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Non-Competitive End-User Special Access Lines (and associated Supplemental Features) and Special Access Cross Connects are the Special Access Services offered under this tariff. Other Special Access Services required to complete a circuit are available as described in Section 1.1 preceding.

5.1 General

Special Access provides a transmission path to connect CDLs* within a LATA for Interstate Telecommunications. Special Access provided to a customer may be connected directly to customer facilities or through Telephone Company Hub Wire Centers, and/or may be connected to access facilities of another telephone company or companies in the joint provision of Special Access Service as well as may be connected to Switched Access as set forth in Section 4. Special Access Services may also be connected to a customer's transmission equipment and facilities using a DS1 or DS3 Cross Connect arrangement where the customer is provided Expanded Interconnection Service (EIS) as defined in Section 17. High Capacity SALs may also be connected to an in-service Telephone Company provided integrated optical service, provided that such connections are technically and operationally feasible, as determined by the Telephone Company.

The provision of Switched Access and Special Access in combination is normally for, but not limited to, the use of WATS or WATS-type Access. When Special Access is connected to Switched Access, the terms, conditions and rates for the Non-Competitive End User Special Access Line between the end user's CDL and the WATS Serving Office are as set forth in this section of the tariff. The terms, conditions and rates for the facilities between the WATS Serving Office and the IC's CDL are detariffed. The terms, conditions and rates for the switching functionalities (e.g., end user access codes, screening) are as set forth in Section 4 of this tariff.

Special Access can be provided in either analog or digital format. Analog formats are differentiated by spectrum and bandwidth. Digital formats are differentiated by bit rate. The specific types of Special Access (e.g., Voiceband, Digital Data Service) provided are described in 5.2 following.

5.1.1 Rate Elements

The basic rate elements which apply to Special Access Service offered under this tariff are:

Non-Competitive End User Special Access Line (described in 5.1.1(C) following)
Special Access Cross Connect (described in 5.1.1(D)following)
Supplemental Features (described in 5.4 following)

Additionally, rates and charges for detariffed Integrated Optical Service Riders may also apply to Special Access connected to Integrated Optical Service Riders. (C) (D)

* Telephone Company Centrex CO-like switches are considered to be CDLs for the purposes of this tariff.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.1 General (Cont'd)

5.1.1 Rate Elements (Cont'd)

The following is a list of Telephone Company's Open Network Architecture (ONA) Special Access Basic Service Elements (BSEs) which provide a cross-reference to the generic ONA product names.

Generic Name	Telephone Company Name
Access to Clear Channel Transmission	Clear Channel Capability
Bridging	Bridging
Conditioning	Conditioning
Secondary Channel Capability	Digital Data Service - Secondary Channel

(D)

(A) (Reserved for Future Use)

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5.1 General (Cont'd)

5.1.1 Rate Elements (Cont'd)

(B) Special Transport

The Special Transport rate category is detariffed. (N)

(D)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.1 General (Cont'd)

5.1.1 Rate Elements (Cont'd)

(D)

(D)

(C) Special Access Line (SAL)

(1) A Special Access Line provides the transmission facilities between an End User's CDL and the serving wire center. This rate element varies by type of capability (i.e., analog or digital) and type of facility (e.g., Voiceband, Digital Data Service, etc.). (C)

(D)

(D)

SAL rates for DS3 offerings vary with the level of capacity, number of services and whether the interface provided is electrical or optical.

Installation of DS1/DS3 SALs is as set forth in 5.6.1(E)(3). The applicable rates are the nonrecurring charge and monthly rate set forth per DS1/DS3 SAL installed.

(D)

(D)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.1 General (Cont'd)

5.1.1 Rate Elements (Cont'd)

(C) Special Access Line (SAL) (Cont'd)

(1) (Cont'd)

The selection of a Terminating Option, as defined in 5.3, is required for terminating the network portion of a Special Access Line at a CDL. Terminating Options provide a clearly delineated interface which facilitates the design, isolation, and testing of the Special Access. For DS3 Special Access, the customer may specify either an electrical or optical interface as set forth in 3.1.1(F).

One Special Access Line charge applies per CDL at which the facility is terminated. This charge applies even if the facilities to the CDL do not transit a serving wire center; this charge also applies if the CDL and the serving wire center are co-located in a Telephone Company building. Connection to Telephone Company provided DS1 or DS3 SALs within a serving wire center for customers with EIS will require a Special Access Cross Connect arrangement as described in 5.1.1(D). The Special Access Line charge used with a Switching Interface, as set forth in (2) below, is applicable only for the transmission facilities between the End User's CDL and the serving wire center of that location.

(2) A Special Access Line may be provided in conjunction with FGA, FGB, FGD, BSA-A, BSA-B, and BSA-D Switched Access Service for the purpose of Originating Only, Terminating Only or Combined Originating and Terminating Access as set forth in 4.2.1 and 4.2.2. A Switching Interface is required for the provision of this service as set forth in 4.2.5(V). The Special Access Line provides the closed-end of the dedicated facilities between an End User's CDL and its serving wire center. This serving wire center may or may not be a WATS Serving Office. (D)

The Switched Access used in conjunction with the Special Access Line provides various standard switching functionalities and optional arrangements as set forth in Section 4.2.5(V).

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5.1 General (Cont'd)
5.1.1 Rate Elements (Cont'd)

(C) Special Access Line (SAL) (Cont'd)

(2) All Special Access Lines used with a Switching Interface are:

- provided with dial pulse address signaling or Dual Tone Multifrequency (DTMF) address signaling and either loop start or ground start supervisory signaling. The type of signaling is the option of the customer.
- available as either a two-wire or four-wire Voiceband Special Access Service (i.e., 300-3000 Hz bandwidth). Each transmission path is provided at the option of the customer with transmission specifications as described in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual.

All rules and regulations pertaining to Special Access are applicable to Special Access Lines used with a Switching Interface. Rates and Charges are found in 5.7.5 for two-wire and four-wire Voiceband Non-Competitive End User Special Access Lines. (C)

A customer may also order high capacity facilities from an End User's CDL to a Telephone Company Hub for the purpose of originating or terminating Special Access Lines used with a Switching Interface. The customer will also be required to submit an (D)
ASR(s) for the individual Voiceband SALs specifying the channel facility assignment (CFA) for each service. This Hub may or may not be a WATS Serving Office. In those instances when the Hub is not a WATS Serving Office, detariffed Voiceband Special (C)
Transport is applicable for each individual Special Access Line used with a Switching (D)
Interface to the Telephone Company designated WATS Serving Office.

(D) Special Access Cross Connect for EIS

The Special Access Cross Connect charge provides the communications path between Telephone Company provided DS0 (DDS operating at 64Kbps or Fractional T1 bandwidths), DS1 or DS3 Special Access Lines or Special Access Transport and a customer's transmission equipment and facilities where the customer is provided EIS as defined in Section 17. The Special Access Cross Connect charge may also provide the communications path between a customer's transmission equipment and facilities where the customer is provided EIS and EIS arrangements of another customer via Dedicated Transport Service as set forth in Section 18.1. The Special Access Cross Connect is available as DS0, DS1, or DS3 connections. The DS0 Cross Connect can accommodate 64Kbps DDS and Fractional T1 bandwidths of 128 Kbps, 256Kbps and 384Kbps. The Cross Connect arrangement may be connected directly to Telephone Company provided 64Kbps DDS or DS0, DS1 or DS3 services or to a Telephone Company provided 64Kbps DDS or DS0, DS1, or DS3 multiplexing arrangement located in a Telephone Company Hub. The Cross Connect charge applies per DS0 (64Kbps), DS1, or DS3 connection.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.1 General (Cont'd)

5.1.1 Rate Elements (Cont'd)

(D) Special Access Cross Connect for EIS (Cont'd) (D)

In addition to the Special Access Cross Connect arrangements described herein, Optical Facility Terminations are available as described in Section 18.2.

Rates for DS0, DS1, and DS3 Cross Connect arrangements listed in Section 5.10 and rates for Optical Facility Terminations listed in Section 18.2(E) will apply in addition to the other rates and charges as specified in Section 17.

(E) Supplemental Features

Supplemental Features may be added to a Special Access circuit to improve its quality or utility to meet specific communications requirements. These are not necessarily identifiable with specific facilities, but rather represent the end result in terms of performance characteristics which may be obtained. These characteristics may be obtained by using various combinations of facilities. Although the facilities necessary to perform a specified function may be installed at various locations along the path of the Special Access circuit, including the CDL, it will be provided for as a single rate element.

