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Ms. Beth W. Salak, Director
Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Dear Ms. Salak:

Attached are copies of the following tariff pages from our General Services Tariff:

General Services, Section A10

3rd Revised Page 91
3rd Revised Page 92

The purpose of this filing is to come into compliance with the FCC regulation on the application of subscriber line charges on derived services. In addition, this filing will apply a product credit equivalent to 22 subscriber line charges, which will effectively keep the customers at same overall cost of their services.

If you require additional information, please contact Carlton A. Ball at (813) 483-2529.

Sincerely,
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Attachments

A10. DIGITAL NETWORK SERVICES

A10.12 CYBERDS1 SERVICE

.1 General

- a. CyberDS1 Service provides network dial tone service between a customer's premises and the local serving office on a channelized basis (DS0) over a single high-capacity (DS1) digital facility that terminates on the trunk side of the switch in the local serving office. CyberDS1 is available for data dialed access use. CyberDS1 may be provided from a foreign exchange to the customer's local exchange at the customer's request on an ICB basis.
- b. CyberDS1 is provided in capacity increments of 24 digital channels within a single DS1 (1.544 Mbps) signal.
- c. CyberDS1 provides a trunkside DS1 connection with 24 channels. CyberDS1 does not provide the function of analog to digital (or vice versa) conversions and no service types can be specified on the DS1.
- d. CyberDS1 is comprised of a CyberDS1 Capacity component:
 - (1) The CyberDS1 Capacity will be at the rates and charges as specified in Section A10.12.6 of this Tariff.
 - (2) CyberDS1 customers will have to select capacity in increments of 24 digital channels.
- e. Customer will be offered CyberDS1 on a month-to-month basis, a 12-, 24-, or 36-month Term Commitment or a Term and Volume Plan (TVP).

.2 Digital Architecture

- a. CyberDS1 differs in provisioning method and numbering format from end-to-end services. These services will be available from the Company on a link (partial channel) basis rather than as an end-to-end service. This architecture is intended to promote more efficient connectivity of analog and digital networks.
- b. The time required to provision service is known as the service date interval. The service date interval for CyberDS1 and related network services connected to CyberDS1 will differ from the normal guidelines applicable to end-to-end services.
- c. CyberDS1 will be available on a digital basis at the network interface on a customer's premises. Both the Company and the customer have joint responsibilities to ensure the proper transmission of the provided services. Normal analog channel network interface specifications will be superseded by the electrical specifications on the 1.544 Mbps (DS1) channel which is actually terminated. Each digital channel provided will have an identity only as a "time slot" within a DS1 Channel. Compatible digital to analog conversion equipment must be provided by the customer to derive the desired analog services. Any Channel Service Units (CSUs) necessary for digital services are the responsibility of the customer.

.3 Definitions

Channel Service Unit (CSU). The term CSU denotes network channel terminating equipment provided by the customer to terminate digital channel facilities on a customer's or user's premises.

CyberDS1 Capacity. A DS1 signal between the customer premises and the central office. This digital link can be used to transport switched data services. CyberDS1 is available in increments of 24 digital channels.

CyberDS1 Product Credit A credit equal to 100% of the applicable interstate Subscriber Line Charge will be applied to 22 of the 24 channels. (N)
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DS0. The term DS0 denotes a channel service expressed in terms of its digitally encoded data bit rate in accordance with the North American hierarchy of digital signal levels. It is generally referred to as having a 64 Kbps transmission bit rate signal; however, customer transmitted bit rates are limited to 56 Kbps. The required format and interface specifications are stated in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual.

DS1. The term DS1 denotes a channel service expressed in terms of its digitally encoded bit rate in accordance with the North American hierarchy of digital signal levels. It has a 1.544 Mbps transmission data rate and provides for the two-way simultaneous transmission of isochronous timed bit stream format. Unframed signal formats are not permitted or compatible with Company equipment. The required format and interface specifications are stated in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual.

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A10.12 CYBERDS1 SERVICE (Continued)

.4 Regulations

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- b. CyberDS1 is available within an exchange where appropriate digital facilities are available as determined by the Company. Service inquiries will be necessary to determine availability. Special Construction Charges as specified in Section A5 of this Tariff may be applicable.
- c. All CyberDS1 must be channelized in a single equipment location on a customer's premises. CyberDS1 cannot be split between premises, or multiple locations within a premise. Standard network interfaces, without Integrated Services Digital Network (ISDN) signaling and without any line type features, will be provided by the Company for analog and digital services consistent with existing practices.
- d. The technical specifications and standard network interface for DS1 and associated channelized services are stated in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual.

.5 Application of Rates

- a. The CyberDS1 Capacity rate is applicable to each CyberDS1.
- b. The CyberDS1 Capacity element provides for the network facility to the customer premises and the central office channelization.
- c. CyberDS1 Service is available on a month-to-month basis or on a 12-, 24-, or 36-month term commitment or term and volume plan (TVP). Changes between service periods (i.e., month-to-month, term commitment plan, or TVP) will incur a Service Charge as specified in Section A4, of this Tariff.

TVP customers may change the number of CyberDS1s during the term period. In the event customers under a TVP make subsequent CyberDS1 increases or decreases that cause the total number of CyberDS1s to fall within a different threshold level, all remaining CyberDS1s will be billed at the applicable level rate for the remainder of the term period. TVP customers may not change to a month-to-month or term commitment offering and must maintain the minimum threshold of six (6) CyberDS1s for the term period to avoid incurring termination liability charges. Customers on a term commitment plan may convert to a TVP without incurring termination liability charges provided the new TVP length is equal to or greater than the existing term commitment plan and the customer has less than 12 months remaining on their existing term commitment plan.

- d.. Transfer of service responsibility between customers is permitted subject to the rules and regulations as specified in Section A2.3.6 of this Tariff.
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- f.. Unless specified herein, rules and regulations contained elsewhere in this Tariff are also applicable to CyberDS1 Service. (N)

.6 Rates and Charges

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>IOSC</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	<u>IOSC</u>
CyberDS1 Capacity, each	\$750.00	00148	\$500.00	00149
a. Term Commitment				
1-Year Term Commitment *	\$725.00		\$500.00	
2-Year Term Commitment *	675.00		500.00	
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