

ITEM **Extra Provisioning Charges**
105.15**1. Service Description**

Extra Provisioning Charges include the material, engineering and labour costs for new and / or existing SaskTel facilities in order to provide customers with service outside the base rate or island base rate area boundary.

2. Definitions

For the purposes of this Tariff Item:

“*Monitoring*” refers to the transmitting of data sensed by instrumentation and measuring devices to a remote station where it is recorded and analyzed. It involves a dial-up line and does not require real time monitoring.

“*Agricultural Area*” refers to the areas of the province as follows:

- the area lying south of Township 53 and east of Range 14 (specifically the Range 14 that is West of the Third Meridian)
- the area lying south of Township 62 and west of Range 13 (specifically the Range 13 that is West of the Third Meridian)

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|**3. Conditions of Service**

1. Extra provisioning charges apply on a per customer request basis (per customer, per cable pair or equivalent).

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4. Rates

1. **Residential:** A residential customer pays 50% of the amount over \$10,000.00 for up to 3 cable pairs or equivalents requested, per demarcation. All requests for additional cable pairs or equivalent will be rated at cost.

Exceptions:

- Trailer courts or apartments (where the subsidy for the first three cable pairs or equivalent will apply on a per customer basis).
 - If a residential customer upgrades to business services within two years of providing service, the business air mile charge will apply.
2. **Business:** SaskTel will fully subsidize the business customer’s first voice cable pair or equivalent only, per demarcation. All incremental cable pairs or equivalents requested at the same customer’s location will be subject to the following air mile charges:

Number of Cable Pairs	Rate per Air Mile per Cable Pair or Equivalent
1-6	\$1300.00
7	1210.00
8	1120.00
9	1030.00
10	940.00
11	850.00
12	761.00
13	728.00

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Number of Cable Pairs	Rate per Air Mile per Cable Pair or Equivalent
14	\$695.00
15	663.00
16	630.00
17	597.00
18	565.00
19	552.00
20	539.00
21	526.00
22	514.00
23	501.00
24	488.00
25	475.00

Calculation of Rates for Customers with Existing Service:

- If a customer has existing service and requests additional lines (cable pairs or equivalent), less than or equal to the number of existing cable pairs, rate the customer based on the total number of lines he currently has.
- If a customer has existing service and requests additional lines (cable pairs or equivalent), greater than the total existing cable pairs, rate the customer based on the number of lines he is requesting.

Exceptions:

- The service drop is in place and the number of cable pairs or equivalents requested have been previously activated and remain capable of activation.
- Cable pairs or equivalents, installed for *monitoring* purposes will not be eligible for the subsidy.
- Requests for service north of the “*Agricultural Area*” of the province may be at cost.

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