

– RADIO COMMON CARRIER ACCESS SERVICE –

2. General Regulations

General Regulations for Radio Common Carrier Access Service are the same as those set forth in Section 2 of Illinois Bell Telephone Company Tariff ILL. C.C. NO. 21. References to this section in other sections of this tariff are to be construed as references to the same provisions as set forth in Section 2. of ILL. C.C. NO. 21.

Paragraphs 2.1 to 2.5 are reserved for future use.

2.6 Definitions

The following definitions are in addition to those set forth in Section 2 of Ill. C.C. No. 21.

Radio Common Carrier (RCC)

The term "Radio Common Carrier" (RCC) denotes a communications carrier authorized by the Federal Communications Commission to provide public land mobile radio services in a specified Service Area.

Included in this definition of Radio Common Carrier (RCC) carriers defined by the FCC as Commercial Mobile Radio Service (CMRS) providers. CMRS providers are defined by the FCC in Section 3(n) of the Communications Act as: "any mobile service that is provided for profit and makes interconnected service available to the public or to such classes of eligible users as to effectively become available to a substantial portion of the public."

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Radio Common Carrier's system (RCC's system)

The term "Radio Common Carrier's System" (RCC's system) denotes the communications system of the Radio Common Carrier used to furnish public land mobile radio services.

RCC's Service Area

The term "RCC's Service Area" denotes the reliable service area of the RCC's base station(s) within which a Radio Common Carrier is authorized to provide public land mobile radio service. Also referred to as the Reliable Service Area or, for Cellular Carriers, as the Cellular Geographic Service Area.

Rate Center

Rate Center means the specific geographic point which has been designated by a Telecommunications Carrier as being associated with a particular NPA-NXX code which has been assigned to the Telecommunications Carrier. The Rate Center is the finite geographic point identified by a specific V&H coordinate, which is used by that Telecommunications Carrier to measure, for billing purposes, distance sensitive transmission services associated with the specific Rate Center; provided that a Rate Center cannot exceed the boundaries of an Exchange Area as defined by the Commission.

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