



January 17, 2019

North Dakota Public Service Commission  
State Capitol  
600 East Boulevard Avenue, Dept. 408  
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

RE: SRT COMMUNICATIONS, INC. GENERAL EXCHANGE TARIFF REVISION

Effective February 11, 2019, SRT Communications, Inc. (SRT) will revise the following Sections of our Local Exchange Tariff:

Section 3 – Updates to Installation Service Charges

Section 9, Sheet 1, A.6. – Allowing Splitting of Number Groups due to Local Number Portability Request

Section 11 – Elimination of FX Service (Foreign Exchange) due to no longer offer DSO Services

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Julie Lizotte".

Julie Lizotte  
Director of Regulatory Affairs

Attachment

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Revisions to General Exchange Tariff  
SRT Communications, Inc.  
Julie Lizotte, Director, Reg. Affairs

## SERVICE CHARGES

### A. General

1. Nonrecurring service charges to connect, move or change telephone service are made separately according to the components of work required.
  - a. **Service Ordering Charge**  
This charge is for work involved in receiving, recording, transmitting and acting upon information to connect, move and change telephone service including arrangements for directory.
  - b. **Central Office Connection**  
This charge is for work associated with the installation or changing central office connections required to provide or change service requested by service order.
2. Service charges may apply, except as specified in this section or in other sections of the tariff, to subscriber initiated requests for telephone service as specified in Section C, Application of Charges.  
  
Other charges may apply in addition to the Service Charges listed in Section 3, Sheet 3.
3. Service charges may apply to customer initiated moves and changes of service.

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**SERVICE CHARGES**
**C. Application of Charges**

	<u>Installation Charge</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>
1. Residence and Business		
a. Service Order Charge		
(1) For connecting new or additional central office lines and trunks		
Business	\$20.00	SOIRB/SOIDB
Residence	\$00.00	
(2) For inside moving or changing of existing service or adding additional services		
Business	\$10.50	SOMRB/SOMDB
Residence	\$00.00	
b. Central Office Charge (Business Only)		
Per line or central office telephone number worked on, but not limited to the following:		
(1) Central office lines, each	\$12.00	SOCO

**D. Special Number Requests**

1. Any requests from residence or business subscribers for special numbers, (e.g., spell words, type of business, etc.) will be charged a nonrecurring rate as follows:

Business	\$50.00	SOCOP
Residence	\$00.00	
2. This rate does not apply if the customer meets the following criteria:
  - a. A residence customer who is listed in the directory and has been removed from service, returns and requests service again and would like to have their old number back.
  - b. A business customer who is listed in the directory and has been removed from service and now wishes to return to service with another business and wants to establish service again with the old number. The number will be given provided the number assignment system has the number available in file. If this number appears in the directory and there is directory advertising on the number, all directory advertising would become the responsibility of the person reconnecting the phone number.

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**PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGE SERVICE**


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**A. General**

1. Private Branch Exchange Service (PBX) is an end user service offered to subscribers who need switched access for local and long distance service from their customer owned telephone system.
2. Stations connected to the private branch exchange service may be located in shops, stores, and other places of business in the same building. Intercommunications with other stations of the private branch exchange in other buildings, an off premise charge may apply.
3. The subscriber is held responsible to the telephone company for all charges at regular tariff rates for these exchange services and for all regular service order, end user, TDDR, or other applicable charges.
4. This service is a wireline service not applicable to or intended for Commercial Mobile Radio Service (CMRS) use with the exception of provisioning two way trunks to provide CMRS interconnection. In these cases, interconnection between the local exchange company and the CMRS company will be provided under a separately negotiated Interconnection Agreement that will specifically identify the services to be provided. The applicable billing for standard two way trunks (per channel) utilized in accordance with an Interconnection Agreement between the Company and the CMRS provider company is the rate as specified in item B.2. below for two way Direct Inward Dialing.
5. Service order and central office service connection charges apply as identified in Tariff Section 3.
6. If a Party requests porting a range of numbers smaller than a whole block, that Party shall pay applicable labor charges for reconfiguring the existing numbers in that block, and a one-time Block Compromise Charge of \$450. The end user customer will continue to be billed at the applicable tariffed rates for the entire block.

**B. Regulations/Rates**

	<u>Installation Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>
1. <u>One Way Direct Inward Dialing (DID)</u> This service will be provided for phone systems that allow a subscriber to dial directly into a specific telephone station within the customer owned system.			
Each Trunk on Copper Facility	\$100.00	\$43.77	DID
Each Trunk on a T1 Facility (per channel)*	\$ 12.00	\$23.88	T1ID

**FOREIGN EXCHANGE SERVICE\***

**A. General**

Foreign Exchange Service is dial tone telephone service designed to meet the requirements of subscriber's who have a substantial amount of communications with subscriber's in an exchange other than the one in which they are located. Foreign Exchange Service may be provided under this rate schedule between contiguous or noncontiguous exchanges located in the State of North Dakota. This service will be provided by the use of interchange facilities between the central office in each exchange.

**B. Regulations**

1. Foreign Exchange Service is provided in accordance with such methods as are best suited to meet plant and operating requirements of the Company.
2. Foreign Exchange Service will be provided only in connection with individual line and Private Branch Exchange trunks.
3. A subscriber of Foreign Exchange Service is required to have some type of exchange service regularly furnished in the local exchange in which the subscriber's premise is located.
4. Exchange telephone service furnished with Foreign Exchange Service and Foreign Exchange Service for a telephone subscriber of the Company will be provided outside the Company's exchange areas only when interexchange facilities are available from a connecting company having such facilities.

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**FOREIGN EXCHANGE SERVICE**
**C. Rates (continued)**

1. Nonrecurring charges are found in Section 3 of this Tariff. If construction is required, see Section 2 of this Tariff.
2. Where the Company furnishes exchange service, the monthly charge will be:

	<u>Installation Charge</u>	<u>Monthly Rate</u>	<u>Billing Code</u>
a. Local FX trunk		\$ 25.00	FXLN
b. Transport Mileage (Mileage Bands)			
• Over 0 to 8			
- Fixed	\$60.50	\$ 15.00	FXMIL
- Per mile	-	\$ 4.50	
• Over 8 to 25			
- Fixed	\$60.50	\$ 30.00	FXMIL
- Per mile	-	\$ 5.00	
• Over 25 to 50			
- Fixed	\$60.50	\$ 73.75	FXMIL
- Per mile	-	\$ 3.25	
• Over 50			
- Fixed	\$60.50	\$148.75	FXMIL
- Per mile	-	\$ 1.75	
c. Installation Charge			
• Service Provisioning	\$287.00		
• Local Trunk Charge	\$109.50		

\*SRT Communications, Inc. no longer provides DS0 circuits, therefore; Foreign Exchange Service is no longer an offered service.