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D/B/A BUTLER-BREMER COMMUNICATIONS

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

A. APPLICATION

1. General

- a. The Terms and Conditions specified herein apply to the local exchange services and facilities furnished by Butler-Bremer Mutual Telephone Company d/b/a Butler-Bremer Communications hereinafter referred to as the Company. If the customers fail to observe these Terms and Conditions, the Company has the option to discontinue service after due notice of such failure.
- b. In the event of a conflict between these Terms and Conditions and any conditions contained in this Services Catalog, the rates and conditions contained in the specific catalog section shall prevail.
- c. This Services Catalog cancels and supersedes all other Services Catalogs of the Company issued and effective prior to the effective dates shown on individual sheets of this Services Catalog.

B. OBLIGATION AND LIABILITY OF TELEPHONE COMPANY

1. Availability of Facilities

- a. The Company's obligation to furnish local exchange service is dependent upon its ability to secure and retain, without unreasonable expense, suitable facilities and rights for such facilities, except as provided for in Part V, Line Extensions.

2. Allowance for Failure of Service

- a. The Company does not guarantee uninterrupted working of its lines or equipment. In case service is interrupted other than by the negligence or willful act of the customer, an adjustment will be made in the amount of the charges for that portion of the service rendered inoperable. Any adjustment shall apply only if the interruption continues beyond twenty-four (24) hours after first noted by the Company. Adjustment will be made in the form of a bill credit. No other liability shall in any case attach to the Company.

3. Adjustment of Charges

- a. In the event of an adjustment of charges for overbilling by the Company, a refund or credit will be made of the full amount of excess charges for a period not to exceed two years. When the period or amount for which overbilling cannot be fixed from available records, the maximum refund or credit will not exceed an estimated amount of such billing.

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B. OBLIGATION AND LIABILITY OF TELEPHONE COMPANY (Continued)

8. Customer Premise Equipment (Continued)

- c. The customer indemnifies and saves the Company harmless against claims for libel, slander, or infringement of patents arising from combining such equipment with the facilities of the Company.
- d. The Company shall not be responsible to the customer if changes in criteria in this Services Catalog or changes in any of the facilities or operations or procedures of the Company render any customer premise equipment obsolete, or require modification or alteration of such equipment, or otherwise affect its use or performance. The Company reserves the right to change the standards of its equipment as the requirements of the telephone business may direct.

C. USE OF SERVICE AND FACILITIES

1. Use of Customer Service

- a. Customer telephone service is furnished on retail basis for residential or business use only and not for resale except as otherwise provided in Part II, Section O. Service accounts are assigned to customers only, and the customer(s) in whose name the account is established will be treated as the account owner(s) for all purposes. Account owners shall be responsible for any and all use of the subscribed service.

2. Attachment or Connection of Customer Premise Equipment

- a. Customer premise equipment may be used with the facilities furnished by the Company, for telecommunication service, provided that such equipment will be connected, maintained and operated in a manner compatible with Company's facilities and networks.
- b. It is the customer's obligation to ensure compliance with any applicable state or federal laws governing the installation and use of customer premise equipment.
- c. To protect the network and services furnished to the public by the Company, the customer premise equipment must comply with all applicable minimum network protection criteria.
- d. If customer premise equipment is used which is causing or is likely to cause interference or hazard to the network, the Company will take such action as it deems necessary for the protection of the telecommunications network.
- e. After notification by the Company of such interference or hazard, the customer shall discontinue such use and disconnect such equipment. Failure of the customer to conform to this requirement may result in suspension of service.
- f. The customer will be responsible to pay a service check charge as specified in Part VI, Service Check Charges for visits to their premises when the service difficulty is caused by the customer premise equipment.

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D. ESTABLISHMENT AND FURNISHING OF SERVICE

1. Application for Service
 - a. Applications for service may be made orally, in writing or on line where available. These applications become contracts upon the establishment of service. The Company may require an applicant to pay in advance an amount equal to two month's exchange rate. If a deposit is required by the Company, applicable non-recurring charges and service charges (if any) may be required in advance. The terms and conditions specified for such contracts are subject to these General Terms and Conditions and this Services Catalog for the exchange from which service is to be furnished. Any change in rates, rules or regulations shall act as a modification of the contract to that extent, without further notice.
 - b. Minimum contract periods and termination of service are covered elsewhere in Part II of this Services Catalog.
2. Telephone Numbers
 - a. The customer has no proprietary right in the telephone number or any right to continuance of service from any specific central office, and the Company may assign or change the telephone number, the central office designation, or both, as is necessary in the conduct of its business or subject to any porting requirements. Except for non-payment of yellow page advertising, when customers are assigned a new number within the exchange, the former working number intercept shall provide the new number to a calling party for not less than 60 days or until the issuance of a new directory.
3. Alterations
 - a. The customer agrees to notify the Company promptly whenever alterations or new construction on premises owned or leased by the customer necessitate changes in the Company's facilities. The customer agrees to pay the Company's charges for such changes.
4. Payment for Service
 - a. The customer is required to pay all rates and charges for local, exchange services and facilities.
5. Maintenance and Repairs
 - a. All expense of maintenance and repair of regulated services or facilities provided by the Company will be borne by the Company. The customer will be held responsible for restoration or replacement costs in case of loss of, damage to, or destruction of any of the Company's facilities not due to normal use. Customers may not rearrange, disconnect, or remove or permit others to rearrange, disconnect, or remove any Company owned facility installed by the Company unless provided elsewhere in this Services Catalog.

