

**A42. INTRABUILDING NETWORK CABLE**

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**42.1 GENERAL**

42.1.1 APPLICABILITY

Applicable to the consultation, design, installation, rearrangement, repair and maintenance of Intra-building Network Cable (INC).

42.1.2 TERRITORY

Within the SureWest Telephone exchange area as said area is defined on a map filed as part of the tariff schedules. (T)

**42.2 RATES**

Consultation/Design, Installation, Repair and Maintenance of new INC and/or rearrangements of existing INC.

|   | <u>RATE</u> |
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| (A) EACH HOUR OR FRACTION THEREOF   |             |
| (1) Normal hours (Weekdays 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., except holidays)                 | \$60.00     |
| (2) Overtime hours (Weekdays 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m. and Saturdays, except holidays) | 90.00       |
| (3) Premium hours (Sundays and holidays observed by the Utility)                    | 120.00      |
| (B) UTILITY PROVIDED MATERIAL PRICE   | ICB         |

**42.3 SPECIAL CONDITIONS**

42.3.1 RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CUSTOMER

- (A) The customer (property owner/landlord/agent who is not necessarily the subscriber to any particular Utility network service) is responsible for installation, design and maintenance of INC, and may choose a source for installation and repair other than the Utility.
- (B) Where the property owner chooses not to install or maintain INC, the Utility will install INC as the "vendor of last resort", provided the building owner pays rates and charges specified in this tariff and such installation is in accordance with the tariff provisions.

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42.3 SPECIAL CONDITIONS - (Cont'd)

42.3.1 RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CUSTOMER - (Cont'd)

- (C) INC is the telecommunications infrastructure located on the customer's side of the LLDP that connects the end of the Utility's local loop to floor terminal(s) within a customer's building or to another building on a customer's continuous property.
- (D) The customer assumes all liability for mistakes, omissions, interruptions, delays, errors, or defects in, and injury, loss or damage arising out of, resulting from or in connection with the INC infrastructure (individually and collectively referred to in the tariff as "liabilities"). The Utility has no liability for any INC infrastructure for which the customer has responsibility under this tariff, and the customer indemnifies the Utility against any liabilities.

42.3.2 LIMITATIONS

- (A) The services offered in accordance with this schedule are optional services. Arranging for installation, maintenance and repair cable, wire, jacks and distribution terminals is the responsibility of the building owner. A building owner may choose a source for installation, maintenance and repair other than the Utility.
- (B) The Utility will not be required to provision its services over INC that does not meet national, state, and local industry minimum safety, transmission, installation, and material quality standards. INC shall meet the technical specification and standards outlined by the following industry groups:
  - American National Standards Institute (ANSI)
  - National Electric Code (NEC)
  - Underwriter's Laboratories (UL)
  - Building Industry Consulting Service International (BICSI)
  - American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)
  - Institute of Electronics and Electrical Engineering (IEEE)
  - Electronic Industries Association (EIA)
  - Telecommunications Industries Association (TIA)
  - National Electrical Manufacturer's Association (NEMA)
  - Insulated Cable Engineering Association (ICEA)
  - National Electrical Safety Code (NESC)
  - National Recognized Testing Laboratories (NRTL)
- (C) INC cable products shall be manufactured to and used in accordance with industry standards as identified above.

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42.3 SPECIAL CONDITIONS - (Cont'd)

42.3.2 LIMITATIONS - (Cont'd)

- (D) The Utility is granted the right of access to the customer-owned/provided INC and the right to use pairs in such cable without charge to enable the Utility to provide and maintain the Utility's network services. The Utility will provide verbal notice to the property owner to arrange for access to the facilities.
- (E) If the building owner does not allow the Utility the right to use sufficient pairs in the customer-owned/provided INC without charge, or does not request that the Utility install the necessary cable to serve the Utility's customers, the Utility is not required to provide network services to reach such customers.
- (F) The Local Loop and INC demarcation points define the beginning and end of the INC and are applicable to both PBX and Centrex services. As the wire pairs in INC can be used for both, customers for these services will be treated alike for demarcation point purposes.

42.3.3 RATE REGULATIONS

- (A) Services of customers who receive installation, maintenance or repair of INC may be disconnected for non-payment of applicable rates and charges. Building owners who are not also customers will be subject to all legal remedies for non-payment including reasonable attorney fees and court costs.
- (B) If the customer cancels the order after work has begun, the Utility will charge the customer for any costs or expenses incurred prior to the receipt of the cancellation notice, not to exceed the estimated charge.
- (C) At the customer's request, the Utility will, where possible, repair or replace substandard INC to meet the established standards and needs of the requested service. The charges will be on a time and material basis.

42.3.4 FEATURE/SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS

(A) COMPLEX INSIDE WIRING

Telephone wire which connects station components to each other or to common equipment of PBX or Key System.

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42.3.4 FEATURE/SERVICE DESCRIPTIONS - (Cont'd)

(B) INDUSTRY STANDARD WIRE/CABLE

Wiring which conforms with industry standards and is installed in accordance with FCC guidelines as identified in "Limitations", 42.3.2 preceding.

(C) INTRA-BUILDING NETWORK CABLE (INC)

Consist of sheathed cable located on the customer's side of the Local Loop Demarcation Point which may run vertically (riser cable) or horizontally (lateral cable) within a building or between buildings.

(D) LATERAL CABLE

See Intra-building Network Cable

(E) NETWORK TERMINATING WIRE

The wire between the Utility's protected terminal and the Standard Network Interface (SNI). This also includes wire that connects the building entrance terminal to the Utility placed network access termination. This wire connection is called a cross connect.

(F) RISER CABLE

See Intra-building Network Cable

(G) SIMPLE INSIDE WIRE

Non-system premise telephone wiring, including associated jacks on the customer side of the Local Loop Demarcation Point or Intra-building Network Cable Demarcation Point.

(H) UTILITY PROVIDED MATERIAL PRICES

Utility material charges will include but are not limited to cost of material, taxes, freight charges and delivery to the customer premises.

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