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Re: SelecTel Corporation Docket No. 960637-TI

Dear Commission:

Pursuant to Staff request, enclosed for filing are the original and six (6) copies of SelecTel Corporation's corrected tariff sheets. Please note that the deletion of Section 2.12, Specific Regulations Governing SelecTel 800 Services has forced sheet re-numbering from sheet 12 to the end of the tariff. The corrected sheets are as follows:

		Sheet	2:	Amended Check Sheet;
		Sheet	3:	Amended Table of Contents;
		Sheet	4:	Amendment to Symbol T text;
		Sheet		- '' '' '' '' '' '' '' '' '' '' '' '' ''
		Sheet	12:	Deletion of Section 2.12; renumbering of subsequent rules;
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### CHECK SHEET

Sheets 1 through 23, inclusive, of this tariff are effective as of the date shown at the bottom of the respective sheet(s). Original and revised sheets as named below comprise all changes from the original tariff and are currently in effect as of the date on the bottom of this page.

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# SYMBOLS

The following are the only symbols used for the purposes indicated below:

- D Delete or discontinue.
- I Change resulting in an increase to a customer's bill.
- M Moved from another tariff location.
- N New.
- R Change resulting in a reduction to a customer's bill.
- T Change in text or regulation but no change in rate or charge.

#### SECTION 1 - TECHNICAL TERMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

Access Line - An arrangement which connects the customer's location to a SelecTel Corporation switching center or point of presence.

Authorized User - A person, firm, corporation, or any other entity authorized by the Customer to communicate utilizing the Carrier's service.

**Carrier or Company -** Whenever used in this tariff, "Carrier," "Company," or "SelecTel" refers to SelecTel Corporation unless otherwise specified or clearly indicated by the context.

Commission - The Florida Public Service Commission.

**Customer** - The person, firm, corporation, or other entity which orders, cancels, amends, or uses service and is responsible for payment of charges and compliance with the Company's tariff.

Day - From 8:00 a.m. up to but not including 5:00 p.m. local time Monday through Friday.

Evening - From 5:00 p.m. up to but not including 11:00 p.m. local time Sunday through Friday.

FPSC - The Florida Public Service Commission.

LEC - Local Exchange Company.

Night/Weekend - From 11:00 p.m. up to but not including 8:00 a.m. Sunday through Friday, and 8:00 a.m. Saturday up to but not including 5:00 p.m. Sunday.

SelecTel - Used throughout this tariff to mean SelecTel Corporation unless clearly indicated otherwise by the text.

Switched Access Origination - Where originating access between the customer and the interexchange carrier is provided on local exchange company Feature Group circuits.

# SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, CONT.

# 2.12 Interconnection

Service furnished by SelecTel may be connected with the services or facilities of other carriers or enhanced service providers. The customer is responsible for all charges billed by these entities for use in connection with SelecTel's service. Any special interface equipment or facilities necessary to achieve compatibility between these entities is the responsibility of the customer.

### 2.13 Refusal or Discontinuance by Company

SelecTel may refuse or discontinue service under the following conditions provided that, unless otherwise stated, the Customer shall be given 15 days' written notice to comply with any rule or remedy any deficiency:

(a) For non-compliance with or violation of any State, municipal, or Federal law, ordinance or regulation pertaining to telephone service.

(b) For use of telephone service for any other property or purpose than that described in the application.

(c) For neglect or refusal to provide reasonable access to SelecTel or its agents for the purpose of inspection and maintenance of equipment owned by SelecTel or its agents.

(d) For noncompliance with or violation of Commission regulation or SelecTel's rules and regulations on file with the Commission, provided five days' written notice is given before termination.

(e) For nonpayment of bills, provided that suspension or termination of Lervice shall not be made without five days' written notice to the Customer, except in extreme cases.

(f) Without notice in the event of Customer or Authorized User use of equipment in such a manner as to adversely affect SelecTel's equipment or service to others.

(g) Without notice in the event of tampering with the equipment or services owned by SelecTel or its agents.

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#### SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, CONT.

#### 2.13 Refusal or Discontinuance by Company, cont.

(h) Without notice in the event of unauthorized or fraudulent use of service. Whenever service is discontinued for fraudulent use of service, SelecTel may, before restoring service, require the Customer to make, at his or her own expense, all changes in facilities or equipment necessary to eliminate illegal use and to pay an amount reasonably estimated as the loss in revenues resulting from such fraudulent use.

(i) Without notice by reason of any order or decision of a court or other government authority having jurisdiction which prohibits Carrier from furnishing such services.

(j) For extended periods of inactivity.

#### 2.14 Interruption of Service

Credit allowances for interruptions of service which are not due to the Carrier's testing or adjusting, to the negligence of the Customer, or to the failure of channels, equipment or communications systems provided by the Customer, are subject to the general liability provisions set forth in Section 2.4 herein. It shall be the obligation of the Customer to notify Carrier immediately of any interruption in service for which a credit allowance is desired by Customer. Before giving such notice, Customer shall ascertain that the trouble is not within his or her control, or is not in wiring or equipment, if any, furnished by Customer and connected to Carrier's Interruptions caused by Customer-provided or terminal. Carrier-provided automatic dialing equipment are not deemed an interruption of service as defined herein since the Customer has the option of using the long distance network via local exchange company access.