Examples of Supplemental Features that are available include, but are not limited to, bridging and conditioning. Each Supplemental Feature is described in 5.4, and rates are set forth in 5.7.

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5.1 General (Cont'd)

5.1.1 Rate Elements (Cont'd)

(F) Multiplexing Arrangements

Multiplexing arrangements are detariffed. (N)

(D)

(D)

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5.1 General (Cont'd)

5.1.2 Special Access Configurations

There are two types of facility configurations over which Special Access Services are provided – two-point and multipoint.

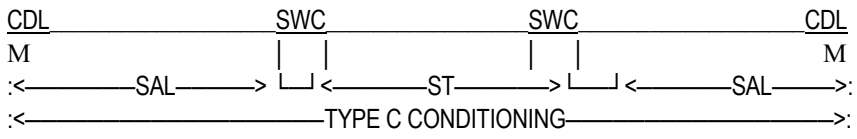
(A) Two-point Service

A two-point configuration is a circuit which is provided to connect two CDLs, either directly connected or through a Hub Wire Center. A two-point configuration also connects a CDL and a WATS Serving Office. (C)

All Special Access offerings may be provided as a two-point configuration.

Applicable rate elements under this tariff are: (C)
- Non-Competitive End User Special Access Lines (C)
(D)
(D)
- Supplemental Features (when applicable)
(D)

The following diagram depicts a typical two-point service connecting two Non-Competitive End User SALs. The service is provided with the supplemental feature of Type C Conditioning: (C) (C)



SAL - Special Access Line
ST - Special Transport
SWC - Serving Wire Center
CDL - Customer Designated Location

Applicable rate elements under this tariff are: (C)
- Non-Competitive End User Special Access Line (2 applicable) (C)
(D)
- Supplemental Feature of Type C Conditioning (2 applicable)

In addition, a Special Access Surcharge, as set forth in 5.6.9 following, may be applicable.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.1 General (Cont'd)

5.1.2 Special Access Configurations (Cont'd)

(B) Multipoint Service

A multipoint configuration is a circuit that is provided to connect three or more CDLs through a Telephone Company Hub Wire Center.

Only Voiceband, Digital Data Service facilities, and Miscellaneous Services where so designated, will be provided as multipoint configurations. There is no limitation on the number of mid-links, but the use of more than three mid-links in tandem may degrade the quality of the multipoint facilities. A mid-link is defined as the Special Transport facilities between Hub Wire Centers and is detariffed. (C)

Multipoint service is provided in the following manner:

(1) Special Access Line per CDL to their respective serving wire centers.

(D)
(D)

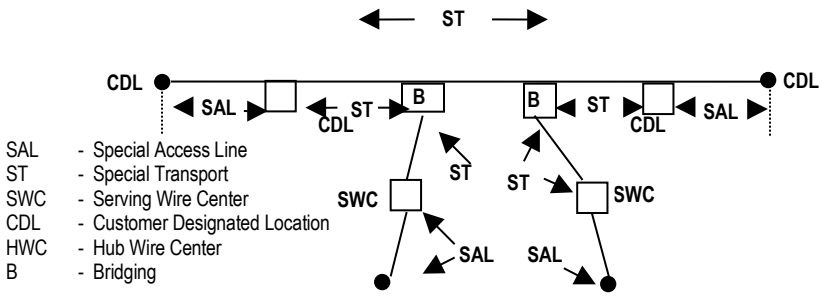
(D)

(2) Supplemental Features: Bridging equipment for each bridging location and other Supplemental Features when applicable. (T)

(D)

(D)

The following diagram depicts a multipoint service connecting four Non-Competitive End User SALs via two customer specified Hub Wire Centers. The rate elements under this tariff are the Non-Competitive End User Special Access Lines and any associated Bridging. (C) | (C)



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5.1 General (Cont'd)

5.1.2 Special Access Configurations (Cont'd)

(B) Multipoint Service (Cont'd)

Applicable rate elements under this tariff are: (C)

- Non-Competitive End User Special Access Lines (4 applicable) (C
(D)
- Bridging (6 applicable, one per bridge port)

In addition, the Special Access Surcharge, as set forth in 5.6.9 following, may be applicable.

5.1.3 Special Facilities Routing

A customer may request that the facilities used to provide Special Access Service be specially routed. The regulations, rates and charges for Special Facilities Routing (i.e., Avoidance, Diversity and Cable-Only) are as set forth in Section 9 following.

5.1.4 Design Layout Report

The Telephone Company will provide to the customer the makeup of the Special Access provided under this tariff to aid the customer in designing its overall service. This information will be provided in the form of a Design Layout Report and will include the following:

Cable gauge, length and loading.
Makeup (e.g., T-Carrier, two-wire, four-wire, etc.)
Specific pair of circuit assignment at the customer designated location.

The Design Layout Report will be provided to the customer within fourteen working days from the ASR Date. Updated reports will be reissued within fourteen working days whenever facilities provided to the customer are materially changed. Both the initial and updated Design Layout Reports will be provided to the customer at no charge.

5.1.5 Acceptance Testing

At the time of installation, the following test parameters apply:

(A) For Voiceband services, acceptance testing will include tests for loss, 3-tone slope, DC continuity, operational signaling, C-notched noise, and C-message noise.

When the Interface Arrangement provides a four-wire voice transmission facility and the point of termination provides two-wire voice transmission (i.e., there is a four-wire to two-wire conversion at the point of termination) balance tests are also included in acceptance testing. When performing installation and acceptance testing, the Telephone Company will test the access service within the LATA.

On four-wire and effective four-wire circuits where the Network Channel Terminating Equipment (NCTE) has the capability of being remotely aligned, the Telephone Company may perform acceptance testing without a Telephone Company technician at the customer's premise. Should the customer request a technician be present at the customer's premise, additional charges will apply as set forth in Section 6.2(C). The applicable rates are in Section 6.2(G).

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5.1 General (Cont'd)

5.1.5 Acceptance Testing (Cont'd)

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If the NCTE at the customer's premise does not have the capability of being aligned remotely, the additional charges will not apply. The Telephone Company will determine the type of NCTE placed at a customer's premise.

(B) For digital services (i.e., Digital Data Services and High Capacity Digital Services), acceptance testing will include tests for the parameters applicable to the service as set forth in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual for each of these services.

When the customer requests the performance of additional cooperative tests which are not required to meet these specified performance parameters, charges as set forth in 6.6 (B) following will apply. All test results will be made available to the customer upon request.

If acceptance tests are not started within thirty (30) minutes after pre-service tests have been completed and the customer has been notified by the Telephone Company, additional charges may apply, as set forth in 6.2 following, unless the delay is caused by the Telephone Company. (T)

5.1.6 Ordering Conditions

Ordering conditions are set forth in detail in Section 3 preceding. Also included in that section, are other charges which may be associated with ordering Special Access (e.g., Service Date Change Charges, Cancellation Charges, etc.).

(A) Determination of Jurisdiction of Mixed Use Special Access Lines

When mixed interstate and intrastate Special Access Service is ordered, the jurisdiction will be determined as follows:

1. If the customer's estimate of the interstate traffic on the physically intrastate line involved constitutes 10% or less of the total traffic on that line, the line will be ordered and provided in accordance with the applicable rules and regulations of the appropriate intrastate tariff.

2. If the customer's estimate of the interstate traffic on the physically intrastate line involved constitutes more than 10% of the total traffic on that line, the line will be ordered and provided in accordance with the applicable rules and regulations of this tariff.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.1 General (Cont'd)

5.1.6 Ordering Conditions (Cont'd)

(A) Determination of Jurisdiction of Mixed Use Special Access Lines (Cont'd)

4. Lines in service on the effective date of this tariff certified to be jurisdictionally intrastate and having a maximum termination liability associated with them will not be assessed the termination liability. The customer must submit an ASR for each line changing jurisdiction no later than 90 days from the effective date of this tariff to have the termination liability waived.

