

Embarq Corporation EMBARQ.com Mailstop: KSOPHN0304-3B404 6450 Sprint Parkway Overland Park, KS 66251

June 22, 2006

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

RE: **TL727**

Dear Ms. Salak:

Attached for filing, please find the following revised pages for the Embarq Florida, Inc. General Exchange Tariff. This filing is submitted with a proposed effective date of July 7, 2006. The Company's tariffs are available on its website at <u>www.embarq.com/tariffs</u>.

Section A10 First Revised Sheet 104 Section A27 Second Revised Sheet 9.1

This filing revises the termination liability charge regulations for the Solutions-Business Packages Term Discount Plan (TDP). There are no customers subscribed to a business package under that recently introduced TDP. Therefore, no customers are impacted by the revised regulations. These changes will allow a more streamlined and efficient assessment of liability charges for early termination, and in most instances, will result in a lesser charge than customers would otherwise be subject to when service is discontinued prior to the end of a term period. The previously applicable termination liability charge was a one-time charge equal to the sum of 50% of the total payments that would otherwise apply for the remainder of the term period. In addition, this filing adds clarifying language to 811 Service for "One Call" Notification Systems.

Commission consideration and timely approval of these pages are respectfully requested. If you have questions or need additional information regarding this filing, please call Nancy Schnitzer at 850-599-1276.

Sincerely,

Mary L. Matthews

cc: Nancy Schnitzer Attachments FL 06-44

Mary L. Matthews TARIFF ANALYST I Voice: (913) 315-9379 Fax: (913) 315-0763 Mary.L.Matthews@embarq.com

GENERAL EXCHANGE TARIFF

Embarq Florida, Inc.

By: F. B. Poag Director SECTION A10 First Revised Sheet 104 Cancelling Original Sheet 104 Effective: July 7, 2006

N11 SERVICES

F. 811 SERVICE FOR "ONE CALL" NOTIFICATION SYSTEMS (Cont'd)

- 6. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)
 - d. When translating the seven or ten digit number to the 811 abbreviated dialing code, applicable Service Ordering Charges as specified in Section 4 of this Tariff will apply as follows, in addition to the rates listed in Section F.6.f. below.
 - e. The minimum service period for 811 Service is one month.
 - f. Rates:

	Nonrecurring Charge	
Central Office Charge ⁽¹⁾ (per Host Central Office)	\$ 250.00	(T)
Exclusion Charge ⁽²⁾ (per Exchange)	325.00	(T)
Number Change Charge (per Telephone Number)	50.00	

g. 811 Service will not be available for sale until January 2007.

- ⁽¹⁾ This is applied at the host central office only, and covers all offices that are part of that host complex with a single translated number. If more than one translated number is desired, apply the charge as many times as there are numbers. Any given office must have one number translated to this cost does not cover cases where the Local Agency wants two or more translated numbers. Such a case would require class marking or a database.
- ⁽²⁾ This is applied at the host office only, and could cover any number of offices that would not have access to the 811 Service.

(N)

Embarq Florida, Inc.

BY: F. B. Poag Director SECTION A27 Second Revised Sheet 9.1 Cancelling Original Sheet 9.1 Effective: July 7, 2006

SPECIAL PACKAGED OFFERINGS

B. SOLUTIONS - BUSINESS (Cont'd)

3. Term Discount Plan

a. General

- 4) Customers must subscribe to a two-year TDP commitment period to receive the discount. At the end of the TDP commitment period the customer may renew the TDP for another two-year TDP commitment period. If the customer does not specify renewal terms in writing 90 days prior to the expiration of the TDP, the commitment period and the discount in effect at the time of expiration will automatically be extended for 12 months. The customer can terminate service at the end of the commitment period with no penalty or obligation to continue the service.
- 5) Rate increases or decreases will automatically be applied to the monthly term plan rates for the remaining term of the TDP. If a Company initiated rate increase causes the services under the TDP to increase by 10% or more annually, then the customer may cancel the TDP without incurring termination liability charges provided the customer notifies the Company within 30 days after the effective date of the rate increase.
- b. Termination Liability Charges
 - 1) If a TDP customer disconnects any or all of the business packages subscribed to under the TDP, a termination liability charge will apply for the lines that are disconnected. The termination liability charge will be a one-time **charge of \$50.00** per business package that is prematurely disconnected.
 - 2) If a TDP customer retains the access line associated with a Solutions business package, but discontinues any or all of remaining features and services that are required to receive the TDP discount, no termination liability charges will apply. However, all discounts for which the customer was eligible under this TDP will cease as of the date the required service(s) and/or feature(s) is discontinued, and the monthly rate for the remaining access lines will default to the applicable tariffed monthly rate for business individual line service.
- c. Discounts
 - 1) Customers who subscribe to two or more of the business packages listed as follows will receive a 10% discount off the tariffed monthly rate for the second and each additional package at the same location. A maximum of eight packages are eligible for the discount.
 - 2) Business packages eligible for the discount under this TDP are:

