other Company end offices and other Carriers through this interface. In addition, this form of interconnection allows the Carrier to establish connection to company operator services, directory assistance and 911 service (where available).
- .2 These services are offered at the rates specified herein. For the purposes of this Tariff section, dial line services are defined as line side connections that are two wire circuits, or their equivalence, using loop start, ground start or reverse battery supervision, with either dial pulse (DP) or dual tone multifrequency (DTMF) address pulsing.
- .3 These services may be arranged for one-way inward (to the Carrier), one-way outward (from the Carrier), or two-way service as follows:
  - a. Outward calls may use either dial pulse (DP) or dual tone multifrequency address pulsing.
  - b. Dual Tone Multifrequency is an available option for inward signaling to the Carrier only in those offices that are so suitably equipped.
- .4 The Carrier's equipment shall provide the necessary on-hook, off-hook, answer and disconnect signals.
- .5 At the Carrier's request and at the discretion of the Company, subject to the operating limits and availability of facilities, these services may be provided from central offices other than the Carrier's serving central office. When these lines are serviced from other than the Carrier's normal serving central office, appropriate mileage rates apply as per this Tariff.

**A20.4 TYPE 1 INTERCONNECTION**

- .1 A Type 1 interconnection is a direct trunk connection between a Carrier's point of termination and a Company end office. The carrier establishes connections to other Company end offices and other carriers through this interface. In addition, this form of interconnection is needed to establish connection to Company operator services, directory assistance, and E911 service (where available).
- .2 These services are offered at the rates specified herein from central offices where necessary service options are available. For the purposes of this Tariff section, Type 1 services are defined as: four wire circuits or their equivalence with MF address pulsing and E&M supervision.
- .3 These services may be arranged for one-way inward (to the Carrier), one-way outward (from the Carrier), and two-way central office trunk terminating equipment arranged for signaling to and/or from the Carrier as follows:
  - a. Trunk Type: Two-way, Four-wire, Wink Start only, trunk with Multifrequency (MF) Address Pulsing, and E&M Supervision.
  - b. Trunk Type: One-way Four-wire, Wink Start only trunk with Multifrequency (MF) Address Pulsing, and E&M Supervision.
  - c. Dual Tone Multifrequency is an available option for inward signaling to the carrier only in those offices that are suitably equipped.
- .4 When Direct-Inward-Dialing (DID) is furnished in conjunction with these services, it will be provided only from central offices where DID is offered and where adequate equipment is available.

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- .5 At the Carrier's request and at the discretion of the Company, subject to the operating limits and availability of facilities, these services may be provided from central offices other than the Carrier's serving central office. When trunks are served from other than the Carrier's normal serving central office, appropriate mileage rates apply as per this Tariff.
- .6 The Carrier's equipment shall provide the necessary on-hook, off-hook, answer, and disconnect supervision, and shall in all cases comply with the technical interconnection specification described in Bellcore Technical Reference TR-NPL-000145 or approved revisions.

**A20.5 TYPE 2 INTERCONNECTION**

- .1 Type 2A interconnection is a direct trunk connection between a Carrier's point of termination and an access tandem office or where conditions warrant a local tandem office arranged for either two-way calling or one-way calling in either originating or terminating directions. When one-way inward or two-way operation is used, a dedicated NXX code is required.
- .2 For purposes of this Tariff, Type 2A services are defined as trunk side connections to an access or, in some cases, local tandem offices which are four wire circuits using E & M supervision with the Multifrequency (MF) address pulsing.
- .3 Type 2B interconnection provides connection for Carriers to a Company end office via dedicated trunk facilities. With Type 2B interconnection, the Carrier is able to establish connection through the Company's facilities only to and from those valid central office prefixes (NXXs) served by the end office at which the Type 2B service is provided.
- .4 Availability of the Type 2A interconnection at a Company access tandem is dependent upon the Carrier's agreement to provide message peg counts to permit billing of the surrogate usage rate as defined in A20.6.4, Note 1 following.
- .5 The Carrier's equipment shall provide the necessary on-hook, off-hook, answer, and disconnect supervision, and shall in all cases comply with the technical interconnection specification described in Bellcore Technical Reference TR-NPL-000145 or approved revisions.
- .6 For purposes of this Tariff, Type 2B services are defined as trunk side connections to an end office that are four wire circuits using E & M supervision with multifrequency (MF) address pulsing.
- .7 Type 2T interconnection provides for a direct trunk connection between a Carrier's point of termination and an equal access tandem office. Type 2T interconnection is used for originating one-way calling to route equal access calls from the Carrier to an interexchange carrier.
- .8 For the purpose of this Tariff, Type 2T services are defined as trunk side connections to an equal access tandem. Type 2T services may be interconnected with two-wire, four-wire, or DS-1 circuits using E & M supervision with MF address pulsing.
- .9 Type 2A and Type 2T services are also available with Signaling System 7 (SS7) Out of Band Signaling.

