costs in the mid-course adjustment is moot. The request is therefore dismissed.

2. Percentage and Growth Discounts

3. We reaffirm our conclusion in the Third Reconsideration Order that the discussion of discounted transport offerings in the Switched Transport Expanded Interconnection Order (Expanded Interconnection with Local Telephone Company Facilities, Second Report and Order and Third Notice of Proposed Rulemaking 58 FR 48756 (September 17, 1993)) and as reaffirmed and modified by the *Expanded* Interconnection Remand Order (Expanded Interconnection with Local Telephone Company Facilities. Memorandum Opinion and Order, 59 FR 38922 (August 1, 1994)) and the rules adopted in that Order do not contemplate percentage or growth discounts. As with any of the Commission's rules, a party may file for waiver if the party believes that, under the particular circumstances it faces, a waiver would better serve the public interest than application of the general rule. In the particular situation here at issue, a LEC is not precluded from seeking waiver of the transport access charge rules to offer its access customers a percentage or growth discount. Waivers will only be granted for good cause shown (See 47 CFR 1.3). Such a showing requires the petitioning party to demonstrate the special circumstances that warrant deviation from the general rule and to show how such deviation would better serve the public interest. A showing that such discounts would be cost-based in the particular circumstances at issue, as suggested by MCI, is only one of a number of potentially relevant factors. Accordingly, MCI's request is granted insofar as it seeks clarification that a LEC may seek a waiver of our rules under normal waiver standards to offer percentage or growth discounts.

B. Expiration Date of the Interim Transport Rate Structure Rules

4. We believe that the public interest requires retention of the existing transport rate structure and pricing rules beyond October 31, 1995, and therefore reconsider, on our own motion, the expiration date for those rules. The process of adjusting from the old equal charge rate structure to the interim transport rate structure appears to have required more time and effort than we originally anticipated, and we wish to avoid the disruption predicted by the parties. We also agree that consideration of a long-term transport rate structure would raise issues that are closely related to possible comprehensive reform of our access charge rules. Accordingly, we reconsider our original decision to impose the current transport rate structure and pricing rules only through October 31, 1995, and extend the effectiveness of the interim transport rate structure, pending further Commission action.

C. Ordering Clauses

5. Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED, pursuant to authority contained in Sections 1, 4 (i) and (j), 201–205, 218, 220 and 403 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. 151, 154 (i) and (j) 201–205, 218, 220 and 403, Part 69 of the Commission's rules is amended as set forth below.

6. It is further ordered that MCI's Petition for Clarification or, in the Alternative, Reconsideration is dismissed in part as moot, and is granted in part as indicated herein.

7. It is further ordered that the Commission's rules as amended herein shall be effective 30 days after the date of publication in the Federal Register.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 69

Communications common carriers, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements, Telephone.

Amendment to the Code of Federal Regulations

Part 69 of Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

PART 69—ACCESS CHARGES

1. The authority citation for Part 69 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 4, 201, 202, 203, 205, 218, 403, 48 Stat. 1066, 1070, 1072, 1077, 1094, as amended 47 U.S.C. 154, 201, 202, 203, 205, 218, 403, unless otherwise noted.

2. Section 69.110 is amended by revising paragraphs (a) and (e) to read as follows:

§69.110 Entrance facilities.

(a) A flat-rated entrance facilities charge expressed in dollars and cents per unit of capacity shall be assessed upon all interexchange carriers and other persons that use telephone company facilities between the interexchange carrier or other person's point of demarcation and the serving wire center.

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(e) Except as provided in paragraphs (f), (g), and (h) of this section, telephone companies shall not offer entrance facilities based on term discounts or volume discounts for multiple DS3s or any other service with higher volume than DS3.

3. Section 69.111 is amended by revising paragraphs (b) and (g) to read as follows:

§ 69.111 Tandem-Switched Transport and Tandem Charge.

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(b) A tandem-switched transmission charge expressed in dollars and cents per access minute shall be assessed upon all interexchange carriers and other persons that use telephone company tandem-switched transport facilities.

- (g) The tandem charge shall be set to recover twenty percent of the annual part 69 interstate tandem revenue
- requirement.

4. Section 69.112 is amended by revising paragraphs (a) and (e) to read as follows:

§69.112 Direct-Trunked Transport.

(a) A flat-rated direct-trunked transport charge expressed in dollars and cents per unit of capacity shall be assessed upon all interexchange carriers and other persons that use telephone company direct-trunked transport facilities.

(e) Except as provided in pagagraphs (f), (g), and (h) of this section, telephone companies shall not offer direct-trunked transport rates based on term discounts or volume discounts for multiple DS3s or any other service with higher volume than DS3.

Federal Communications Commission. William F. Caton,

Acting Secretary.

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47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 95-13; RM-8566 and RM-8628]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Cowden and Tower Hill, IL

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission. ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This document allots Channel 252A to Tower Hill, Illinois, in response to a petition filed by Randal J. Miller. *See* 60 FR 5887, January 31, 1995. The coordinates for Channel 252A at Tower Hill are 39–18–27 and 88–59–22. There