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F. ESTABLISHMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF CREDIT (Continued)

2. Amount of Deposits

- a. The amount of deposit required shall not be more than the maximum charge for two months local exchange service or as may reasonably be required by the Company in cases involving service for short periods or special occasions. The Company may require the customer to increase the amount of the deposit at any time, if the charges billed against the customer are found to warrant such an increase.
- b. A deposit may be made at any Company business office or authorized agent.
- c. The Company will maintain records which show the name and address of each depositor, the amount and date of the deposit and each transaction concerning the deposit. Unclaimed deposits shall be disposed of in accordance with law.
- d. A receipt of deposit will be furnished to each customer from whom a deposit is received. Upon customer request, duplicate receipts will be provided to customers who have lost their receipt if the deposit is substantiated by the Company records.

3. Deposits and Collection Practices

- a. The fact that a deposit has been made in no way relieves the applicant or customer from complying with the Company's regulations as to advance payments and the prompt payment of bills; nor constitutes a waiver or modification of the regular practices of the Company providing for the discontinuance of service for non-payment of sums due the Company for services rendered. The Company may discontinue service to any customer failing to pay current bills regardless of the fact that such customer has made a deposit with the Company to secure payment of such bills, or has furnished the Company with a guarantee in writing for such bills.

4. Interest to be Paid on Deposits

- a. Interest compounded annually, shall be at the rate and terms provided in Iowa Utility Board rule 199 IAC 22.4(2)(b).

5. Discontinuance of Service for Failure to Establish Credit

- a. Service may be discontinued for failure to establish or maintain credit, as set forth in F.1. above, twelve days after the Company has mailed notice requiring the customer to do so.

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H. CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION CHARGES

1. General

- a. Lines will be extended in accordance with provisions specified in the Line Extension Section.
- b. Special charges in the form of installation charges, monthly rates or both, are applied in addition to the usual service charge and monthly rates when, because of the sporadic or occasional nature of the service or an unusual investment or expense as for example:
 - 1) The facilities are provided in remote or undeveloped sections.
 - 2) Conditions that require unusual methods of plant construction, installation or maintenance.
 - 3) The customer's location requires the use of costly private right-of-way.
 - 4) The establishment of services which may be of a speculative or temporary nature.
- c. Title to all construction, as specified in H.2. below, provided wholly or partly as a customer's expense is vested in the Company.
- d. "Cost" is labor and materials included loaded overheads and may include a contribution to cover the cost of doing business not explicitly associated with direct cost.

2. Special Type of Construction

- a. If a special type of construction is desired by a customer, (e.g., when underground service is desired in places where aerial construction would normally be used) or if unusual requirements of a customer make the cost of an installation higher than it would be if the usual type of construction were used, the customer is required to pay the difference in cost between the special type of construction and the average cost of the usual type of construction.

I. MINIMUM CONTRACT PERIODS

1. Minimum Contract Period

- a. Except as specified elsewhere in this Services Catalog, the minimum contract period is one month from the date service or additions to service are established and the minimum charge is the authorized rate for one month. For purposes of rate administration each month is considered to have 30 days.
- b. The Company may require a contract period longer than one month at the same location for unusual construction necessary to meet special demands, and involving extra costs (see Special Type Construction).

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J. DISCONNECTION OR REFUSAL OF SERVICE (Continued)

2. By the Company After Prior Written Notice (Continued)

- b. Despite the prior written notice provisions as contained in these rules, disconnection may take place prior to the expiration of the notice period if the Telephone Company determines, from verifiable data, that usage during the notice period is so abnormally high that a risk of irrevocable revenue loss is created.
- c. Only one written notice will be provided to the customer if multiple violations occur.
- d. The notice of pending disconnection required by these rules shall be a written notice setting forth all reasons for the notice, and the final date by which the account is to be settled or specific action taken. The notice shall be considered rendered to the customer when deposited in the U.S. mail with postage prepaid. If delivery is by other than U.S. mail, the notice shall be considered rendered when delivered to the last known address of the person responsible for payment for the service. The final date shall be not less than five days after the notice is rendered, or in the case of deposits twelve days. The notice will include a toll-free or collect number where a customer can obtain additional information.
- e. Where written notice is required, the Company will not disconnect service on a weekend, holiday, or after 2:00 P.M. unless the Company is prepared to reconnect the service the same day.

3. Disputes

In the event of a dispute concerning a bill, the Telephone Company may require the customer to pay a sum of money equal to the amount of the undisputed portion of the bill. Following payment of the undisputed amount, efforts to resolve the complaint, using complaint procedures in the Telephone Company's Services Catalog, shall continue and for not less than forty-five days after the rendering of the disputed bill, the service shall not be disconnected for non-payment for the disputed amount. The forty-five days may be extended by up to sixty days if requested of the Telephone Company by the Iowa Utilities Board in the event the customer files a written complaint with the Iowa Utilities Board, Customer Service, 1375 E. Court Avenue, Room 69, Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0069, toll free at 1-877-565-4450, or customer@iub.iowa.gov.

