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contract-based tariffs. Numbers must be in the form of "CT No. ____", using CT as an abbreviation for contract-based tariffs, or some similar form that indicates that the tariff is a contract-based tariff. Each contract-based tariff must be assigned a separate number Transmittals and tariffs subject to this paragraph shall be filed beginning with the number "1" and shall be numbered consecutively.

- (2) Composition of contract-based tariffs shall comply with §§61.54 (b) through (i).
- (3) Contract-based tariffs shall include the following:
- (i) The term of the contract, including any renewal options;
- (ii) A brief description of each of the services provided under the contract;
- (iii) Minimum volume commitments for each service;
- (iv) The contract price for each service or services at the volume levels committed to by the customers;
- (v) A general description of any volume discounts built into the contract rate structure; and
- (vi) A general description of other classifications, practices and regulations affecting the contract rate.

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§ 61.23 Notice requirements.

- (a) Every proposed tariff filing must bear an effective date and, except as otherwise provided by regulation, special permission, or Commission order, must be made on at least the number of days notice specified in this section.
- (b) Notice is accomplished by filing the proposed tariff changes with the Commission. Any period of notice specified in this section begins on and includes the date the tariff is received by the Commission, but does not include the effective date. In computing the notice period required, all days including Sundays and holidays must be counted.
- (c) All tariff filings of domestic and international non-dominant carriers

must be made on at least one day's notice.

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§ 61.25 References to other instruments.

In addition to the cross-references permitted pursuant to §61.74, a non-dominant carrier may cross-reference in its tariff publication only the rate provisions of another carrier's FCC tariff publication, provided that the following conditions are met:

- (a) The tariff being cross-referenced must be on file with the Commission and in effect:
- (b) The issuing carrier must specifically identify in its tariff the cross-referenced tariff by Carrier Name and FCC Tariff Number;
- (c) The issuing carrier must specifically identify in its tariff the rates being cross-referenced so as to leave no doubt as to the exact rates that will apply, including but not limited to any applicable credits, discounts, promotions; and
- (d) The issuing carrier must keep its cross-references current.

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§ 61.26 Tariffing of competitive interstate switched exchange access services.

- (a) *Definitions.* For purposes of this section 61.26, the following definitions shall apply:
- (1) CLEC shall mean a local exchange carrier that provides some or all of the interstate exchange access services used to send traffic to or from an end user and does not fall within the definition of "incumbent local exchange carrier" in 47 U.S.C. 251(h).
- (2) Competing ILEC shall mean the incumbent local exchange carrier, as defined in 47 U.S.C. 251(h), that would provide interstate exchange access services, in whole or in part, to the extent those services were not provided by the CLEC.
- (3) Interstate switched exchange access services shall include the functional