(B) Special Access Jurisdictional Verification

If a billing dispute arises or a regulatory commission questions the customer's certification of the jurisdiction of the line the Telephone Company will ask the customer to provide the data used to determine the jurisdiction. The customer shall supply the data within 30 days of the Telephone Company's request. The customer shall keep records of system design and functions from which the jurisdiction can be ascertained and upon request of the Telephone Company make the records available for inspection as reasonably necessary for purposes of verification of the jurisdiction of the service

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.2 Description of Special Access

The generic types of Special Access offerings are: (D)

-Voiceband
-High Capacity Digital
-Digital Data Service

Each type has its own characteristics, and are subdivided by one or more of the following:

-Transmission specifications
-Bandwidth
-Speed (i.e., bit rate)
-Spectrum

The Special Access offerings described below are comprised of a combination of the rate elements described in 5.1.1. The following descriptions indicate the most effective use for each facility. Customer use for purposes other than those indicated is limited only to the extent that such use must not harm the network. Further, the Telephone Company does not guarantee transmission performance beyond the parameters identified in the descriptions.

The transmission performance characteristics of each Special Access offering are stated in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual. The Telephone Company will maintain existing transmission specifications on services installed prior to the effective date of this tariff, except that existing services with performance specifications exceeding the standards in the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual will be maintained at the performance level specified in the manual. Where transmission performance characteristics are required other than those as stated in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual, the Telephone Company will review, and where technically feasible, will develop rates and charges for the additional costs associated with provisioning the parameters. These rates and charges will be filed on an individual case basis in Section 5.9 and will apply in addition to all other applicable rates and charges.

The customer also has the option of ordering Voiceband and analog and digital high capacity facilities to a Telephone Company Hub for multiplexing to individual channels of a lower capacity or bandwidth. Multiplexing is (C)
detariffed. Additionally, the customer may specify supplemental features for the individual channels derived from (C)
the facility to further tailor the channel to meet specific communications requirements. Descriptions of the supplemental features available are set forth in 5.4.

For example, a customer may order a DS3 from a CDL to a Telephone Company Hub for multiplexing to 28 DS1 channels. The DS1 channels may be further multiplexed at the same or a different Hub to Voiceband channels or may be extended to other CDLs. Optional features may be added to either the DS1 or the Voiceband channels.

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5.2 Description of Special Access (Cont'd)

5.2.1 Voiceband#

(A) Two-Wire Voiceband Facility (USOC - XDV++)

These facilities are unconditioned and are capable of transmitting voice or data signals within the frequency spectrum of approximately 300 Hz to 3000 Hz. These facilities are furnished on a two-point or multipoint basis and may be terminated two-wire or four-wire at the point of termination. They permit the simultaneous transmission of information in both directions over a circuit, but it is not possible to ensure independent information transmission in both directions. Supplemental features may be added, at applicable charges, to enhance the operational capabilities of these facilities.

(B) Four-Wire Voiceband Facility (USOC - XDV++)

These facilities are unconditioned and are capable of transmitting voice or data signals within the frequency spectrum of approximately 300 Hz to 3000 Hz. The facilities are furnished on a two-point or multipoint basis and may be terminated two-wire or four-wire at the point of termination. When terminated four-wire, they permit simultaneous independent transmission of information in both directions over a circuit. However, when terminated two-wire, simultaneous independent transmission cannot be supported. Supplemental features may be added, at applicable charges, to enhance the operational capabilities of these facilities.

Effective February 13, 2026, this service is no longer available to new customers. Moves, changes, or modifications to this service will no longer be supported. Service modifications for customers with existing contracts are subject to the terms of their contracts. For wire centers specific service withdrawal information, please refer to Section 19 of this Tariff. (C) | (C)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.2 Description of Special Access (Cont'd)

5.2.5 (Reserved for Future Use)

5.2.6 (Reserved for Future Use)

5.2.7 High Capacity Digital (USOC - XDH++)

These facilities are two-point and are furnished between CDLs or between a CDL and a Telephone Company designated Hub Wire Center. High Capacity facilities may be used to provide Special Access Lines as set forth in 5.1.1(C)(2). High Capacity DS1 and DS3 services may also be connected to customer transmission equipment and facilities where the customer is provided EIS as defined in Section 17. (D) (D)

(A) DS1 facilities provide for the transmission of isochronous bipolar serial data at a rate of 1.544 Mbps.

(B) (Reserved for Future Use)

(C) (Reserved for Future Use)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.2 Description of Special Access (Cont'd)

5.2.7 High Capacity Digital (USOC - XDH++) (Cont'd) (D)

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(E) DS3 facilities provide for the transmission of isochronous bipolar serial data at a rate of 44.736 Mbps. The Telephone Company will provide either an interface with Telephone Company electronics (electrical) or without Telephone Company electronics (optical) at the option of the customer. Ordering conditions are set forth in 3.1.1(F). EIS is not available with DS3 services provided with an optical interface.

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5.2 Description of Special Access (Cont'd)

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5.2 Description of Special Access (Cont'd)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.2 Description of Special Access (Cont'd)

5.2.9 Digital Data Service# (USOC - XDD++) (N)

Facilities for Digital Data Service are furnished for the simultaneous two-way transmission of synchronous data and are available at transmission speeds of: 2.4 Kbps, 4.8 Kbps, 9.6 Kbps, 19.2 Kbps, 56 Kbps or 64 Kbps. Digital Data facilities may be provided on a two-point or multipoint basis.

5.2.10 Reserved for Future Use

Effective February 13, 2026, this service is no longer available to new customers. Moves, changes, or modifications to this service will no longer be supported. Service modifications for customers with existing contracts are subject to the terms of their contracts. For wire centers specific service withdrawal information, please refer to Section 19 of this Tariff. (N) | (N)

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5.2 Description of Special Access (Cont'd)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.2 Description of Special Access (Cont'd)

5.2.11 Miscellaneous Special Access Services (M) (T)

A description of each service provided under Miscellaneous Special Access Services, along with the rates is set forth in 5.8 following. Other Special Access rate elements may apply in addition to those found in 5.8. (M)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.3 Description of Terminating Options

Terminating Options provide a clearly delineated interface between Telephone Company and customer facilities at the point of termination at the CDL. Terminating Options facilitate the design, isolation, and testing of the Special Access. The description of each Terminating Option defines the most effective use of the Terminating Option. The technical parameters of each type of associated interface are set forth in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual. Although a customer is not restricted from alternate applications, except where such application is harmful to the network, the Telephone Company cannot guarantee technical performance for other than the applications stated below. Terminating Options are nonchargeable.

5.3.1 (Reserved for Future Use) (C)

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5.3.2 Voice Grade

(A) Two-Wire Voice Grade, Non-Data, Without Signaling

This option provides a two-wire interface to a customer and terminates an effective two-wire facility furnished for voice transmission only. Customer provided signaling must be limited to tones in the voice band. Customer provided voiceband signaling equipment must limit transmission power to 0.0 dBm peak and -13 dBm average power over a three-second period.

(B) Four-Wire Voice Grade, Non-Data, Without Signaling

This option provides a four-wire interface to the customer terminal equipment and terminates an effective four-wire facility furnished for voice transmission only. Customer provided signaling must be limited to tones in the voiceband. Customer provided voice band signaling equipment must limit transmission power to 0.0 dBm peak and -13 dBm average power over a three-second period.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.3 Description of Terminating Options (Cont'd)

5.3.2 Voice Grade (Cont'd)

(C) Voice Grade Data Termination

This option provides a two-wire or four-wire transmission interface to a customer's private line data modem and terminates an effective four-wire facility furnished for voiceband data transmission.

(D) Two-Wire Voice Grade Station Connecting Facility Termination

This option provides a means to terminate an effective two-wire facility or an effective four-wire facility with a two-wire customer interface on a telephone, key system, PBX, ACD, or similar equipment. his option is normally used to terminate facilities that furnish foreign central office service, the station end of PBX off premises service, or private switched service network access lines. The option provides both the transmission and loop signaling functions normally associated with these services. The option is also used to terminate facilities arranged with automatic ringdown signaling. This option provides the loop and ringdown signaling with the facility.

(E) Four-Wire Voice Grade Station Connecting Facility Termination

A terminating option similar to (D) preceding used to terminate effective four-wire foreign central office service. The option provides a four-wire transmission interface to the customer terminal equipment and the loop signaling function normally associated with these services. This option provides the loop and ringdown signaling with the facility.

(F) Two-Wire Station Connecting Facility Termination for the Open End of an Off Premises PBX Extension

Terminating options are available depending on the signaling range of the PBX (or similar system) as defined in Part 68 of the FCC Rules and Regulations. Type 1 is an option requiring range extension equipment at the CDL. Type 2 is an option with no range extension equipment at the CDL. If needed, the loop signaling range equipment for Type 1 must be specifically specified, see Section 5.4.4 following for available arrangements.

