

Response of Matrix Telecom, Inc.  
TC12-121 Data Request

- 1-1) Please submit the pages of Matrix Telecom's interstate tariff on file with the FCC which verify the interstate access charges OR provide a link where these can be accessed online.

**Response:** Please see Attachment I for the current FCC Tariff section that covers interstate service within South Dakota. The tariff can also be found through the following link, <https://apps.fcc.gov/etfs/public/tariff.action?idTariff=517>

- 1-2) Please provide all calculations used to derive the new rates implemented with this filing. If any estimating was done, provide justification for these estimates.

**Response:** Please see Attachment II for the calculations utilized in the Matrix reduction.

- 1-3) Please submit requests for waiver of ARSD 20:10:29:10, ARSD 20:10:29:12, and ARSD 20:10:29:16, as the amended tariff calls for unequal originating and terminating charges.

**Response:** Please see Attachment III for revised tariff pages that amend the proposed filing to make the originating and terminating access rates equal. The usage for Matrix in the state does not warrant the need for the waiver of the specific ARSD rules.

- 1-4) Is Matrix Telecom benchmarked to Price Cap Carrier or Rate of Return Carrier at the interstate level?

**Response:** Matrix is neither a Price Cap and/or Rate of Return Carrier under FCC Guidelines. Matrix is aligning its interstate access rate transition with Price Capped carriers 6 year transition to bill and keep.