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221**Ethernet CO Connecting Link Arrangements**ITEM  
221.1**Service Description**

The arrangements contained in this Tariff Item are made available to registered Canadian Carriers and Digital Subscriber Line Service Providers (DSLSP). These central office link arrangements provide transmission paths from the Interconnecting Carrier's or DSLSP's co-located central office building space to the transport cross-connect panel within the central office for the purpose of transmitting 10Base-T, 100Base-T, 1GE (Gigabit Ethernet) and 10GE speeds.

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Because the Commission has forborne, in Telecom Regulatory Policy CRTC 2009-19, with respect to the regulation of this service as set out in that decision, the Company may also provide the service in this tariff at rates and on terms different from the tariffed rates and terms pursuant to an agreement entered into between the Company and a competitor that has been filed with the Commission for the public record.

**Definitions**

For the purposes of this Tariff Item:

*"Ethernet CO Connecting Link"* is a transmission path which connects a Company provided unbundled network component located or terminated within a Company Central Office ("CO") building or equivalent to a co-locator's transmission equipment located within a Company CO building or equivalent.

*"10Base-T Ethernet CO Link"* is a connecting link that connects a Company provided network component to a co-locator's transmission equipment located within a Company CO. A 10Base-T terminates at a transmission rate of up to 10 Mbps.

*"100Base-T Ethernet CO Link"* is a connecting link that connects a Company provided network component to a co-locator's transmission equipment located within a Company CO. A 100Base-T terminates at a transmission rate of up to 100 Mbps.

*"1GE Ethernet CO Link"* is a connecting link that connects a Company provided network component to a co-locator's transmission equipment located within a Company CO. A 1GE terminates at a transmission rate of up to 1 Gbps.

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*"10GE Ethernet CO Link"* is a connecting link that connects a Company provided network component to a co-locator's transmission equipment located within a Company CO. A 10GE terminates at a transmission rate of up to 10 Gbps.

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