(G) Dial Repeating Tie Trunk Termination

Two network terminating options are provided for terminating effective four-wire transmission facilities used to furnish dial repeating tie trunk services. These options are described in terms of the interface they provide to a PBX (or similar system).

(1) A Type I tie line termination provides the customer with a two-wire transmission interface and includes either two-wire or four-wire E&M type signaling. Transmission and signaling interface options available are described in Part 68 of the FCC Rules and Regulations. This option provides the E&M type signaling with the facility.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.3 Description of Terminating Options (Cont'd)

5.3.2 Voice Grade (Cont'd)

(G) Dial Repeating Tie Trunk Termination (Cont'd)

(2) A Type III tie line termination provides the customer with a four-wire transmission interface and includes either two-wire or four-wire E&M type signaling. Transmission and signaling options available are described in Part 68 of the FCC Rules and Regulations. This option provides the E&M signaling with the facility.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.3 Description of Terminating Options (Cont'd)

5.3.6 High Capacity Digital

(A) High Capacity Digital DS1 (D)

Provides a High Capacity Digital DS1 Special Access interface for use in providing simultaneous two-way transmission of isochronous bipolar serial data signals at the rate of 1.544 Mbps.

(B) (Reserved for Future Use)

(C) (Reserved for Future Use) (C)

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FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.3 Description of Terminating Options (Cont'd)

5.3.6 High Capacity Digital

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(E) High Capacity Digital DS3 (D)

Provides a High Capacity Digital DS3 Special Access interface for use in providing simultaneous two-way transmission of isochronous bipolar serial data signals at the rate of 44.736 Mbps. The Telephone Company will provide either an interface with Telephone Company electronics (electrical) or an interface without Telephone Company electronics (optical) as specified by the customer. EIS is not available with DS3 services provided with an optical interface. Ordering conditions are set forth in 3.1.1(F).

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.3 Description of Terminating Options (Cont'd)

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5.3.7 Digital Data Service (DDS)

Provides DDS Special Access interface for use in providing simultaneous two-way transmission of sequential bipolar data signals at transmission speeds of 2.4 Kbps, 4.8 Kbps, 9.6 Kbps, 19.2 Kbps, 56 Kbps or 64 Kbps.

5.4 Description of Supplemental Features

Supplemental Features are items which can be added to a Special Access service to provide enhanced capabilities or improve its utility. References to specific uses or Special Access types indicate the most effective use for each Supplemental Feature. Customer use for other purposes or with other Special Access types is limited only to the extent that such use must not harm the network. Further, the Telephone Company does not guarantee functional operation of Supplemental Features for these alternate applications.

Listed below are the Supplemental Features that are offered under this tariff.

5.4.1 Bridging

Bridging is the function of connecting three or more CDLs in a multipoint arrangement. Listed below are those bridging services offered under this tariff.

(A) MultiPoint Data Bridging (USOC - B5NDJ)

This feature provides the capability to derive a multipoint data circuit from a single facility and is normally provided on Voiceband facilities provided for transmission of data signals. This function is provided on a per port basis. Polled multipoint data circuits are a typical application of this feature.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.4 Description of Supplemental Features (Cont'd)

5.4.1 Bridging (Cont'd)

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(D) (Reserved for Future Use)

(E) DDS Bridging (USOC - BCNDA)

Provides for a multi-junction unit (MJU) arrangement to bridge 2.4 kbps, 4.8 kbps, 9.6 kbps, 19.2 kbps, 56 or 64 kbps DDS facilities. Different speeds cannot be mixed on the same bridge. This function is provided on a per port basis.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.4 Description of Supplemental Features (Cont'd)

5.4.2 Conditioning Arrangements - Data

Data conditioning, when utilized in conjunction with effective four-wire Voiceband transmission facilities, improves the characteristics of these facilities. These improved characteristics are not represented to apply to the entire end to end facility of the customer, but only to that portion of the facility provided by the Telephone Company.

There are three types of data conditioning: Type C, Type C-Improved and Type DA. Type C and Type C-Improved conditioning control attenuation distortion and envelope delay distortion. Type DA controls the signal to C-notched noise ratio and intermodulation distortion. Type C and Type DA conditioning may be combined on the same circuit. Type C-Improved and Type DA conditioning may be combined on the same circuit.

Data conditioning is charged for on a per Special Access line basis. The parameters listed for each type of data conditioning apply from two or more CDLs located within the Telephone Company serving area. Conditioning parameters apply to each end of a two-point circuit. For multipoint circuits, the conditioning parameters apply from any CDL to either the point of interface at another CDL or the first Telephone Company bridging point depending on the circuit configuration. These parameters are not applicable to High Capacity points of interface, because there is no voice frequency test access point. In these instances the data conditioning parameters apply to the last telephone company voice frequency test access point before the High Capacity point of interface. (D) (D)

(A) Type C (USOC - X1CPT)

Type C conditioning of Voiceband facilities provides a facility with the following transmission parameters enhanced to meet the values specified for Type C conditioning in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual in addition to the standard parameters for Voiceband circuits.

(1) Attenuation distortion with reference to 1004 Hz.

(2) Envelope delay distortion.

(B) Type C-Improved

Type C-Improved conditioning of Voiceband facilities provides a facility with the following transmission parameters enhanced to meet the values specified for Type C conditioning in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual in addition to the standard parameters for Voiceband circuits.

(1) Improved attenuation distortion with reference to 1004 Hz. (USOC - UHW)

(2) Improved envelope delay distortion. (USOC - UHY)

The customer may choose to order Improved Attenuation Distortion or Improved Envelope Delay Distortion or both (USOC - XCECM) configurations. The rates specified for Type C-Improved conditioning, Section 5.7.2(B), will apply regardless of the configuration specified.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.4 Description of Supplemental Features (Cont'd)

5.4.2 Conditioning Arrangements – Data (Cont'd

(C) Type DA (USOC - XDCPT)

Type DA conditioning of Voiceband facilities provides a facility with the following transmission parameter enhanced to meet the values specified for Type DA conditioning in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual in addition to the standard parameters for voiceband circuits.

(1) Signal to C-notched noise ratio.

(2) Nonlinear signal to second order distortion.

(3) Nonlinear signal to third order distortion.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.4 Description of Supplemental Features (Cont'd)

5.4.4 Signaling Arrangements (USOC - OSB; XSSLR) (C)

Signaling arrangements, when furnished with Voiceband transmission facilities, enable the facilities to accommodate standard telecommunications signaling protocols. Signaling arrangements provide for the conversion of one signaling method to another signaling method and/or extension of a signaling method at customer and Telephone Company interfaces and enables the transmission facilities to accommodate signaling transmission. Signaling arrangements are available with Voiceband transmission facilities to enable transmission of requested signaling formats. The third and fourth protocol characters of the Network Channel Interface (NCI) and Secondary Network Channel Interface (SEC NCI) codes as indicated on the customer's order, reflect signaling activity. Typical protocol characters contained in the NCI or SEC NCI codes that designate signaling arrangements are: AB, AC, DS, DX, DY, EA, EB, EC, EX, GO, GS, LA, LB, LC, LO, LR, LS, NO, RV and SF.

The customer identified NCI and SEC NCI codes will be considered the customer's request for signaling. The Telephone Company will endeavor to provide the specific signaling protocols requested by the customer. In those cases where facilities and equipment are not available to meet the customer's specific requests, the Telephone Company will provide the customer acceptable alternate protocols. Sections 3300, 6000 and 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual provide detailed technical descriptions of the signaling protocols normally available with each service offering. To properly provision SF signaling, when associated signaling code, is DS (PCM), additional information of SF requirements (loop signaling type ringdown) must accompany the customer's order. (D)

Signaling arrangement charges apply whenever interfaces at the customer premises or at the customer's Telephone Company serving wire center require a signaling arrangement other than those provided with the Terminating Options in 5.3.2 preceding. Signaling Arrangements will be charged on a per SAL basis. Specifically, a signaling charge applies if the signaling protocol characters in the NCI and the SEC NCI fields are different and include one of the following codes: RV, EX, SF, DX, DY, DS, AB.

Service availability limited. Refer to # footnote on Page 5-20.

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.4 Description of Supplemental Features (Cont'd)

5.4.4 Signaling Arrangements (Cont'd)

For the above conditions, one additional signaling charge applies for each additional leg of multipoint circuit. (D)

A signaling charge applies in addition to any other applicable signaling charge when loop range extension equipment is required. The Telephone Company will obtain customer approval for signaling range extension equipment.