# 2.15 Restoration of Service

The use and restoration of service shall be in accordance with the rules and regulations of the FPSC.

### SECTION 2 - RULES AND REGULATIONS, CONT.

#### 2.16 Inspection, Testing, and Adjustment

Upon reasonable notice, the facilities provided by the Carrier shall be made available to the Carrier for tests and adjustments as may be deemed necessary by the Carrier for maintenance. No interruption allowance will be granted for the time during which such tests and adjustments are made.

### 2.17 Cost of Collection and Repair

The Customer is responsible for any and all costs incurred in the collection of monies due the Carrier including legal and accounting expenses. Customer is also responsible for recovery costs of Carrier-provided equipment and any expenses required for repair or replacement of damaged equipment.

# 2.18 Late Fee

A late fee of 1.5% monthly will be charged on any past due balances beginning 30 days from the mailing date of the bill.

#### 2.19 Return Check Charges

A fee of \$15.00, or five percent of the amount of the check, whichever is greater, will be charged for each check returned for insufficient funds.

#### 2.20 Reconnection Charge

A reconnection fee of \$25.00 per occurrence is charged when service is re-established for customers who have been disconnected for non-payment.

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### SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE

# 3.1 Timing of Calls

- 3.1.1 Long distance usage charges are based on the actual usage of SelecTel's network. The Company will determine that a call has been established when the called party's station answers. When the station answers is determined by hardware answer supervision, through which the local telephone company sends a signal to indicate an answer. A call is terminated when either party hangs up.
- 3.1.2 Minimum billed call duration and billing increments differ from product to product. Product-specific information is included 4.0 Rate Schedules.
- 3.1.3 Usage is measured and rounded to the next higher increment for billing purposes.
- 3.1.4 There is no billing applied for incomplete calls.

#### SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE, CONT.

### 3.2 Minimum Call Completion Rate

SelecTel relies upon its underlying carrier to provide a call completion rate (number of calls completed/number of calls attempted) of not less than 90% during peak use periods for all FGD services ("1+" dialing).

# 3.3 SelecTel's Direct Dialed Long Distance Service

SelecTel's direct dialed long distance service is a switched service offered to residential and business customers for calling within the state of Florida. Calls are billed in six second increments, with an 18 second minimum initial period.

# 3.4 SelecTel's Switched 800 Service

SelecTel's 800 Service is a switched service offered to residential and business customers for calling within the state of Florida. Calls are billed per hour of accumulated usage. Calls are timed in single second increments, with an 30 second minimum. Total monthly usage is rounded up to the next six minute increment. Monthly recurring charges apply.

#### 3.5 SelecTel's Special Access Long Distance Service

SelecTel's special access service is offered for inbound and outbound dedicated calling within the state of Florida. Access is made via dedicated special access channels. Charges for the special access channel are determined by the special access provider, and may be billed by the access provider directly to the end user or by SelecTel as part of the long distance bill.

3.5.1 Outbound Long Distance

> Calls are billed in six second increments, with an 18 second minimum initial period.

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### SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE, CONT.

# 3.5 SelecTel's Special Access Long Distance Service

3.5.2 Inbound (800) Service

Calls are billed per hour of accumulated usage. Each call is timed to the nearest second, with a thirty second minimum. Total monthly usage is rounded up to the next six minute increment. Monthly recurring charges apply.

### 3.6 Calling Card Service

SelecTel's calling card service is offered on a per call basis to customers within the state of Florida. Calls are billed in six second increments, with an 18 second minimum initial period. A per call set up charge also applies.

#### SECTION 3 - DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE, CONT.

### 3.7 Calculation of Distance

Usage charges for all mileage sensitive products are based on the airline distance between the serving wire center locations associated with the originating and terminating points of the call.

The distance between the originating and terminating points is calculated by using the "V" and "H" coordinates of the serving wire centers as defined by BellCore (Bell Communications Research), in the following manner:

Step 1 - Obtain the "V" and "H" coordinates for the serving wire center of the Customer's switch and the destination point.

Step 2 - Obtain the difference between the "V" coordinates of each of the serving wire centers. Obtain the difference between the "H" coordinates.

Step 3 - Square the differences obtained in Step 2.

Step 4 - Add the squares of the "V" difference and "H" difference obtained in Step 3.

Step 5 - Divide the sum of the square obtained in Step 4 by ten (10). Round to the next higher whole number if any fraction results from the division.

Step 6 - Obtain the square root of the whole number obtained in Step 5. Round to the next higher whole number if any fraction is obtained. This is the distance between the originating and terminating serving wire centers of the call.

