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Mr. Darrell Nitschke, Executive Secretary  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 East Boulevard Avenue  
Department 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

**RE: Neutral Tandem-North Dakota, LLC**  
Access Tariff Revision (North Dakota Tariff No. 1)

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Enclosed for filing please find the original of the above referenced tariff filing submitted on behalf of Neutral Tandem-North Dakota, LLC. Pursuant to the Federal Communications Commission Report and Order in WC Docket No. 10-90, etc., FCC No. 11-161 (released Nov 18, 2011) this filing revises the Company's switched access rates. The Company respectfully requests an effective date for this filing of July 25, 2012.

This filing has also been submitted electronically via email to [ndpsc@nd.gov](mailto:ndpsc@nd.gov).

The following tariff pages are included with this filing:

1 <sup>st</sup> Rev. Page 3	Updates Check Sheet
1 <sup>st</sup> Rev. Page 65	Revises switched access rates
1 <sup>st</sup> Rev. Page 66	Revises switched access rates

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date-stamping the extra copy of this cover letter and returning it to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for that purpose.

Any questions you may have regarding this filing should be directed to my attention at 407-740-3006 or via email to [croesel@tminc.com](mailto:croesel@tminc.com). Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Carey Roesel  
Consultant to Neutral Tandem-North Dakota, LLC

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**Revisions to Tariff No. 1**

Neutral Tandem-North Dakota, LLC

**CHECK SHEET**

The pages listed below of this tariff are effective as of the date shown. Revised pages contain all changes from the original tariff that are in effect as of the date indicated.

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**SECTION 4 – RATES AND CHARGES, (CONT'D.)**

4.2	Access Service Charges, (Cont'd.)		
		<u>Monthly Recurring Charge</u>	
4.2.3	Direct-Trunked Transport – Per Mile		
	Direct-Trunked Transport – Per Mile (DS3)		
	Qwest Areas	\$83.22	
	Other ILEC Areas	\$83.22	
	Direct-Trunked Transport – Per Mile (DS1)		
	Qwest Areas	\$18.90	
	Other ILEC Areas	\$18.90	
4.2.4	Dedicated Multiplexing		
	Qwest Areas	\$422.45	
	Other ILEC Areas	\$422.45	
4.2.5	Dedicated Trunk Port, per DS1		
	Qwest Areas	\$227.52	
	Other ILEC Areas	\$227.52	
4.2.6	Dedicated Tandem Trunk Port, per DS1		
	Qwest Areas	\$250.56* (R)	
	Other ILEC Areas	\$250.56* (R)	
		<u>Usage Charge</u>	
4.2.7	Tandem Switching, per minute of use		
	Qwest Areas, originating	\$0.0057340	(T)
	Qwest Areas, terminating	\$0.0039930* (R)	
	Other ILEC Areas	\$0.0057340	

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## 4.2 Access Service Charges, (Cont'd.)

		<u>Usage Charge</u>	
4.2.8	Tandem Switched Transport - Termination, per minute of use		
	Qwest Areas, originating	\$0.0007710	(T)
	Qwest Areas, terminating	\$0.0005055* (R)	
	Other ILEC Areas – per termination	\$0.0310000	
4.2.9	Tandem Switched Transport – Facility, per minute of use per mile		
	Qwest Areas	\$0.0000520	
	Other ILEC Areas	\$0.0000000	
4.2.10	Common Transport Multiplexing (DS3/DS1), per minute of use		
	Qwest Areas, originating	\$0.0010100	(T)
	Qwest Areas, terminating	\$0.0005230* (R)	
	Other ILEC Areas	\$0.0000000	
4.2.11	Common Trunk Port, per minute of use		
	Qwest Areas	\$0.0013000	
	Other ILEC Areas	\$0.0000000	
4.2.12	Local Switching, per minute of use		
	Qwest Areas	\$0.0105660	
	Other ILEC Areas	\$0.0105000	
4.2.13	Carrier Common Line		
	Qwest Areas		
	Per originating minute of use	\$0.0189410	
	Per terminating minute of use	\$0.0189410	
	Other ILEC Areas		
	Per originating minute of use	\$0.0108412	
	Per terminating minute of use	\$0.0108412	

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