
SECTION 1 - DEFINITIONS

Authorized User - A person, firm, corporation or other entity who is authorized by the Customer to be connected to the service of the Customer under the terms and regulations of this tariff.

Available Usage Balance - The amount of usage remaining on a Debit Account at any particular point in time. Each Debit Account begins with an initial usage amount which is depleted as services provided by the Company are utilized by the Customer.

Business Service - A switched network service that provides for dial station communications that is described as a business or commercial rate.

Business Customer - A Business Customer is a Customer who subscribes to the Company's Service(s) and whose primary use of the Service is of a business, professional, institutional, or otherwise occupational nature.

Company - Used throughout this tariff to refer to TC3 Telecom, Inc., unless otherwise clearly indicated by the context.

Debit Account - An account which consists of a pre-paid usage balance depleted on a real time basis during each Debit Service Call.



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End User - Any person, firm, corporation, partnership or other entity which uses the services of the Company under the provisions and regulations of this tariff. The End User is responsible for payment unless the charges for the services utilized are accepted and paid by another Customer.

Holidays - Holidays observed by the Company as specified in this tariff.

LATA - Means the local access and transport area as defined in *United States v American Telephone and Telegraph Co.*, 569 F.Supp. 990 (D.D.C. 1983).

Personal Account Code - A pre-defined series of numbers to be dialed by the Customer or Authorized User upon access to the Carrier's network which identifies the Debit Account from which charges for service shall be debited and which validates the caller's authorization to use the services provided.

Renewal - A method of replenishing a Debit Account's Available Usage Balance with additional minutes of use as authorized and paid for by the Customer.

Residential Customer - A Residential Customer is a person to whom telecommunications services are furnished by the Company predominantly for personal or domestic purposes at the person's dwelling.

Switched Access - A method for reaching the Company through the local switched network whereby the End User uses standard business or residential local lines.



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