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WASHINGTON EXCHANGE CARRIER ASSOCIATION

ACCESS SERVICE

- 2. General Regulations (Cont'd)
 - 2.2 Use (Cont'd)
 - 2.2.2 <u>Unlawful and Abusive Use</u> (Cont'd)
 - (B) The Telephone Company may, upon written request from a customer, or another exchange carrier, terminate service to any subscriber or customer identified as having utilized service provided under this tariff in the completion of abusive or unlawful telephone calls. Service shall be terminated by the Telephone Company as provided for in its general and/or local exchange service tariffs.
 - (C) In such instances when termination occurs, as in (B) preceding, the Telephone Company shall be indemnified, defended and held harmless by any customer or Exchange Carrier requesting termination of service against any claim, loss or damage arising from the Telephone Company's actions in terminating such service, unless caused by the Telephone Company's negligence.
 - (D) In addition to any other remedies available to it, the Telephone Company may block calls that are likely to be abusive (*e.g.*, robocalls used for fraudulent or other illegal purposes) and traffic under 47 C.F.R. § 64.6305 (carriers not in the Robocall Mitigation Database) or as otherwise authorized by the Federal Communications Commission.

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