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K. PAYMENT FOR SERVICE AND FACILITIES

1. General

- a. Generally all customers shall pay for services and facilities monthly in advance. Municipal, State or Governmental Agencies may be exceptions to this rule.
- b. Billing to customers shall be scheduled monthly, except on mutual agreement of the customer and Company.
- c. All bills for local services are due not less than 20 days after the bill is rendered.
- d. When a customer is connected or disconnected, or for other cause the service received deviates by more than twenty-four consecutive hours from the normal billing period, the bill shall be prorated. If the prorating indicates a refund is due, the refund shall be accomplished by bill credit.
- e. Failure to receive a bill does not relieve the customer of the responsibility for payment.

2. Disconnection of Service by the Company

- a. In the event of failure by the customer or those responsible to pay any bill on or before the due date, the Company may discontinue local services upon written notice, allowing the customer five days to make payment or settlement.

3. Service Charge for Reconnection

- a. Where service has been discontinued for non-payment of a due bill applicable service charges as defined in Part VI of this Services Catalog shall apply.
- b. Where service has been discontinued for the non-payment of a due bill, the customer may be required to reestablish credit as defined in Establishment and Maintenance of Credit.
- c. The maximum payment for restoration of service that existed prior to disconnection shall be the total past due amount, applicable nonrecurring charges and if appropriate, an Advance Payment and Deposit as specified elsewhere in this Services Catalog.

4. Late Payment Charge

- a. All bills for which full payment has not been received paid before the last date for timely payment shall be subject to a late payment charge.
- b. Each account shall be granted not less than one complete forgiveness of late payment charges each calendar year for regulated services. The customer will be notified that this forgiveness has been used by first class mail, telephone or electronic means.
- c. Late payment charges shall be N/A.

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DEFINITIONS

ACTIVE ACCOUNT - A customer who is currently receiving telephone service, or one whose service has been temporarily disconnected (vacation, non-payment, storm damage, etc.).

ADDITIONAL LISTING - Any listing of a name or other authorized information in connection with a customer's telephone number in addition to that to which he is entitled in connection with his regular service.

ADJACENT EXCHANGE SERVICE - Local Exchange Service, including extended area service, provided to a customer via direct facility connection to an exchange contiguous to the exchange in which the customer is located.

ANCILLARY SERVICE OR EQUIPMENT - Any communication service or equipment not included in the definitions of transmission service, terminal equipment or inside station wiring.

AUTHORIZED USER - A person, firm or corporation (other than the customer) on whose premises a telephone, private branch exchange, or private line service or channel is located and who may communicate over such channels in accordance with the terms of the Services Catalog.

BUILDING - The term "Building" is a structure occupied by a customer or authorized user. Multi-occupant structures will be considered different buildings when space of one customer or authorized user is separated by space occupied by others.

BUSINESS SERVICE - Central Office Access Line service furnished to customers where the actual or obvious use is of a business, professional or occupational nature.

CALLS - Telephone messages attempted by customers or users.

CENTRAL OFFICE - A unit in a telephone system which provides service to the general public, having the necessary equipment and operating arrangements for terminating and interconnecting customer lines and trunks or trunks only. There may be more than one central office in a building.

CENTRAL OFFICE ACCESS LINE - A circuit extending from the central office equipment up to and including the demarcation point.

CENTRAL OFFICE ACCESS LINE CHARGE - For work associated with the telephone line, extending from central office equipment up to and including, the demarcation point located at the customers' premises.

CHANNEL - An electrical path suitable for the transmission of communications.

CHARGES - Nonrecurring amounts billed to customers for regulated services.

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CHECK OF SERVICE or SERVICE CHECK - An examination, test or other method utilized to determine the condition of customer-provided terminal equipment and inside station wiring.

CIRCUIT - A channel used for the transmission of electrical energy in the furnishing of telephone and other communication services.

CLASS OF SERVICE - The various categories of service generally available to the customer, such as business, residential, pay telephone service and resale or shared services.

COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM - Channels and other facilities which are capable, when not connected to exchange telecommunications service, of two-way communications between customer-provided terminal equipment or Company stations.

COMPANY - A corporation, association, partnership, or individual engaged in the business of furnishing telephone and other communications services to the public.

CONNECTING COMPANY - A corporation, association, partnership or individual owning or operating one or more exchanges and with which communications services are interchanged.

CONSTRUCTION CHARGE - A separate recurring and/or nonrecurring charge made for the construction of facilities in excess of those contemplated under the rates quoted in the exchange Services Catalog.

CONTIGUOUS PROPERTY - Two or more parcels of property, occupied by the customer, in which the boundary line of one property touches the boundary line of the other(s).

CONTRACT - The agreement between a customer and the Company under which service and facilities are furnished in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Services Catalog.

