

10. Access to Operating Support Systems (OSS)**10.1 General**

10.1.1 Description	
A.	The Telephone Company provides access to TCs to the functionalities of the Telephone Company's Operating Support Systems in connection with the purchase of Unbundled Network Elements. This access supports the pre-ordering, ordering, provisioning, maintenance and repair and billing of the unbundled network elements purchased by TCs.
B.	A monthly OSS ongoing cost recovery charge applies to all UNE loops and UNE-Platform (UNE-P) loops.

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