

LONG DISTANCE SERVICE

1. Two-Point Service

1.1 Classes of Service

Service is offered on a Station-to-Station basis. Day, Evening, Night/Weekend rates apply to all classes of service, excluding the operator service charges specified in 1.4.2, as follows:

1.1.1 All Classes of Service - Rate Periods

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thur.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.
8:00am to *5:00pm	Day Rate Period					Night/Weekend Rate Period	
5:00pm to *11:00pm	Evening Rate Period					Night/ Weekend Rate Period	Evening Rate Period
11:00pm to *8:00am	Night/Weekend Rate Period						

* To, but not including

1.1.2 The time (at the calling service point) at which connection is established governs.

1.3 Time of Day

The time when connection is established, as provided in 1.4, following, determined in accordance with the time - standard or daylight savings - legally or commonly in use at the location of the rate center of the calling service point, determines whether Day, Evening, or Night/Weekend rates apply.

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1. **Two-Point Service** (Cont'd)

1.4 **Rates**

The following rates apply to intrastate intraLATA business between service points within the designated LATAs in the State of Texas:

1.4.1 **Usage - All Classes of Service**

- (A) Initial period rates indicated in the rate table in 1.5 are for connections of one minute or any fraction thereof.
- (B) All additional minute rates indicated in the rate table in 1.5 are for each additional minute or any fraction thereof, that the connection continues beyond the initial period.
- (C) When the connection is established in one rate period and ends in another, the rate for each rate period applies to the portion of the connection occurring within that rate period. In the event that a minute of use is split between two rate periods, the rate in effect at the start of that minute applies.

1.4.2 **Service Charges**

- (A) The rates in (B), following, will apply on Operator Station-to-Station in addition to the rate as specified in 1.4.1, preceding. The charges in (B), following, do not apply to pay telephones. The service charges for calls placed from pay telephones can be found in the Company's Local or General Exchange Tariff.

In compliance with the Federal Communication Commission's order in Docket No. 90-571, released August 25, 1995, local Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS) calls made from payphones will be provided free of charge. Long distance TRS calls charged to a telephone company calling card will be provided at rates which do not exceed those that would apply to a similar non-TRS call made using coin sent-paid service.

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1.4 **Rates** (Cont'd)

1.4.2 **Services Charges** (Cont'd)

(B) Rates

<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>Rate Per Occurrence</u>
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STATION-TO-STATION SERVICE

Calling Card

Non-Automated	\$3.50
Semi-Automated	3.00
Fully Automated	2.50

Sent Paid

Non-Automated	\$3.95
Semi-Automated	3.95

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1. Two-Point Service (Cont'd)

1.4 Rates (Cont'd)

1.4.3 Discounted Rates Applicable to Messages Placed by Certified Hearing and/or Speech Disabled Residence Customers

- (A) Disabled persons who have been certified to the Company as having a hearing or speech impairment which necessitates that they communicate via a telecommunications device (e.g., teletypewriter or similar keyboard communications equipment) will receive, upon written application to the Company, a reduction on intrastate intraLATA Dial Station-to-Station calls placed from the premises of the certified residence account where the telecommunication device is located.
- (B) On directly dialed calls placed during the Day rate period, the existing intrastate intraLATA Evening rate will be applicable. On directly dialed calls placed during the Evening or Night/Weekend rate periods, the existing intrastate intraLATA Night/ Weekend rate will apply.
- (C) Certification of the hearing and/or speech disability requires the completion of an application form certified by a physician, otolaryngologist, audiologist, licensed speech-language pathologist or an authorized agency representing hearing and speech disabled individuals.
- (D) The Company Business Office, upon request, will provide a certification form for use by the applicant.

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1. Two-Point Service (Cont'd)

1.4 Rates (Cont'd)

1.4.4 Timing of Messages

- (A) On Station-to-Station calls, chargeable time begins when connection is established between the calling and the called service points, mobile telephone system or private exchange system.
- (B) Chargeable time ends when the connection is terminated at any point.
- (C) Chargeable time ends when the calling service point "hangs up" thereby releasing the network connection. If the called service point "hangs up" but the calling service point does not, chargeable time ends when the network connection is released either by automatic timing equipment in the telephone network or by the Company operator.
- (D) Chargeable time does not include time lost because of faults or defects in service.

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1.5 Rate Table

1.5.1 Dial Station-to-Station, Operator Station-to-Station

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	Rate Periods					
	Day		Evening		Night/Weekend	
Mileage Band	Initial Minute	Each Add'l Min	Initial Min	Each Add'l Min	Initial Min	Each Add'l Min
1 - 17	\$0.10	\$0.08	\$0.0750	\$0.060	\$0.060	\$0.048
18 - 22	\$0.15	\$0.12	\$0.1135	\$0.090	\$0.090	\$0.072
23 - 28	\$0.20	\$0.18	\$0.158	\$0.135	\$0.126	\$0.108
29 - 34	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.188	\$0.180	\$0.150	\$0.144
35 - 41	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.1860	\$0.186
Over 41	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.20	\$0.20

1.5.2 In addition to the basic rate schedule, listed in 1.5.1, Operator Service Charges as listed in 1.4.2 may apply. The service charges for calls placed from pay telephones, if applicable, can be found in the Company's Local or General Exchange Tariff.

1.5.3 The rates listed in 1.5.1 do not apply to services from pay telephones.

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2. Special Reduced Rates

2.1 Rates Applicable on Certain Holidays

On Christmas Day (December 25) and on New Year's Day (January 1), Independence Day (July 4), Thanksgiving Day and Labor Day and on resulting legal holidays when Christmas, New Year's or Independence Day legal holidays fall on dates other than December 25, January 1 or July 4, the holiday rate applicable on all classes of two-point LDMTS between intraLATA service points within the State of Texas, is the Evening rate, unless a lower rate would normally apply. Discounts do not apply to service charges as specified in 1.4.2.

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