COST - The cost of labor and materials, which includes appropriate amounts to cover the Company's general operating and administrative expenses.

CUSTOMER - The individual, carrier, reseller, partnership, association, corporation or government agency which contracts for telephone service, or relays messages to or from points outside the extended area, and is responsible for the payment of charges and compliance with the Terms and Conditions of the Company.

CUSTOMER PREMISE EQUIPMENT - Equipment located on the customer's premise owned by the customer.

DELINQUENT OR DELINQUENCY - An account for which a bill or payment agreement for regulated services or equipment has not been paid in full on or before the last day for timely payment.

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DEMARICATION POINT - The physical point at which a utility's public network ends and the customer's personal network begins. The demarcation point defines where the utility's responsibility for maintenance ends and the consumer's responsibility begins.

DIRECTORY LISTING - A publication in the Company's alphabetical directory of information relative to a customer's name or other identification and telephone number.

DISCONNECT - The disabling of circuitry preventing both outgoing and incoming communications.

DISCONNECT NOTICE - The written notice sent to a customer following billing, notifying that service will be discontinued if charges are not satisfied by the date specified on the notice.

DUE DATE - The last day for payment without unpaid amounts being subject to a late payment charge or additional collection efforts.

DUE NOTICES - See "Disconnect Notice."

ENHANCED UNIVERSAL EMERGENCY NUMBER SERVICE (E911) - A telephone exchange service whereby one or more Public Safety Answering Points designated by the customer may receive telephone calls dialed to the telephone number 911.

ENTRANCE FACILITIES - Facilities extending from the point of entrance on private property to the premises on which service is furnished.

EXCHANGE - A geographical area established for the administration of local communications services in a specified area, called the "Exchange Area", which usually embraces a city, town or village, and its environs. It may contain one or more central offices together with the associated plant, equipment, and facilities used in furnishing communication service within that area.

EXCHANGE AREA - The territory served by an exchange.

EXCHANGE SERVICE - The furnishing of facilities for communication within an exchange area, in accordance with the regulations and charges specified in the Local Services Catalog.

EXTENDED AREA SERVICE - Extended Area Service (EAS) means telephone service furnished between end user customers located within an exchange area and all of the end user customers of an additional exchange area. Extended Area Service is only for local calls both originating and terminating within the defined extended area by the end users of local exchange companies.

FOREIGN CENTRAL OFFICE - Any central office other than that which serves the area in which the customer is located.

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FOREIGN EXCHANGE LINE MILEAGE - The measurement applying to that portion of a central office line connecting a customer with a foreign central office, from the common boundary line to the customer's station, for which a monthly charge is made in addition to the base rate for exchange service.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE SERVICE - Exchange service furnished to a customer from an exchange other than the exchange regularly serving the area in which the customer is located.

GENERAL EXCHANGE SERVICES - Facilities, services or features furnished by the Company connected to or associated with primary local exchange service.

INDIVIDUAL LINE - A Central Office Access Line to provide one-party service. (Not a private branch exchange trunk.)

INITIAL SERVICE PERIOD - The minimum length of time for which a customer is obligated to pay for service, facilities and equipment, whether or not retained by the customer for such minimum length of time.

INSTALLATION CHARGE - A nonrecurring charge made at the time of installation of communications service or facilities, which may apply in place of or in addition to Service Charges and other applicable charges for service.

JOINT USER SERVICE - An arrangement whereby an individual, firm or corporation whose telephone needs are not such as to justify the provision of separate customer service is permitted to use the services of another customer.

LIFELINE ASSISTANCE - An assistance program which for qualified applicants have a reduction in the monthly local exchange service.

LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE - Telecommunications within a local service area in accordance with the provisions of the Company's Services Catalog.

LOCAL MESSAGE - A completed customer or user call between stations located within the same Exchange Area or Local Service Area.

LOCAL SERVICE AREA - The area within which telephone service is furnished under a specific schedule or rates without the application of a long distance message charge.

MESSAGE - A completed customer or user call.

MILEAGE RATE - The rate applying for the use of part or all of a line furnished by the Company.

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MINIMUM CONTRACT PERIOD - The minimum length of time for which a customer is obligated to pay for services and/or facilities, whether or not retained by the customer for such minimum length of time.

NETWORK INTERFACE DEVICE (NID) – A device that serves as the demarcation point between the carrier's local loop and the customer's premises wiring. Outdoor telephone NIDs also provide the subscriber with access to the station wiring and serve as a convenient test point for verification of loop integrity and of the subscriber's inside wiring.

NONRECURRING CHARGE - A one-time charge associated with certain installations, changes or transfers of services, either in lieu of or in addition to recurring monthly charges.

NOTICE - See "Disconnect Notice."

OUTSIDE PLANT - The telephone facilities installed on, along, or under streets, alleys, highways, and private rights of way between customer locations, central offices or the central office and customer location.

PAY TELEPHONE SERVICE - A central office access line providing connections for pay telephone equipment.

PAY CENTRAL OFFICE ACCESS LINE - A circuit extending from the central office equipment up to and including the demarcation point to provide both local and toll service.