Listed below are the Signaling Arrangements offered under this tariff:

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(A) Conversion of Loop or E&M Signaling to SF - An arrangement to convert loop or E&M signaling to the single frequency signaling format. (USOC - OSB) (T)

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(B) Automatic Ringdown Signaling (ARD) - A signaling arrangement on a two-point Special Access which converts loop seizure at one end of the facility into ringing signal at the opposite end. (USOC - XSSLR) (T)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.4 Description of Supplemental Features (Cont'd)

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5.4.6 (Reserved for Future Use) (C)

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5.4.7 (Reserved for Future Use) (C)

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5.4.8 (Reserved for Future Use) (C)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.4 Description of Supplemental Features (Cont'd)

5.4.9 Improved Termination Option (USOC - X4T)

Improved Termination provides for a fixed 600 ohm impedance, an increased range of transmission levels, and simplex reversal (when applicable) on an effective four-wire channel. This optional feature is available with most Voiceband services with a four-wire point of termination. Telephone Company equipment is required at the customer's premises where this option is ordered.

The Improved Termination option will be ordered and rates and charges, as set forth in 5.7.2(B) following, will apply on a per SAL basis. Technical parameters and the applicable Voiceband services are specified in Section 7000 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual.

5.4.10 (Reserved for Future Use) (C)

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5.4.11 Digital Data Service Secondary Channel (USOC - SCA24; SCA48; SCA96; SCA56)

This feature is offered on an optional basis to customers of Digital Data Service. It is a separate, slower speed digital channel that operates in parallel with the companion Digital Data Service primary channel. The secondary channel allows for remote control and testing of the network and peripheral devices without taking the network out of service and without lowering the speed of the primary Digital Data Service channel. This feature is not available with 19.2 Kbps or 64 Kbps Digital Data Service.

Rates and charges as set forth in 5.7.5(C) will apply on a per Digital Data Service SAL basis (each end of a two-point circuit and all ends of a multi-point circuit).

The provisioning of this option to existing Digital Data Service requires the discontinuance of the existing Digital Data Service and the establishment of new Digital Data Service for both ends of a two-point circuit and all ends of a multi-point circuit. The nonrecurring charges associated with the installation of Digital Data Service will apply.

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5.6 Rate Regulations

Subject to Section 1.1 preceding, this section contains specific regulations governing the rates and charges that apply for Special Access Service. (C)

Non-Competitive Counties are defined in Section 2.6 and the wire centers within such counties are listed in Section 19.2. (D)
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5.6.1 Types of Rates and Charges

The monthly rates and nonrecurring charges are described as follows: (C)

(A) Monthly Rates
Monthly rates are recurring charges that apply each month or fraction thereof that a Special Access Service is provided. For billing purposes, each month is considered to have 30 days.

(B) (Reserved for Future Use)

(C) (Reserved for Future Use)

(D) (Reserved for Future Use)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.1 Types of Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(E) Zone Density Plan - Special Access

The Zone Density Rate Plan is a pricing unit for rating High Capacity Special Access DS1 and DS3 Services. The Zone Density Plan assigns every Serving Wire Center (SWC) to one of three zones. The Serving Wire Center, CLLI Codes and zones are listed in Section 19. Zone 1 SWCs have the highest density of services, Zone 2 SWCs have intermediate density of services and Zone 3 SWCs have the lowest density of services. Zone Density Plan rates become effective in a study area concurrent with the first operational Expanded Interconnection Service (EIS), as described in Section 17, in that study area.

The Zone Density Plan for Special Access is applicable only to DS1 (1.544 Mbps) and DS3 (44.736 Mbps) services.

(1) Zone Density rates are set forth in Sections:

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5.7.7 - High Capacity Digital DS1
5.7.10 - High Capacity Digital DS3 Three System
5.7.11 - High Capacity Digital DS3 Unlimited System
5.7.12 - High Capacity Digital DS3 Individual System
5.7.13 - (Reserved for Future Use)

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5.7.18 - DS1 Term Volume Plan
5.8.5 - Clear Channel Capability

(2) Special Access Lines are rated according to the Zone of the SWC where they are located. (D)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.1 Types of Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(F) Nonrecurring Charges

Nonrecurring charges are one-time charges that apply for specific work activity, (i.e., installation of service or change to an existing service). The types of nonrecurring charges that apply for Special Access Service are those listed below.

(1) Design Change Charge (USOC - H28)

The customer may request a design change to the service ordered. A design change is any change to a pending ASR for Special Access Service which requires engineering review. Design changes include such things as the addition or deletion of supplemental features or changes in the terminating options. Design changes do not include a change of end user premises when its serving wire center changes or Non-Competitive End User Special Access Line type (e.g., 2-wire to 4-wire Voiceband or Voiceband to DDS, etc.). Changes of this nature will require the issuance of a new ASR and the cancellation of the original ASR. The cancellation charges apply as set forth in 3.2.6 preceding. (C) (C)

The Telephone Company will review the requested change to determine whether the change can be accommodated and specify if a new service date is required.

The Design Change Charge, as set forth in 5.7.1 following, will apply on a per ASR per occurrence basis, for each ASR requiring a design change. When a Special Access Service is provided entirely or in part under this tariff, the Design Change Charge under this tariff will apply. (N) | (N)

If a change of service date is required, the Service Date Change Charge as set forth in Section 3 preceding will also apply.

(2) Installation of Supplemental Features (D)

Nonrecurring charges apply for the installation of some supplemental features available with Special Access service. The charge applies whether the feature is installed coincident with the initial installation of service or at any time subsequent to the installation of service. (D) (D)

For additions of supplemental features without an NRC, a charge equal to a SAL NRC will apply. Only one such charge per service, per order will apply.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

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FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.1 Types of Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(F) Nonrecurring Charges (Cont'd)

(3) Installation of DS3 and DS1 Special Access Lines (D)

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(a) DS3 Arrangements (T)

There are two levels of charges for the installation of 3 System DS3 and Unlimited System DS3 SALs as set forth in 5.7.10 and 5.7.11. The "First System" charge is assessed for the first DS3 SAL ordered by a customer. When the same customer requests additional DS3 SALs, to be installed between the same locations, the "Additional System" charge will apply for each SAL ordered (maximum of two Additional System SALs in a 3 System DS3 and no maximum in an Unlimited System DS3).

For Individual DS3s, the charge for installation will apply at the same rate per DS3 SAL. (D)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.1 Types of Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(F) Nonrecurring Charges (Cont'd)

(3) Installation of DS1 and DS3 Special Access Lines (Cont'd) (D)

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(b) DS1 Standard Arrangements (T)

Customers subscribing to DS1 Standard Arrangements, at rates set forth in 5.7.7(A) following, will be assessed a nonrecurring charge. The NRC for DS1 Standard Arrangements will be assessed per SAL.

The regulations in Section 5.6.1(F)(6) following will apply to existing DS1 Standard Arrangements customers when required for changes and other service arrangements.

(4) (Reserved for Future Use) (C)

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FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

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5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.1 Types of Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(F) Nonrecurring Charges (Cont'd)

(5) Installation of Voicegrade, and Digital Data Service Special Access Lines (D)

The nonrecurring charge associated with the installation of voicegrade SALs is specified in 5.7.2(A). (D)

The nonrecurring charge associated with the installation of DDS SAL facilities and the provisioning of the customer specified transmission speed of 2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2, 56 or 64 Kbps is specified in Section 5.7.5(A).

(6) Service Rearrangements

Service rearrangements are changes to existing (installed) services which may be administrative only in nature or involve an actual physical change to the service. Changes to pending orders are in 3.2.2.

Changes in the type of service will be treated as a discontinuance of the service and an installation of a new service.

Service availability limited. Refer to # footnote on Page 5-20.

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FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.1 Types of Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(F) Nonrecurring Charges (Cont'd)

(6) Service Rearrangements (Cont'd)

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Changes in the physical location of the point of termination are treated as moves which are described and charged for as in 5.6.4.

Administrative changes will be made without charge(s) to the customer.