Formula:

 $(V_1 - V_2)^2 + (H_1 - H_2)^2$ 10

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# SECTION 4 - RATES

#### 4.0 Rates

### 4.1 General

Each Customer is charged individually for each call placed through the Carrier. Rates vary with time of day and call duration.

Customers are billed based on their use of SelecTel's long distance service. Monthly recurring charges may also apply.

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#### SECTION 4 - RATES, CONT.

### 4.0 Rates, cont.

# 4.2 Direct Dialed Long Distance (Switched Access)

DAYTIME RATES

	Initial	Each add'l
Rate Mileage	18 seconds	<u>6 seconds</u>
0 - 292	\$0.0705	\$0.0235
293 - 430	\$0.0705	\$0.0235
431 - 9999	\$0.0705	\$0.0235
EVENING RATES		
	Initial	Each add'l
Rate Mileage	18 seconds	<u>6 seconds</u>
0 - 292	\$0.0618	\$0.0206
293 - 430	\$0.0618	\$0.0206
431 - 9999	\$0.0618	\$0.0206
NIGHT/WEEKEND RATES		
-9	Initial	Each add'l
Rate Mileage	18 seconds	6 seconds
0 - 292	\$0.0618	\$0.0206
293 - 430	\$0.0618	\$0.0206
431 - 9999	\$0.0618	\$0.0206

### 4.3 Switched 800 Service

DAYTIME RATES - All Mileage Bands

Each Hour: \$15.29

EVENING RATES - All Mileage Bands

Each Hour: \$14.82

NIGHT/WEEKEND RATES - All Mileage Bands

Each Hour: \$14.82

Monthly Charge: \$20.00

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# SECTION 4 - RATES, CONT.

# 4.0 Rates, cont.

#### 4.4 Special Access Service - Outbound Long Distance

DAYTIME RATES

	Initial	Each add'l		
<u>Rate Mileage</u>	18 seconds	6 seconds		
0 - 292	\$0.0456	\$0.0152		
293 - 430	\$0.0456	\$0.0152		
431 - 9999	\$0.0456	\$0.0152		
EVENING RATES				
	Initial	Each add'l		
<u>Rate Mileage</u>	18 seconds	<u>6 seconds</u>		
0 - 292	\$0.0357	\$0.0119		
293 - 430	\$0.0357	\$0.0119		
431 - 9999	\$0.0357	\$0.0119		
NIGHT/WEEKEND RATES				
	Initial	Each add'l		
<u>Rate Mileage</u>	18 seconds	<u>6 seconds</u>		
0 - 292	\$0 0357	\$0.0119		
293 - 430	\$0.0357	\$0.0119		
431 - 9999	\$0.0357	\$0.0119		

# 4.5 Special Access Service - Inbound (800) Long Distance

DAYTIME RATES - All Mileage Bands Each Hour: \$9.15

EVENING RATES - All Mileage Bands Each Hour: \$7.72

NIGHT/WEEKEND RATES - All Mileage Bands Each Hour: \$5.61

Monthly Charge: \$50.00

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# SECTION 4 - RATES, CONT.

# 4.0 Rates, cont.

# 4.6 Calling Card Service

DAYTIME RATES - All Mileage Bands

Initial	Each add'l				
18 seconds	6 seconds				
\$0.0705	\$0.0235				

EVENING RATES - All Mileage Bands

Initial	Each add'l				
18 seconds	6 seconds				
\$0.0618	\$0.0206				

NIGHT/WEEKEND RATES - All Mileage Bands

Initial	Each add'l
18 seconds	6 seconds
\$0.0618	\$0.0206

Set Up Fee (per call): \$.40

# 4.7 Directory Assistance

Per call: \$.65

### SECTION 4 - RATES, CONT.

#### 4.0 Rates, cont.

### 4.8 Exemptions and Special Rates

4.8.1 Discounts for Hearing Impaired Customers

A telephone toll message which is communicated using a telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) by properly certified hearing or speech impaired persons or properly certified business establishments or individuals equipped with TDDs for communicating with hearing or speech impaired persons will receive, upon request, credit on charges for certain intrastate toll calls placed between TDDs. The credit to be given on a subsequent bill for such calls placed between TDDs will be equal to applying the evening rate during business day hours and the night/weekend rate during the evening rate period. Discounts do not apply to surcharges or per call add on charges for operator service when the call is placed by a method that would normally incur the surcharge.

#### 4.8.2 Directory Assistance for Handicapped Persons

There is no charge for Directory Assistance for calls from handicapped persons, with a maximum of 50 inquiries per monthly billing cycle. Such persons must contact the Company for credit on their directory assistance calls.

4.8.3 Telecommunications Relay Service

Intrastate toll calls received from the relay services will be discounted fifty percent (50%) off of the otherwise applicable rate for a voice nonrelay call except that where either the calling or called party indicate that either party is both hearing and visually impaired, the call shall be discounted sixty percent (60%) off of the otherwise applicable rate for a voice nonrelay call. The discount applies to the time sensitive element of a charge for the call and does not apply to per call charges such as a credit card surcharge.