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255      **Interconnection with Private Mobile Telephone Systems - Network Access**

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255.1      **Service Description**

This service arrangement provides for the connection of TCI's Business classified Exchange Service with that of the Private Mobile Telephone System for the sole use of the Customer.

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255.2      **Definitions**

For the purposes of this Tariff Item:

*"Base Station"* means the equipment owned and operated by the Customer, which transmits to and receives telephone messages from Mobile Units or the Public Switched Telephone Network.

*"Mobile Unit"* means radio equipment which is installed in a land vehicle, water vehicle or aircraft for purposes of communication with the Public Switched Telephone Network or Mobile Units.

*"Private Mobile Telephone System"* means a radio system providing communication between one or more Base Stations and Mobile Units for the sole use of the Customer.

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255.3      **Conditions of Service**

1. The Customer shall operate this service in accordance with the terms of that station license, the Radio Act and the applicable rules and regulations of the Government of Canada, Department of Communications.
2. The Customer is responsible for securing from the Department of Communications the necessary licenses as may be required by the Department of Communications.
3. The Private Mobile Telephone System shall be equipped with apparatus that will provide satisfactory radio transmission on frequencies approved by the Government of Canada, Department of Communications.
4. When required by TCI, the Customer shall supply and maintain at no cost to TCI suitable building and power supply for the operation of TCI equipment.
5. The Customer shall pay to TCI all charges incurred for services provided through any connections furnished pursuant to the Item, such as the appropriate message toll rates, Directory Assistance and other chargeable services.

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6. Business classified Exchange Service shall be provided by TCI upon request from a Customer at such locations and in respect of such Facilities and equipment of TCI as meet the standards for interconnection established by the federal Department of Communications' ad hoc Technical Committee on Radio System Interconnection.
7. Where the Private Mobile Telephone System does not meet the technical service requirements of TCI's network, the Customer shall obtain from TCI such supplemental service and equipment as required to meet such technical service requirements. The Customer shall pay to TCI all of TCI's charges for such supplemental service and equipment in addition to all other charges the Customer is required to pay to TCI pursuant to this Item.
8. All Messages transmitted on or over the Private Mobile Telephone System and interconnected with TCI's network shall be limited to Messages where one or both of the intended terminating points of the Message is a Mobile Unit.
9. The Customer shall not bypass TCI's Message Toll Network and TCI shall not allow access to TCI's Public Switched Telephone Network to the Customer at exchanges other than those in the Local Calling Area where the Private Mobile Telephone System base station equipment is located. The Customer shall pay to TCI the appropriate message toll rates on all messages that originate and terminate to a point outside the Local Calling Area for which a Message Toll charge is assessed.
10. The interconnection of a Private Mobile Telephone System with TCI's network does not constitute a partnership, joint venture or joint undertaking between TCI and the Customer.
11. TCI shall respond to trouble reports from duly authorized representatives only after the Customer has first determined the trouble does not originate in the Private Mobile Telephone System.
12. The Customer shall pay to TCI Local Channel charges (General Tariff CRTC 21461 Item 522) for Facilities required to connect Private Mobile Telephone System equipment located in separate premises for remote control purposes.

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13. Local Channel Conditioning required on Facilities from the TCI Central Office to the Private Mobile Telephone System location will be provided, as necessary, at no charge. C  
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14. The interconnection of the Private Mobile Telephone System is subject to the availability of suitable Facilities and equipment.
15. TCI does not guarantee that its equipment and Facilities are technically compatible or will remain compatible for use in connection with equipment and Facilities provided by or used in conjunction with the Private Mobile Telephone System. Where TCI's equipment and Facilities will cease to be compatible with equipment and Facilities provided by or used in conjunction with the Private Mobile Telephone System, TCI will provide the Customer with six months notice of such change.
16. All circuits shall be available to TCI at a time mutually agreed upon in order to permit TCI to make tests and adjustments appropriate for maintaining these circuits in satisfactory operating condition.
17. Where installation or special construction of equipment or Facilities is required, such installation or construction shall be considered to have started when TCI incurs any cost in connection with such equipment or Facilities. Where the Customer cancels an application for Facilities prior to TCI incurring costs, no charges shall apply. Where the Customer cancels an application for Facilities after TCI incurs costs, the charges to the Customer shall be the lesser of the charge for the initial contract period including the installation charge, or the non-recoverable cost of installation and removal including the costs of engineering, labour, supervision, transportation, rights-of-way and any other associated costs.
18. When it is necessary to provide additional equipment or to incur any unusual expense in order to furnish service an additional charge may be made based on the cost of the equipment installed or the unusual expense incurred.

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255.4      **Rates**

The Customer shall pay the Business classified Exchange Service rate, pursuant to General Tariff CRTC 18001 Item 425, for each Central Office line connected to the Customer's Private Mobile Telephone System. Such rates and charges are in addition to any other rates and charges that may be applicable.

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