Administrative changes are as follows:

- Change in name or ownership or transfer of responsibility from one customer to another, provided there is no interruption of use or relocation of Special Access service.
- Change of customer or customer's end user premises address when the change of address is not a result of a physical relocation of equipment,
- Change in billing data (name, address, or contact name or telephone number),
- Change of customer circuit identification,
- Change of billing account number,
- Change of customer test line number,
- Change of customer or customer's end user contact name or telephone number,
- Change of agency authorization, and
- Change in jurisdiction involving no physical changes to the service.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)
5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)
5.6.1 Types of Rates and Charges (Cont'd)
(F) Nonrecurring Charges (Cont'd)
(6) Service Rearrangements (Cont'd)

All other service rearrangements under this tariff will be charged for as follows: (C)

- If the change involves the addition of another termination to an existing two-point or multipoint service, installation charges for each location added will apply.
- If the change involves the addition of supplemental feature, the installation charge associated with the supplemental feature will apply. When the supplemental feature has no associated nonrecurring charge (or rated at $.00), one SAL nonrecurring charge for the type of service involved (i.e., voicegrade SAL, DDS SAL, etc.) will be applied to the order. (D) | (D)
- If the change involves only changing the type of network interface, with no change in facility, the installation charge associated with each service receiving a network interface change will apply.
- If the change involves changing a two-wire service to a four-wire service or vice versa, the installation charge for each location changed will apply.

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- If the change involves rearranging an existing service to a Special Access Cross Connect for Expanded Interconnection Service in the same wire center; or
- If the change involves rearranging a Special Access Cross Connect for Expanded Interconnection Service to a full point-to-point Special Access Service in the same wire center; or
- If the change involves rearranging an existing service from a facility of one service provider to a like facility of another service provider in the same wire center, even when a change in the customer of record is necessary, then a Rearrangement Charge will apply on a per termination basis.

Certain service rearrangements for Special Access Services are detariffed. (N)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

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FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

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5.6.2 Minimum Periods

Special Access is provided for a specified minimum period. Minimum periods and minimum period charges are described in Section 3 preceding.

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5.6.4 Moves

A move involves a change in the physical location of the point of termination of Special Access. A move normally involves an interruption of Special Access for the period required to complete the move. No credit allowance will be granted for that period. Special Construction as set forth in Section 3.1.3 preceding may also be applicable at the different CDL.

The charge for the move depends on whether the move is within the same CDL or to a different CDL.

(A) Same CDL

When the move of a termination of FIA, as defined in Section 2.1.5, for special access is to a new point within the same CDL (same address and/or same building), the charge for the move will be the installation charge for the portion of the service being reterminated. There will be no change in the minimum period requirements. For services subject to payment plan regulations, the same payment period will remain in force.

FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.4 Moves (Cont'd)

(B) Different CDL

(1) When the move is to a different CDL (different address and different building), except as specified below, it will be treated as a disconnect and an installation of service. The appropriate service installation charge for the service termination(s) affected will apply. A new minimum period will be established for the installed Special Access Service. The customer will remain responsible for all minimum period charges associated with the disconnected Special Access Service. For services subject to payment plan regulations, a new payment plan will be established and full assessment of the remaining liabilities will be applicable.

(2) When the move is to a different CDL but served by the same serving wire center, the following conditions apply:

- A change ASR will be required.
- The appropriate service installation charge for the service termination(s) affected will apply.
- For Special Access services subject to payment plan regulations, if the customer of record remains the same with no lapse in service, the appropriate NRCs for changes will apply. Otherwise, the move will be treated as a disconnect and an installation of service and all appropriate NRCs and full assessment of the remaining liabilities will be applicable.

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FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.5 Rates and Charges on an Individual Case Basis (Cont'd)

(B) The monthly rates and nonrecurring charges for the following Supplemental Features will be developed on an Individual Case Basis: (T)

Dataphone Select-a-Station Bridging Common Equipment - Addressable.

Dataphone Select-a-station Bridging - Each Four-Wire Port.

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.6 Hub Wire Centers

A Hub Wire Center is a Telephone Company designated serving wire center at which bridging is provided. (C)
Bridging is used to connect three or more CDLs in a multipoint arrangement. (D)

Although Hub Wire Centers are defined as serving wire centers at which bridging is performed, they are not limited to providing these functions and may provide any other types of Special Access services offered in this tariff. (C)

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The transmission performance for the end to end Special Access provided from CDLs will be that of the lower capacity or bit rate. For example, when a DS1 Special Access is multiplexed to voice frequency circuits, the transmission performance will be Voiceband, not High Capacity.

The Telephone Company will commence billing the monthly rate for the Special Access Line and detariffed Special Transport or Special Access Cross Connect charge for EIS arrangements, for the High Capacity facility to the Hub Wire Center as of the service date, even though individual services utilizing those facilities may not be installed until a later date. (C) (D)

Individual Special Access rates (by Special Access type) will apply for the Non-Competitive End User Special Access Line and additional detariffed Special Transport facilities (if required) for each channelized Special Access. These will be billed to the customer specified on the ASR as each individual Special Access is installed. The appropriate application of rate elements is specified in 5.6.7(B). Shared use of a digital high capacity facility is provided for in 5.6.7(A). (C) (C)

FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.7 Shared Use Analog and Digital High Capacity Services

Shared use occurs when Special Access Service and Switched Access Service are provided over the same High Capacity Special Access facility through a common interface. (C)

The shared use facility will be ordered, provisioned and rated only as Special Access Service (i.e., Special Access Line, Special Transport Termination, Special Transport, as appropriate, and Multiplexer and a terminating channelized individual service by Channel Type, and Special Transport, as appropriate), regardless of whether individual channels of the shared use facility are used for Special Access Service, Switched Access Service, or any other type of service. The practice known as "ratcheting" (to apply non-Special Access rates on a proportional basis) shall not apply in any circumstance. (C)

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5.6.9 Special Access Surcharge (USOC - S25)

Pending the development of techniques to accurately measure usage of local facilities which are interconnected by users by means of interstate or foreign telecommunications, a surcharge of $25.00 per service per month will be assessed to a two point Special Access Service, and to each additional Special Access Line when the service is configured as multipoint. The Special Access Surcharge will also be assessed upon High Capacity Digital Services on a voiceband equivalent basis. The voiceband equivalency for these type services is as follows: (D)

- High Capacity DS1 equates to 24 Voiceband Facilities

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- High Capacity DS3 equates to 672 Voiceband Facilities

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The Special Access Service will be exempted from the monthly surcharge if the customer provides the Telephone Company written certification that the termination is one of the following: (USOC - S25EX)

(1) The open end termination (dial tone end) of a Foreign Central Office Line, Common Control Switching Arrangement (or equivalent) or Off Network Access Line (ONAL).

(2) Any termination of an analog circuit used for radio or television program transmission.

(3) Any termination of a line used for telex service.

(4) Any termination of a line by nature of its operating characteristics and nature of connection could not make use of common lines.

(5) Any line termination, other than (1) through (4) preceding, which is subject to the following charges: (a) Carrier Common Line, (b) End Office Switching, and (c) Switched Transport.

(6) A termination that the customer certifies to the Telephone Company is not connected to a PBX or other device capable of interconnecting the Special Access Service to the local network. If the PBX or other device has been configured either through software programming or physical restrictions not to access the local network, then the customer may file the surcharge exemption for the Special Access Service terminating on this equipment.

FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5. SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.9 Special Access Surcharge (Cont'd)

In order for the Telephone Company to determine the application of the surcharge with respect to specific services, the customer must report the intended use of all services when placing ASRs for Special Access Service. In addition, when ordering High Capacity Analog or Digital services, the customer must report the use for each voice equivalent circuit of the high capacity service. When any circuit is reported wholly used in any manner described in (1) through (6) preceding, the surcharge will not apply. If the intended use is not reported, the surcharge will apply.

If, at any time after the installation of a service which is subject to the surcharge, the customer reports that the service is being used consistently with any exception listed above, the Telephone Company will credit the customer for the surcharge. Credit will not be given beyond the receipt date of the certification for exemption.

5.6.10 (Reserved for Future Use)

5.6.11 DS3 High Capacity Service

(A) DS3 Rate Structure

A DS3 (44.736Mbps) High Capacity SAL, whether an Individual, 3-System# or Unlimited System#, may be purchased with or without electronics. When a SAL is ordered with electronics the Telephone Company will place electronics at both the CDL and the serving wire center. When a SAL is ordered without electronics the Telephone Company will only place electronics at the serving wire center and not at the CDL. Effective May 18th 2002 when a DS3 SAL is ordered without electronics the interface must be optical unless an Additional SAL is added to an existing System with an electrical interface. When ordered with electronics the interface may be electrical or optical. (T) (T)

DS3 SALs are non-distance sensitive and are provided on a protected basis.

Individual System

An Individual System is a single DS3 between a CDL and the serving wire center. The appropriate NRC is applied per SAL.