PREMISES - The space occupied by an individual customer in a building, in adjoining buildings, or on contiguous property including property separated only by a public thoroughfare, a railroad right-of-way, or a natural barrier.

PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGE TRUNKS - See "Central Office Access Line."

RATES - Recurring amounts billed to customers for regulated communications services.

RESALE SERVICE - Central Office Access Line service obtained by a customer from the Company and resold to occupants of a building or complex of buildings.

RESIDENCE SERVICE - Telecommunication service furnished to customers when its use is for domestic purposes.

SERVICE CHARGE - The charge a customer is required to pay at the time of the establishment of telephone service or subsequent changes to that service.

SERVICE CHECK - See "Check of Service".

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CO Central Office

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EAS Extended Area Service

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FCC Federal Communication Commission
FX Foreign Exchange

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C. CONDITIONS (Continued)

4. A foreign or nonsubscriber listing is furnished to customers requesting that their listing be included in a directory of an exchange other than that from which service is rendered. The rate for a foreign company listing will be the rate of the company in whose directory the listing appears. The Conditions of paragraph C.1. above shall apply.
5. Unlisted Service indicates the customer listing is omitted from the directory but otherwise posted on the directory assistance records and the telephone number will be given out upon request.
6. Private service is the omission of a customer's listing from both the telephone directory and directory assistance records.
 - a. When private service is to be furnished, the customer will hold the Company harmless from any damages which might arise, and will absolve the Company from any responsibility for the failure of the customer to receive calls because of the private listing.
 - b. No charge will apply for private service for customers having other listed service.
7. The charge for additional, alternate or private listings is effective the day the directory assistance record is posted.

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EMPLOYEES' TELEPHONE SERVICE

A. GENERAL

Employees' Concession Telephone Service may be offered to all active and retired employees at their residence when such telephone service is provided by this Company.

B. RATES

1. The charge for Employees' Telephone Service is zero of the regular rate.

C. CONDITIONS

1. Employees' Telephone Service at their residence is available to employees of the Company having at least zero months continuous credited service with the Company.
2. This discount does not apply to toll messages.

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C. CONDITIONS

1. Route and type of facilities
 - a. The Company shall determine the route and type of construction which will be used in the extension of its facilities within an exchange. All such line extensions shall be owned and maintained by the Company.
 - b. The Company will be responsible for the route of the proposed line extension facilities upon which costs will be developed. Such routes will include the last pole or cable distribution box on public or private property but will exclude the drop wire (maximum of 300') for the building in which the telephone service is to be located.
 - c. Any difference in costs between the type of construction proposed by the Company for use on a line extension and the type of construction requested by the customer will be charged at actual cost for the difference. (See Part II, Special Type of Construction.)
 - d. When two (2) or more applicants mutually agree they may be considered as a "group." Line extension charges will be established in order to determine the amount of construction which needs to be provided. Line extension charges computed for the total extension, less allowable costs, may be proportionately divided among the applicant making up the "group."
2. Obligation of the Company
 - a. The Company's obligation to provide service through line extensions is solely dependent upon its ability to secure, retain, and maintain suitable rights-of-way without unreasonable expense.
 - b. The Company will survey all prospective customers who could receive service from each proposed line extension project prior to its construction.
3. Payment of charges applicable to line extensions shall be paid in advance.
4. Applicants requesting service which can be provided from a previously established line extension project:
 - a. Within 12 months from the time service was initially provided by means of such line extensions, initial charges will be recomputed by the Company and the applicant will pay a proportionate share of such charges as if they were one of the initial applicants and appropriate refunds will be made to the original customer(s).
 - b. After 12 months from the time service was initially provided, such applicant(s) will be responsible for the charges and conditions applicable to the establishment of line extension facilities required to serve them alone.
5. Except as provided elsewhere in this Services Catalog, refunds of line extension charges will not be paid by the Company.

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TOLL BLOCKING SERVICE

A. GENERAL

1. Toll blocking service provides denial of outgoing 0+ and 1+ long distance calls for central office access lines or trunks or equivalent.
2. This service is provided only where central office capabilities permit the offering.

B. RATES

	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
1. Toll Blocking Service (outgoing calls only)	\$4.00	N/A

C. CONDITIONS

1. The customer shall not be permitted to place outgoing calls to an operator or any part of the 0+ or 1+ long distance network when this service is in effect.
2. Incoming calls are not restricted.
3. Toll blocking is available to Lifeline customers without charge.

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TEMPORARY OR VACATION SUSPENSION

A. GENERAL

Temporary Suspension of Service is available for vacation purposes at a reduced rate upon customer request. This service is allowed when a customer is away from their premises for an extended time in the event of vacation, emergency, relocation, military service, or other purposes deemed reasonable by management.

B. RATES

1. The monthly rate will be 50% of the regular rate for the services suspended.
2. No other service charges will apply for the suspension and subsequent restoral of service.

C. CONDITIONS

1. The rates may be billed in total prior to the establishment of vacation rate service, or monthly, at the option of the Company.
2. The minimum period for which this service may be provided is 60 days; the maximum is 180 days during any 12-month period.