Sure Solution II Priority Solution Economy Solution Rotary Classic Solution **Economy Solution** II A (C) (C) Embarq Florida, Inc.

By: F. B. Poag Director SECTION A10 <u>First Revised Sheet 104</u> <u>Cancelling</u> Original Sheet 104 Effective: <u>July 7, 2006</u> July 1, 2006

N11 SERVICES

F. 811 SERVICE FOR "ONE CALL" NOTIFICATION SYSTEMS (Cont'd)

- 6. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)
 - d. When translating the seven or ten digit number to the 811 abbreviated dialing code, applicable Service Ordering Charges as specified in Section 4 of this Tariff will apply as follows, in addition to the rates listed in Section F.6.f. below.
 - e. The minimum service period for 811 Service is one month.
 - f. Rates:

	Nonrecurring Charge
Central Office Charge ⁽¹⁾ (per Host Central Office)	\$ 250.00
Exclusion Charge ⁽²⁾ (per Exchange)	325.00
Number Change Charge (per Telephone Number)	50.00

g. 811 Service will not be available for sale until January 2007.

⁽¹⁾ This is applied at the host central office only, and covers all offices that are part of that host complex with a single translated number. If more than one translated number is desired, apply the charge as many times as there are numbers. Any given office must have one number translated to – this cost does not cover cases where the Local Agency wants two or more translated numbers. Such a case would require class marking or a database.

⁽²⁾ This is applied at the host office only, and could cover any number of offices that would not have access to the 811 Service.

Embarg Florida, Inc.

BY: F. B. Poag Director SECTION A27 Second Revised Sheet 9.1 Cancelling First Revised Sheet 9.1 Effective: July 7, 2006 June 29, 2006

SPECIAL PACKAGED OFFERINGS

B. SOLUTIONS - BUSINESS (Cont'd)

- 3. Term Discount Plan
 - a. General
 - 4) Customers must subscribe to a two-year TDP commitment period to receive the discount. At the end of the TDP commitment period the customer may renew the TDP for another two-year TDP commitment period. If the customer does not specify renewal terms in writing 90 days prior to the expiration of the TDP, the commitment period and the discount in effect at the time of expiration will automatically be extended for 12 months. The customer can terminate service at the end of the commitment period with no penalty or obligation to continue the service.
 - 5) Rate increases or decreases will automatically be applied to the monthly term plan rates for the remaining term of the TDP. If a Company initiated rate increase causes the services under the TDP to increase by 10% or more annually, then the customer may cancel the TDP without incurring termination liability charges provided the customer notifies the Company within 30 days after the effective date of the rate increase.
 - b. Termination Liability Charges
 - If a TDP customer disconnects any or all of the business packages subscribed to under the TDP, a termination liability charge will apply for the lines that are disconnected. The termination liability charge will be a one-time charge equal to the sum of 50% of the payments that would apply for the remainder of the TDP of \$50.00 per business package that is prematurely disconnected.
 - 2) If a TDP customer retains the access line associated with a Solutions business package, but discontinues any or all of remaining features and services that are required to receive the TDP discount, no termination liability charges will apply. However, all discounts for which the customer was eligible under this TDP will cease as of the date the required service(s) and/or feature(s) is discontinued, and the monthly rate for the remaining access lines will default to the applicable tariffed monthly rate for business individual line service.
 - c. Discounts
 - 1) Customers who subscribe to two or more of the business packages listed as follows will receive a 10% discount off the tariffed monthly rate for the second and each additional package at the same location. A maximum of eight packages are eligible for the discount.
 - 2) Business packages eligible for the discount under this TDP are:

Sure Solution II Priority Solution Economy Solution Rotary Classic Solution Economy Bundle Solution II A