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**A20.6 RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CARRIER AND THE COMPANY****.1 Intercept and Acknowledgement of Calls**

- a. The Carrier shall provide a voice intercept announcement or distinctive tone signal to the calling party when a call is directed to a number that is not assigned by the Carrier.
- b. The Carrier shall provide a voice announcement or distinctive tone signals to the calling party when a call intended to activate a signal in a paging receiver has been received.
- c. When the Carrier's terminal is not able to complete calls because of a malfunction in the terminal or other equipment, the Carrier shall either divert the call to its operator or provide a recorded announcement to the calling party advising that the call cannot be completed.
- d. The Carrier shall provide supervisory tones or voice announcements to the calling party on all calls, consistent with standard telephone industry practices.

**.2 Trouble Reporting**

- a. Subscribers of the Carrier shall report all cases of trouble to the Carrier. The Carrier shall handle such trouble reporting and advise the Company. The Company shall respond to trouble reports from mobile carriers on a high priority basis.

**.3 Maintenance of Records**

- a. The Carrier will keep adequate records of its operations and transactions under this Tariff and shall furnish to the Company such information as may be reasonably required for the administration of this Tariff.

**.4 Confidentiality of Information**

- a. The Company, in accepting data or information that a Carrier wishes held in confidence, agrees to employ security measures and practices that are sufficient to protect the confidentiality of the data or information.

(1) Security measures and practices are those normally employed by the Company within the scope of its authority.

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A20.7 RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)

.1 Mobile Services Dial Lines

a. Voice Grade Service

	Installation Charge	Monthly Rate
(1) Local Channel, Two or Four Wire, each	Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in Verizon Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).	
(2) DID Trunk Termination, each	\$ 50.00	\$ 69.60

b. DS-1 Service

(1) DS-1 service is available at the rates, terms, and conditions specified in Section A26 of this Tariff. In addition, the following rate shall apply when a DS-1 is activated.

(a) Digital trunk termination	-	\$ 71.20
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.2 Type 1 and Type 2 Facilities - Multifrequency (MF) Signaling

a. Voice Grade Service

	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rate
(1) Local Channel, Two or Four Wire, each	Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in Verizon Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).	
(2) Interoffice Channel, fixed and per mile	Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in Verizon Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).	
(3) Trunk termination (one per network access)	\$ 50.00	\$ 69.60

b. DS-1 Service

(1) DS1 service is available at the rates, terms and conditions specified in Section A26 of this Tariff. In addition, the following rate shall apply when a DS-1 is activated.

(a) Digital trunk termination (one per DS-1)	-	\$ 71.20
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.3 Type 2 Facilities - SS7 Out of Band Signaling

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a. Voice Grade Facilities

(1) Local Channel, Two or Four Wire, each	Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in GTE Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).	
(2) (Deleted)		
(3) Interoffice Channel, fixed or per mile	Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in GTE Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).	
(4) (Deleted)		
(5) Trunk termination (one per network access)	50.00	69.60

b. (Deleted)

c. The SS7 Out of Band Signaling option is provided in conjunction with Common Channel Signaling System 7 (CCSS7) Access Service. CCSS7 Access Service is provided at suitably equipped tandem switches pursuant to the rates, terms, and conditions set forth in the GTE Telephone Operating Companies Tariff FCC No. 1 (GTOC FCC No. 1).

d. DS-1 Service

(1) DS1 service is available at the rates, terms and conditions specified in Section A26 of this Tariff. In addition, the following rate shall apply when a DS-1 is activated.

