AND THE PARTY OF

EIGHTH SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE

EIGHTH SUPPLEMENTAL INDENTURE, dated as of the 1st day of December, 1983, made and entered into by and among ALLTEL Carolina, Inc. (formerly Mid-Carolina Telephone Company), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of North Carolina (hereinafter called the "Company"), and BancOhio National Bank (formerly The Ohio National Bank of Columbus), a national banking association duly organized and existing under the laws of the United States of America, with its principal office in Columbus, Ohio, and P. Joseph Sesler, as Trustees (BancOhio National Bank being hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Trustee", P. Joseph Sesler as "Co-Trustee" and the Trustee and Co-Trustee collectively as "Trustees").

WHEREAS, the Company has heretofore executed and delivered to the

Trustee an Indenture of Mortgage and Deed of Trust dated as of May 31,

1974 (hereinafter referred to as the "Original Indenture" and the

Original Indenture and all supplemental indentures thereto being hereinafter

collectively referred to as the "Indenture") to secure the Company's

Notes and Bonds of all series at the time outstanding and all additional

series of Bonds that may thereafter be issued under the Indenture, and

has heretofore executed and delivered to the Trustees a First Supplemental

Indenture dated as of May 1, 1975 (hereinafter called the "First Supplemental

Indenture") authorizing the issuance of \$1,250,000 principal amount of

10-1/4% First Mortgage Bonds, Series A; a Second Supplemental Indenture

dated as of March 1, 1979 (hereinafter called the "Second Supplemental

Indenture") authorizing the issuance of \$4,725,000 principal amount of

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