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E. CONDITIONS

1. No toll calls will be placed from or charged to the customer's adjacent exchange central office access line except at such times as the primary exchange central office access line has been reported to be out of service.
 - a. Any violation of this condition will be cause for suspension or termination of the Adjacent Exchange Service.
 - b. When service from the primary exchange has been reported out of order, toll calls placed from the adjacent exchange central office access line will be rated from the adjacent exchange.
2. The rates, charges and billing for primary exchange service (plus toll charges on the primary central office access line) will be the responsibility of the primary company. The primary exchange company shall bill for the adjacent exchange service and make appropriate settlement to the secondary exchange company, unless the primary exchange and the adjacent exchange agree to a different billing arrangement.
3. All outside telephone plant and facilities will be owned, installed and maintained by the company(s) in whose exchange it is provided.
4. A customer subscribing to adjacent exchange service must also subscribe to service from the primary exchange. Any suspension or termination of the primary exchange service will require suspension or termination of the adjacent exchange service.
5. Disconnection of Service
 - a. When service provided under this Services Catalog is disconnected, because the customer has no further need of such, or for non-payment of either primary or adjacent exchange service, no refunds of amounts paid previously by the customer for the extension of this service will be made by the Company.
6. Reuse of Facilities
 - a. When disconnected facilities are reused by a subsequent adjacent exchange service customer requiring the same grade of service, no additional Construction Charges will be applied to such reconnected facilities, providing no additional construction of telephone plant is required.
7. Failure of the customer to comply with the Services Catalog provisions related to adjacent exchange service shall make the customer subject to discontinuance of service after appropriate notice.
8. Adjacent exchange service shall be restricted to only residential service, unless a waiver is permitted by the Utilities Board for a particular customer for good cause shown.

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CUSTOM CALLING SERVICES (Continued)

B. RATES (Continued)

	Monthly Rate Per CO Line Equipped	
	<u>Residence</u>	<u>Business</u>
1. Individual Services (Continued)		
v. Teen Service.....	\$4.00	\$4.00
w. Three Way Calling.....	\$2.00	\$2.00
x. Warm Line Service.....	\$2.00	\$2.00
2. Packaged Services		
a. Caller Identification Name and Number.....	\$4.00	\$4.00

C. DEFINITIONS

1. Individual Services

- a. Anonymous Call Rejection: Allows a customer of Caller Identification - Name and/or Caller Identification - Number to reject calls for which calling name/number display information has been intentionally blocked. Only calls for which the information has been blocked are rejected.
- b. Automatic Callback: Automatically redials the last number a customer dials. If the called party's number is busy, a special tone will alert the customer when the called number becomes idle.
- b. Automatic Recall: Enables a customer to receive a void message identifying date, time and number of the last incoming call. This service also enables the customer to automatically redial the last incoming number, by dialing a one-digit code.
- d. Call Forwarding-Basic: Permits a customer to transfer all incoming calls to another dialable telephone number. The customer pre-selects a second telephone number to which all incoming calls are automatically transferred. Calls may be transferred to a long distance message telecommunications point subject to the availability of the necessary facilities in the central office from which the calls are to be transferred.

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C. DEFINITIONS (Continued)

- k. Call Identification Blocking-Per Line: Provides a permanent private indicator on a customer's line. Once blocking is established on the customer's line, the private status cannot be deactivated by the customer. Rates and charges are provided herein. Federal, State and Local Law Enforcement Agencies, nonprofit domestic violence/sexual assault agencies and their staffs, and victims of domestic/sexual assault or individuals who express a personal safety need and sign a personal safety exemption form may be provided additional arrangements for private status and/or line blocking, on a line-by-line basis, at no charge.

The certification form identifies the customer who is to receive Per Line Blocking at no charge and acknowledges that if a line is equipped with Per Line Blocking, that the telephone number and name will not be delivered to subscribers of Caller ID, including poison control centers, hospitals, medical centers and others who might use Caller ID to provide assistance. 911 is not affected. And, some subscribers of Caller ID Service may choose not to answer blocked calls.

The customer acknowledges the understanding of the above. Further, the customer releases the Company from all claims and liability, including personal injury caused by its errors, omissions and operation or malfunction of Per Line Blocking service.

- l. Caller Identification-Name: Allows for the automatic delivery of a calling party's name to the called customer, which gives the called customer an opportunity to decide whether to answer the call immediately or not. The name is displayed on customer provided equipment.

The name displayed shall be the name associated with the calling telephone number as shown on the Company's records. The Company, in its discretion, may abbreviate or limit that name for display purposes. The Company does not assure name accuracy, and it shall not be liable to any party for errors, omissions or mistakes. The Company's sole and only obligation shall be to reasonably correct errors in names when notified in writing of such errors.

- m. Caller Identification-Number: Allows for the automatic delivery of a calling party's telephone number (including nonpublished and nonlisted telephone numbers) to the called customer, which gives the called customer an opportunity to decide whether to answer the call immediately or not. The number is displayed on customer provided equipment.