(a) Digital trunk termination		
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**A20.7 RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)**

**.3 Type 2 Facilities - SS7 Out of Band Signaling**

**a. Voice Grade Facilities**

- (1) Local Channel, Two or Four Wire, each Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in Verizon Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).
- (2) Interoffice Channel, fixed or per mile Rates, terms and conditions as set forth in Verizon Florida, Inc. Facilities for Intrastate Access Tariff, Dedicated Access, Section 7.7.2(A).
- (3) Trunk termination (one per network access) \$ 50.00 \$ 69.60

b. The SS7 Out of Band Signaling option is provided in conjunction with Common Channel Signaling System 7 (CCS7) Access Service. CCS7 Access Service is provided at suitably equipped tandem switches pursuant to the rates, terms, and conditions set forth in the Verizon Telephone Operating Companies Tariff FCC No. 1 (GTOC FCC No. 1).

**c. DS-1 Service**

- (1) DS1 service is available at the rates, terms and conditions specified in Section A26 of this Tariff. In addition, the following rate shall apply when a DS-1 is activated.
  - (a) Digital trunk termination - \$ 71.20

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**A20.7 RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)**

**4 Network Usage (Types 1 and 2A)**

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a. The following usage charges are applicable to originating calls within the LATA.<sup>1</sup> Actual minutes of use will be accumulated for each call during the monthly billing period and the total rounded to the nearest minute. The usage charges will be based on the rounded total monthly minutes.

- (1) Per minute of use \$03140

b. For calls placed in the following listed time period, discounted charges are applicable as described following:<sup>1</sup>

- Time
- All Days, 8 p.m. - 9 a.m.
- Saturdays & Sundays 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.
- (1) Per Minute of Use \$02235

c. At the Carrier's option, and subject to availability of facilities, intraLATA toll calls and Extended Calling Service (ECS) calls that originate from landline telephones may be billed to the paging service provider at the following rate:

- (1) Per minute \$06300

- (a) The provision of this option is dependent upon the geographical area served, the location of the carrier's switch and the type of mobile interconnection being provided.
- (b) Due to provisioning requirements, a substantial ordering interval may be necessary to perform this billing arrangement for a carrier.
- (c) The service is provided on whole NXXs only. NXXs from which blocks of numbers have been pooled are not eligible for the service.
- (d) This option is not available if the paging service provider ports any of its numbers to another service provider.

**5 Network Usage (Type 2B)**

a. The following usage charges are applicable to originating calls within the local calling area.<sup>1</sup> Actual minutes of use will be accumulated for each call during the monthly billing period and the total rounded to the nearest minute. The usage charges will be based on the rounded total monthly minutes.

- (1) Per minute of use \$01610

b. For calls placed in the following listed time period, discounted charges are applicable as described following:<sup>1</sup>

- Time
- All Days, 8 p.m. - 9 a.m.
- Saturdays & Sundays 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.
- (1) Per minute of use \$01146

NOTE 1: Usage Rate Service will be offered in all cases where facilities permit; otherwise, in Company offices that are not equipped for measurement capabilities, an assumed average holding time of two minutes per message will be used when applying usage charges. For purposes of calculating discounted charges, the assumption will be made that 70 percent of all messages will be placed in the full rate period and 30 percent will be placed in the discounted rate period. The discounted rate period is as follows:

- All Days, 8:00 p.m. - 9:00 a.m.
- Saturdays & Sundays, 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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**A20.7 RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)**

**.7 Direct Inward Dialing Capability**

a. The following charges are applicable for establishment of inward dialing capability and the establishment of DID numbers.

	Installation Charge	Monthly Rate
(1) Establish trunk group and provide first group of 100 numbers (NDZ)	\$ 915.00	\$ -
(2) Each additional group of 100 numbers <sup>1</sup>	\$ 15.00	\$ -

**.8 Facilities between carrier switching/control locations and/or remote transmitter/receiver sites.**

See appropriate tariff section for Private Line Services, or may be provided via the Special Assembly process in Section A5.

**.9 Directory Assistance Charges:**

a. A charge as follows is applicable for each call to directory assistance except as noted below. (Maximum of two requested telephone numbers per call.)