Service availability limited. Refer to # footnote on Page 5-74. (N)

FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5. SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.11 DS3 High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

(A) DS3 Rate Structure (Cont'd)

3-System# (T)

The 3-System allows the same customer, between the same CDL and the serving wire center, to order additional DS3 SALs, up to a maximum of two. Additional SALs may only be added with the same interface, electrical or optical, and with Telephone Company electronics or without Telephone Company electronics as the First System. The appropriate NRC is applied per SAL.

Unlimited System# (T)

The Unlimited System allows the same customer, between the same CDL and the serving wire center, to order additional DS3 SALs, with no maximum. Additional SALs may only be added with the same interface, electrical or optical, and with Telephone Company electronics or without Telephone Company electronics as the First System. The appropriate NRC is applied per SAL.

Service availability limited. Refer to # footnote on Page 5-74. (N)

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.11 DS3 High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

(A) DS3 Rate Structure (Cont'd)

A DS3 Non-Competitive End User SAL provides a spare transmission path (transmit and receive) connected to an automatic protection switch. In the event of failure in the primary service, traffic will be automatically transferred to the spare transmission facilities. The spare transmission path will normally be provided on the same route as the primary path. When a customer orders a DS3 SAL, the customer may request that the spare transmission path be provided via an alternate route provisioned as the Telephone Company may elect. If common points for the primary and alternate route become necessary, these points will be identified by the Telephone Company and provided to the ordering customer. Should the routing arrangement require special routing requirements specified by the customer, other rates and regulations as set forth in Section 9 or Section 10 may be applicable.

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When a customer requests the disconnect of a DS3 service in the 3 System DS3 or Unlimited System DS3, an Additional System DS3 SAL must be disconnected first. When only the First DS3 service exists, that service will be disconnected.

Any costs associated with Special Construction as set forth in Section 3.1.3 preceding may apply.

DS3 Special Transport is detariffed.

FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)
5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)
5.6.11 DS3 High Capacity Service (Cont'd)
(B) Minimum Service Periods#

Individual DS3s are offered under a 1-year minimum service period. Prior to December 1, 2020, Individual DS3s and System DS3s were offered under four minimum service periods, each with different rate levels. The minimum service periods were 1, 3, 5 and 7 years. First and Additional DS3 SALs (3 System DS3s and Unlimited System DS3s) can have a different minimum service period. However, subject to Section 1.1 preceding, each DS3 SAL of a two-point DS3 service must have the same minimum service period. (C) (C)

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Although a minimum service period may include a circuit that is provided only in part under this tariff, the Telephone Company manages each minimum service period for a circuit as a single commitment period.

(C) Expiration of Service Period

Upon expiration of a service commitment period: (C)

- For Individual DS3s under a 1-year minimum service period, a new DS3 minimum service period will begin based on the previously effective service period.
- For Individual Systems DS3s under a 3-, 5- or 7-year minimum service period, billing will be converted to service provided under a 1-year minimum service period.
- For 3-System and Unlimited System DS3s, billing will be converted to Individual System(s) provided under a 1-year minimum service period, and new DS3 minimum service period(s) will begin. Nonrecurring charges will not apply for this conversion. (C)

All terms and conditions, including Subsequent Termination Liabilities, will apply to the new DS3 period.

Effective May 30, 2019, orders for new DS3s with 5- or 7-year minimum service periods are no longer permitted. Subject to Section 1.1 preceding, the Telephone Company will continue to provide DS3s with 5- and 7-year minimum service periods pursuant to this Section 5.6.11 on any existing DS3s with 5- and 7-year minimum service periods that were in-service as of May 30, 2019, or any order for DS3s with 5- or 7-year minimum service periods that was placed with the Telephone Company prior to May 30, 2019 (collectively, Existing 5-year and 7-year DS3s), subject to the following conditions:

- The Telephone Company will continue to provide Existing 5- and 7-year DS3s until (i) the customer discontinues its 5-year or 7-year DS3; or (ii) the current service commitment period expires, whichever comes first.
- Renewals of Existing 5-year and 7-year DS3s are not permitted.
- Moves and changes are permitted provided that they do not require a new minimum service period.

Effective December 1, 2020, orders for new Individual DS3s with 3-year minimum service periods and new System DS3s with 1- or 3-year minimum service periods are no longer permitted. Subject to Section 1.1 preceding, the Telephone Company will continue to provide such DS3s pursuant to this Section 5.6.11 on any such existing DS3s that were in-service as of December 1, 2020, or any order for such DS3 that was placed with the Telephone Company prior to December 1, 2020 (Existing 3-year Individual DS3s and 1- or 3-year System DS3s), subject to the following conditions: (N)

- The Telephone Company will continue to provide Existing 3-year Individual DS3s and 1- or 3-year System DS3s until (i) the customer discontinues its Existing 3-year Individual DS3s and 1- or 3-year System DS3s; or (ii) the current service commitment period expires, whichever comes first.
- Renewals of Existing 3-year Individual DS3s and 1- or 3-year System DS3s are not permitted. (N)
- Moves and changes are permitted provided that they do not require a new minimum service period.

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.11 DS3 High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

(D) Discontinuance Without Liability - DS3 Minimum Service Period

For Minimum Service Periods established prior to December 17, 2019, should the recurring charges for a customer's DS3 Service increase, in aggregate, by more than 10% from the original recurring charges during the minimum service period, the customer may, at their option, terminate the DS3 service without penalty or liability. (C)

The customer may cancel the minimum service period of a DS3 Service that is provided under this Section 5.6.11 in order to replace the DS3 Service with a Replacing Service pursuant to the Technology Migration regulations set forth in Section 2.10 preceding.

FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)
5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.11 DS3 High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

(E) Discontinuance With Liability - DS3 Minimum Service Period

When a DS3 service is discontinued prior to the end of the minimum service period, the customer will be liable for a percentage of the total monthly charges for the remaining portion of the applicable minimum service period. Termination liability for the portion of the circuit provided under this tariff will be based on the rates for Non-Competitive End User SALs in effect at the time of disconnect. There are two liability periods for DS3 service, "first liability period" and "subsequent liability period". The "first liability period" is the period beginning from the establishment of the DS3 and is based on the customer's initial commitment term for the DS3. The "subsequent liability period" is the period after the customer's initial commitment term has expired and the customer wants to renew the DS3 service with the existing term period or select a new DS3 term period. The customer's total liability for the "first liability period" or "subsequent liability period" is dependent upon the number of months remaining within the year that the service is discontinued times the liability rate for that year plus the total monthly charges for each annual period remaining in the "first liability period" or "subsequent liability period" times the applicable liability rate. The liability rates for each year of the minimum service period are as follows: (C) (C)

Year In Which Service Is Discontinued	1st Liability Period Rate	Subsequent Liability Period Rate
1	45%	20%
2	30%	20%
3	25%	20%
4	20%	20%
5	20%	20%
6	20%	20%
7	20%	20%

For example. if a customer with a first liability period of seven years discontinues the DS3 service after six months within the 4th year, the customer will be liable for 20% of the total monthly charges for six months, 20% of the total monthly charges for the 6th year and 20% of the total monthly charges for the 7th year.

For example, if DS3 service is disconnected during the subsequent seven year liability period, the customer will be liable for 20% of the total monthly charges for the remaining months for each annual period remaining in the seven year minimum service period.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.11 DS3 High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

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(G) Upgrades

(1) Upgrade to Higher Speed Service

Customers may elect to upgrade DS3 service(s) to a higher speed during a first liability period or subsequent liability period. The upgraded service will be subject to all appropriate NRCs.

If the following conditions exist, no termination liabilities will be applied:

- Both the existing and the new services are provided solely by the Company.

- The order to discontinue a service at an existing speed or capacity and the order for the upgraded service are received by the Company at the same time.

- The new service will be provided at the same customer location(s) as the discontinued service.

- The fixed-period plan for the upgraded service(s) meets or exceeds the remaining length of the existing fixed-period plan, except where an equal to or longer fixed-period plan is not available, in which case the longest fixed-period plan must be selected.

- The total monthly rate of the new agreement is equal to or greater than the total monthly rate of the existing agreement period.

- The monthly rates for the upgraded services and/or service elements will be those in effect at the time of the service upgrade. The upgraded service will be subject to all appropriate nonrecurring charges.

- Termination liability charges will not apply as long as the upgraded service remains connected at the same point of termination(s) or meets the requirements set forth in Section 5.6.4(B)(2).