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- n. Customer Originated Trace: Allows a customer to activate an immediate trace of the last incoming call, without requiring prior approval and intervention by telephone company personnel. The identification of the traced number is located at the telephone company.
- o. Distinctive Alert: Allows a customer to receive an audible Call Waiting tone or Distinctive Ringing signal from a line equipped with Dial Call Waiting. If the called line is idle, a Distinctive Ringing signal will be heard. If the called line is busy, the called line receives a Call Waiting tone.
- p. Distinctive Ringing/Call Waiting: Allows a customer to assign a maximum of 15 callers' telephone numbers to a special list. The customer will hear a distinctive ring/call waiting tone. When calls are received from callers' telephone numbers on that list.
- q. Remote Call Forwarding: A service provided in lieu of an individual line whereby a call placed to a customer's telephone number in one central office is automatically forwarded by Company central office equipment to another customer designated line.
- r. Selective Call Acceptance: Allows a customer to specify a special list of a maximum of 15 telephone numbers from which calls will be accepted. Incoming calls placed to the customer from telephone numbers on the list will be handled normally. Any call attempts to the customer from telephone numbers not on the list, will instead be connected to an announcement informing the caller that the call is not presently being accepted by the called party.
- s. Selective Call Forwarding: Allows a customer to specify a special list of a maximum of 15 telephone number. Incoming calls placed to the customer from telephone numbers on that list will automatically be forwarded to a predefined telephone number. All other calls will be handled normally.
- t. Selective Call Rejection: Enables a customer to reject call attempts from up to 15 numbers of calling parties by dialing a code and the telephone numbers of calls to be rejected. Any call attempts to the customer from these numbers will be prevented from terminating to the customer and will instead be connected to an announcement informing the caller that the call is not presently being accepted by the called party. A customer may also reject future calls from the most recent call received by dialing a code after completing the call.

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- u. Speed Calling: Enables a customer to place calls to other telephone numbers by dialing a one-, two- or four digit code rather than a complete telephone number. Customer may subscribe to only one of either the 8 Code capacity, 30 Code capacity or 100 Code capacity options on the same line.
- v. Teen Service: A central office based service which provides two distinctive ringing codes on incoming calls, using one individual access line. The distinctive ringing codes are achieved by assigning an additional telephone number to the access line.
- w. Three Way Calling: Enables a customer to add a third party to an existing call without operator assistance, thereby establishing a three-way conversation. The transmission may vary depending on the distance and routing necessary; therefore, transmission may not meet normal standards.
- x. Warm Line Service: Allows a customer to establish a switched connection to a predetermined number if the customer does not dial a number within a specified length of time after going off-hook. When the customer's telephone goes off-hook and dialing begins within a specified time delay period, the call will proceed normally as dialed. If dialing has not started before the end of the predefined time delay period, a predetermined stored number is automatically dialed by the central office equipment.

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PERSONAL SAFETY EXCEPTION FORM

Customer Certification

In order to provide a solution to your unique personal safety concerns, it is necessary for you to provide responses to the questions below.

What is the estimated interval of time that your personal safety concerns require "Per-Line" Blocking?

If you are requesting "Per-Line" Blocking for a telephone line other than your own, the responsible party must sign below.

CUSTOMER REQUESTING FREE PER LINE BLOCKING:

PRINT NAME: _____
SIGNATURE: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER WHERE PER LINE BLOCKING WILL BE ASSIGNED:

CUSTOMER RESPONSIBLE FOR TELEPHONE ACCOUNT:

PRINT NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____
SIGNATURE _____

If a line is equipped with "Per-Line" Blocking, the telephone number of that line will not be delivered to any subscribers of Caller ID. Poison control centers, hospitals, medical centers and others who might use Caller ID will not be able to identify callers with "Per-Line" blocking who need assistance. In addition, subscribers of Caller ID may choose not to answer blocked calls. THE CUSTOMER REPRESENTS THAT HE/SHE UNDERSTANDS THE ABOVE, AND THE CUSTOMER RELEASES BUTLER-BREMER MUTUAL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A BUTLER-BREMER COMMUNICATIONS FROM ALL CLAIMS AND LIABILITY, INCLUDING PERSONAL INJURY, CAUSED BY ITS ERRORS, OMISSIONS AND THE OPERATION OR MALFUNCTION OF "PER-LINE" BLOCKING SERVICE.

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N11 – SERVICE OFFERINGS (Continued)

6. 911 Service – 911 Service (“911”) is a three –digit local dialing available in the State of Iowa. Enhanced Universal Emergency Number Service, also referred to as Enhanced 911 Service or E911, is a telephone exchange communication service whereby one or more Public Safety Answering Points (PSAP) designated by the customer may receive telephone calls dialed to the telephone number 911. E911 Service includes a line and equipment necessary for the answering, transferring and dispatching of public emergency telephone 911 calls originated by persons within the serving area. E911 Service provides for Selective Routing, Automatic Number Identification, and Automatic Location Identification features.

B. TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. N11 Service is available in Company territory only. To provide N11 access to end users in another company’s territory, or to a Competitive Local Exchange Carrier’s (CLEC) end user, the N11 subscriber must make appropriate arrangements with the Company or CLEC serving that territory.
2. This service is provided subject to the availability of the N11 code.
3. N11 can be delivered via regular exchange access lines (by individual business line, PBX trunks, etc.).
4. Access to N11 is not available to the following classes of service:
 - 1+,
 - 0+, 0-(credit card, third-party, collect calls),
 - 101XXXX.