(1) Directory Assistance Service

(a) Each Call Rate: \$ .40

b. In order to make allowance for a reasonable need for Directory Assistance Service, including numbers not in the same directory, directory inaccessibility and other similar conditions, no charge applies for the first three calls per month per individual line, PBX trunk line, dormitory communication station line or for the first call per month per Centrex/CentraNet<sup>®</sup> station line. The allowance is cumulative for all group billed services furnished to the same subscriber.

c. When a customer elects to have a call automatically completed to the number for which the Directory Assistance Listing was requested (Star Information Plus<sup>sm</sup>), a surcharge of 45 cents shall apply per call. The Star Information Plus<sup>sm</sup> (\*SIP) surcharge is in addition to any applicable Directory Assistance and/or intraLATA local or toll charges. Call allowances as specified in (b) preceding do not apply to \*SIP.

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<sup>1</sup> Only one installation charge is applicable for the activation of additional number groups when such groups are ordered and activated at the same time.

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A20. INTERCONNECTION OF MOBILE SERVICES

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(Reserved for Future Use)

.9 Directory Assistance Charges:

- a. A charge as follows is applicable for each call to directory assistance except as noted below. (Maximum of two requested telephone numbers per call.)
  - (1) Directory Assistance Service
    - (a) Each Call Rate: \$.40
- b. In order to make allowance for a reasonable need for Directory Assistance Service, including numbers not in the same directory, directory inaccessibility and other similar conditions, no charge applies for the first three calls per month per individual line, PBX trunk line, dormitory communication station line or for the first call per month per Centrex/CentraNet® station line. The allowance is cumulative for all group billed services furnished to the same subscriber.
- c. When a customer elects to have a call automatically completed to the number for which the Directory Assistance Listing was requested (Star Information Plus<sup>sm</sup>), a surcharge of 45 cents shall apply per call. The Star Information Plus<sup>sm</sup> (\*SIP) surcharge is in addition to any applicable Directory Assistance and/or intraLATA local or toll charges. Call allowances as specified in (b) preceding do not apply to \*SIP.

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A20.7 RATES AND CHARGES (Continued)

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.10 Star Information Plus<sup>sm</sup> (\*SIP)

- a. Star Information Plus<sup>sm</sup> (\*SIP) provides an incoming Directory Assistance customer requesting an intraLATA number a mechanized announcement offering call completion to the listed number requested. The call is completed on a sent-paid basis (paid for by the calling customer).
- b. The mechanized announcement will instruct the caller that for an additional charge he may have his call automatically completed by depressing a specific digit on the touch-tone key pad. All completed calls will be charged the \*SIP surcharge, in addition to any other appropriate charges. Customers may request blocking of \*SIP calls originating from their telephone lines by contacting the local Company business office.
- c. Star Information Plus<sup>sm</sup> (\*SIP) will only be furnished where facilities and operating conditions permit.
- d. The Telephone Company assumes no responsibility or liability for any errors in the information furnished. The caller shall indemnify the Telephone Company and hold it free and harmless of and from any and all claims, demands or damages that shall arise from the use of the service.
  - (1) This service is furnished solely for the telephone calling purposes of the caller.
  - (2) Provisions concerning limitations of liability and allowance for interruption of service are as set forth in Section A2 of this Tariff.
- e. This offering provides call completion on a Local Access and Transport Area (LATA) basis.
- f. Facilities will be rated based on one of the following provisioning methods:
  - (1) As specified in Section A20.7.2 or Section A20.7.3; or
  - (2) Verizon will provide call completion through its network rather than requiring a return facility from the Verizon OSS Tandem Switch to the MTSO.

A call completion Minute of Use (MOU) charge from the OSS Tandem Switch into the Public Switched Telephone Network (PSTN) is applicable as follows:

	Rate
<u>(a) Per Minute of Use (MOU)</u>	<u>\$.02914</u>

- g. To provide the customer with the name of the Operator Service Provider at the beginning of the call, the following Front-End Trunk-Side Branding Charges are applicable:

	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rate
<u>(1) Pre-branding Recording Session, per each recording session, per day</u>	<u>\$ 4,661.00</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>(2) Branding Phrase, per each custom branding phrase, per OSS Switch</u>	<u>80.00</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>(3) Per OSS Switch</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$ 259.00</u>

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