

SOUTH DAKOTA SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICES

A. CONCURRENCE IN RATES, TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LOCAL  
EXCHANGE CARRIER ASSOCIATION, INC. TARIFF NO. 1

1. Northern Valley Communications, LLC concurs in the current rates, terms and conditions, except as noted below, of Local Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff No. 1 governing Intrastate Access Service as filed by the Local Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. in the State of South Dakota. The only exceptions to this concurrence are the attached pages 17-1, 17-4, and 17-4.1, which replace the current Local Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. Tariff No. 1 pages 17-1 and 17-4 through 17-4.27. (T)  
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2. Northern Valley Communications, LLC hereby expressly reserves the right to cancel or void this statement of concurrence at any time consistent with state law and the best interests of Northern Valley Communications, LLC by filing a replacement tariff with the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission.

Check Sheet

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17. Rates and Charges

17.1 Common Line Access Service

17.1.1 Carrier Common Line Access Service

Rate

Regulations concerning Carrier Common Line Access are set forth in Section 3. Preceding.

Per Access Minute - Originating

See Note 1

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17.1.2 Reserved for Future Use

17.2 Switched Access Service

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17.2.1 Nonrecurring Charges

Rate

(A) Local Transport Element-  
Installation Per Line or Trunk

\$295.00

(B) Reserved for Future Use

(C) Interim NXX Translation Per Order

\$181.00

Per LATA or Market Area

(M)

**NOTE 1:** Based on the RM05-002 rules adopted April 19, 2011, by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission, Northern Valley Communications, LLC will bill \$0.06042 per switched access minute of use for Originating switched access minutes. This rate mirrors the intrastate switched access rate of the Regional Bell Operating Company operating in South Dakota as required by rule changes for RM05-002 which became effective May 30, 2011.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2.2 Traffic Sensitive

Local Switching (End Office)

Per Access Minute - Originating See Note 1 (T)  
Per Access Minute – Terminating See Note 2 (N)

End Office Shared Port

Per Access Minute – Terminating See Note 2 (N)

Local Transport (Originating) (T)

Per Access Minute - Originating See Note 1 (T)

Tandem Switched Transport (Terminating) (N)

Per Access Minute, Per Mile – Terminating See Note 2  
Per Access Minute, Fixed – Terminating See Note 2

Common Transport Multiplexing

Per Access Minute – Terminating See Note 2 (N)

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**NOTE 2:** These rates are based on the rules outlined in 47 CFR §51.911 of the Federal Communications Commerce (FCC) Rules and Regulations. Northern Valley Communications, LLC will bill its interstate switched access rates per its effective Tariff F.C.C. NO 3, Section 7.2.2. These rates mirror the South Dakota Regional Bell Operating Company's interstate switched access rates. (N)

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17. <u>Rates and Charges</u> (Cont'd)			(N)
17.2.2 <u>Traffic Sensitive</u> (Cont'd)			(N)
<u>Network Blocking Per Blocked Call</u>			(M)
Applies to FGD only	\$0.0271		
<u>8XX Data Base Query Service</u>			
Per Query			
Basic	\$0.0079		
Vertical Feature	\$0.0082		(M)

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