In addition, operator assisted calls to the N11 subscriber will not be completed.

5. The N11 subscriber is restricted from selling or transferring the N11 code to an unaffiliated entity, either directly or indirectly.
6. N11 will not provide calling number information in real time to the N11 subscriber. If the N11 subscriber needs this type of information, the N11 subscriber must subscribe to a compatible Caller Identification Service.

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N11 – SERVICE OFFERINGS (Continued)

B. TERMS AND CONDITIONS (Continued)

13. N11 will be provided under the following conditions:

- a. The subscriber will subscribe to adequate telephone facilities, both initially and subsequently as required in the judgment of the Company, to handle calls to N11 without impairing the Company's general telephone service or telephone plant.
- b. The N11 subscriber is responsible for obtaining all necessary permissions, licenses, written consents, waivers and releases, and all other rights from all persons whose work, statements or performances are used in connection with the service, and from all holders of copy rights, trademarks, and patents used in connection with the service.
- c. The N11 subscriber shall be liable for, and shall indemnify, protect, defend and save harmless the Company against all suits, actions, claims, demands and judgments, and of all costs, expenses and counsel fees incurred on account thereof, arising out of and resulting directly or indirectly from the service or in connection therewith, including but not limited to, any loss, damage, expense or liability resulting from any infringement or claim of infringement, or any patent, trademark, copy right, or resulting from any claim of liable and slander.
- d. Suspension of N11 Services is not allowed.
- e. The N11 subscriber will respond promptly to any and all complaints lodged with any regulatory authority against any service provided via N11. At the Company's request, the N11 subscriber will assist in responding to complaints made to the Company concerning the subscriber's N11 service.
- f. The Company will provide both oral and written notification when a N11 subscriber's service unreasonably interferes with or impairs other services rendered to the public by the company or by other subscribers of N11. The Company reserves the right once notification is made to institute protective measure up to and including termination at any time and without further notice. The Company may take protective measure when the N11 subscriber makes no modification or is unwilling to accept modification in method of operation, or continues to cause service impairments.

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SERVICE CHARGES

C. CONDITIONS (Continued)

4. Service Charges apply for:
 - a. Establishing service.
 - b. Reconnections of service for non-payment when a service order had been issued for due bill.
 - c. Move of service from one premise to another.
 - d. Number change made at the request of the customer.
 - e. Rearrangement or relocation of facilities at customers request.

5. Service Charges do not apply:
 - a. When any change is made and initiated by the Company.
 - b. For customer name change with no lapse in billing or change in service.
 - c. When central office access line service is reestablished at a secondary location immediately following the rendering of the customer's primary location as unfit for occupancy, due to fire, flood, etc. At the option of the Company, the same telephone number may be used.

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LIFELINE ASSISTANCE SERVICE

A. GENERAL

1. Lifeline is a plan that assists qualified low-income lowans by providing a monthly reduction of \$9.25 on their local telephone bill or Broadband Internet Access Service ("BIAS") bill. You may only receive low-income assistance from one wireline or wireless telephone provider, or one BIAS provider per household.
2. Voice and Broadband are now supported services for the monthly benefit, you will be able to choose what service to apply your Lifeline discount to; Telephone, Broadband Internet Access Services, or Service Bundle, but you can only receive a discount on ONE option per household – phone or Internet.
3. Lifeline-discounted services include:
 - Voice Services:
 - A home landline telephone service
 - Wireless (cell-phone) voice plan – 500 minutes per month
 - Internet/Data Services:
 - Wireless (cell-phone) Data Plan – 500 MB per month at 3G speeds
 - Home Internet service – 10 mbps/1 mbps (download/upload) speeds for home Internet plans
 - (Exception: In areas where the telephone company cannot offer 10 mbps/1 mbps speeds, speeds will be up to 4 mbps/1 mbps.)

B. APPLICATION

1. The customer, who is requesting Lifeline Assistance Service, must provide a signed form, provided by the Company certifying under penalty of perjury that he or she is receiving benefits from one of the programs specified in 1. preceding. The applicant must identify the program or programs from which he or she is receiving benefits, and agree to notify the Company when they no longer participate in the program or programs.
2. Lifeline Assistance Service can only be associated with the primary residential connection.
3. Toll Blocking, as specified in (Toll Restriction Service) Section, is available to Lifeline Assistance customers at no charge.

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ACCESS SERVICES CONCURRENCE

A. CONCURRENCE IN RATES AND CHARGES OF NATIONAL EXCHANGE CARRIER ASSOCIATION TARIFF .C.C. NO. 3, 4, AND 5 AS FILED BY THE IOWA TELECOMMUNICATIONS ASSOCIATION ACCESS SERVICE TARIFF NO. 1.

1. Butler-Bremer Mutual Telephone Company d/b/a Butler-Bremer Communications concurs in the Effective Access Tariffs as filed by the Iowa Telecommunications Association in the State of Iowa.

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