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.11 DS3 High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

(G) Upgrades (Cont'd)

(2) Technology Migration (N)

For customers who subscribe to or renew their subscription to a High Capacity Digital DS3 Service under a minimum service period on or after December 2, 2010, the customer may disconnect a High Capacity Digital DS3 Service in order to replace such service with a Replacing Service pursuant to the Technology Migration regulations set forth in Section 2.10 preceding.

For customers who subscribed to a High Capacity Digital DS3 Service under a minimum service period prior to December 2, 2010, Section 5.6.11(G)(1) preceding includes replacements of a High Capacity Digital DS3 Service with a Telephone Company provided Ethernet private line service or a Telephone Company provided switched Ethernet service of a higher speed. However, the customer may, at its option, replace a High Capacity Digital DS3 Service with a Replacing Service pursuant to the Technology Migration regulations set forth in Section 2.10 preceding in lieu of Section 5.6.11(G)(1) preceding. (N)

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5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.11 DS3 High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

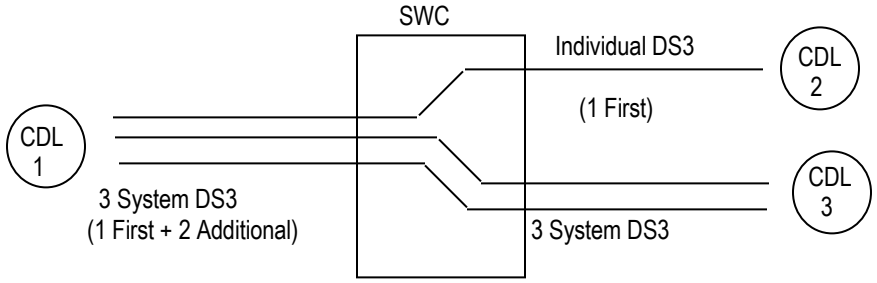
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(I) Partitioned Billing Arrangement (PBA)

PBA is a service arrangement that allows System DS3 (3 System or Unlimited System) customers to partition the multiple DS3s to a number of CDLs on the other end of the circuit (see diagram below). All rate elements associated with the PBA must be billed to the same customer.



For 3 System DS3s and Unlimited System DS3s ordered under a PBA, each CDL must have a first system SAL. Additional SALs may then be ordered under the normal System terms and conditions.

5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.11 DS3 High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

(I) Partitioned Billing Arrangement (PBA) (Cont'd)

When ordering a PBA the customer must specify on the ASR the Access Service Group (ASG) and the First System DS3 circuit identification (ECCKT) at both CDLs. Each 3 System DS3 and/or Unlimited System DS3 at a CDL must be ordered as separate PBAs.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)
5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)
5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans#
(A) Description
One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

The DS1 Term Volume Plan (TVP) allows customers discounts, which are applied to DS1 SALs based upon a volume and term commitment. The TVP was offered for a 1, 2, or 3-, or 5-year term commitment period. Subject to Section 1.1 preceding, the Telephone Company manages a TVP as a single plan and applies tariffed and detariffed rates, terms and conditions as applicable. An annual review includes all of the TVP services included in that TVP. (C)

For DS1 TVPs established prior to July 16, 2016, the customer's DS1 SAL commitment level was established on a nationwide basis or negotiated between the customer and the Telephone Company (i.e., state basis, regional basis, etc.). All of the customer's TVP DS1 SALs will be billed at the same rate, based upon the state where the service is located, the length of the term selected by the customer, and the threshold level in which the commitment quantity falls.

For DS1 TVPs established on or after July 16, 2016, the customer must designate which of its ACNA(s) it wishes to include in its TVP. All of the customer's TVP DS1 SALs for the ACNAs designated to be included in the TVP will be billed at the same rate, based upon the state where the service is located, the length of the term selected by the customer, and the threshold level in which the commitment quantity falls.

All other associated rate elements or additional features are available at the applicable tariffed rates and regulations.

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Effective May 30, 2019, subscription to new TVPs with a 5-year term and ETTVPs are no longer permitted. Subject to Section 1.1 preceding, the Telephone Company will continue to provide TVPs with a 5-year term and ETTVPs pursuant to this Section 5.6.14 on any existing 5-year TVP or ETTVP that was in-service as of May 30, 2019 (Existing 5-year TVPs and ETTVPs), subject to the following conditions:

- The Telephone Company will continue to provide Existing 5-year TVPs and ETTVPs until (i) the customer discontinues its 5-year TVP and ETTVP; or (ii) the current commitment period expires, whichever comes first.
- Renewal of an Existing 5-year TVP and ETTVPs are not permitted.

Effective December 1, 2020, subscription to new TVPs with a 1-, 2- or 3-year term are no longer permitted. Subject to Section 1.1 preceding, the Telephone Company will continue to provide TVPs with a 1-, 2-, or 3-year term pursuant to this Section 5.6.14 on any existing 1-, 2-, or 3-year TVP that was in-service as of December 1, 2020 or any order for TVPs with a 1-, 2-, or 3-year term placed with the Telephone Company prior to December 1, 2020 (collectively, Existing 1-, 2-, or 3-year TVPs), subject to the following conditions: (N)
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- The Telephone Company will continue to provide Existing 1-, 2-, or 3-year TVPs until (i) the customer discontinues its 1-, 2-, or 3-year TVP, or (ii) the current commitment period expires, whichever comes first.
- Renewal of an Existing 1-, 2-, or 3-year TVP are not permitted. (N)

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5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd)
(A) Description (Cont'd)

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For TVPs established prior to July 16, 2016, during the TVP term, a customer may not concurrently subscribe its DS1 SALs to the National Discount Plan as set forth in Section 23.1 following. For TVPs established on or after July 16, 2016, during the TVP term, a customer may not concurrently subscribe the ACNA(s) included in TVP to the National Discount Plan as set forth in Section 23.1 following. (M)(x)
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Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (ETTVP)#

The Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (ETTVP) allow customers discounts, which are applied to DS1 SALs based upon a volume and term commitment. Subject to Section 1.1 preceding, the Telephone Company manages an ETTVP as a single plan and applies tariffed and detariffed rates, terms and conditions as applicable. An annual review includes all of the ETTVP services included in that ETTVP. (D)

For ETTVPs established prior to July 16, 2016, the customer's DS1 SAL volume commitment level will be 90% of the existing DS1 SALs for all ACNAs included under this Tariff FCC No. 14 jurisdiction. For ETTVPs established on or after July 16, 2016, the customer's DS1 SAL volume commitment level will be 90% of the existing DS1 SALs for those ACNAs designated for inclusion in the ETTVP.

The ETTVP was offered for an 8- or 10-year term commitment period. Time In-Service Credit (TISC) will be granted on a replaced TVP for uninterrupted TVP subscription time and applied toward the new 8- or 10-year commitment period. All of the customer's ETTVP DS1 SALs will be billed at the state rate in this tariff, based upon the state where the service is located, the length of the term selected by the customer, and the threshold level in which the commitment quantity falls. All other associated rate elements or additional features are available at the applicable tariffed rates and regulations. (T)

For ETTVPs established prior to July 16, 2016, during the ETTVP term, a customer may not concurrently subscribe its DS1 SALs to the National Discount Plan as set forth in Section 23.1 following. For ETTVPs established on or after July 16, 2016, during the ETTVP term, a customer may not concurrently subscribe the ACNA(s) included in ETTVP to the National Discount Plan as set forth in Section 23.1 following.

(x) Certain material on this page formerly appeared on 6th Revised Page 5-87.
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5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd)

(C) Rate Changes

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

Rate changes in the TVP monthly recurring DS1 SAL rates will be passed on to subscribers of the plan. However, for TVPs established prior to December 17, 2019, during the TVP period, should the rates increase, the customer may, at his/her option, terminate the TVP arrangement without penalty or liability, unless the increase is a result of FCC action. (C)

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plan (ETTVP)

Rate changes in the ETTVP monthly recurring DS1 SAL rates will be passed on to subscribers of the plan. However, during the ETTVP period, should the rates increase, the customer may, at his/her option, terminate the ETTVP arrangement without penalty or liability, unless the increase is a result of FCC action.

(D) Threshold Levels

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

Two or more DS1 SALs are required to qualify for a TVP. Rates are applied based on the following DS1 SAL threshold levels: 2-60, 61-120, 121-240, 241-500, 501-1000, 1001-3000, 3001-6000, 6001-11,000 and Over 11,000.

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plan (ETTVP)

4000 or more DS1 SALs are required to qualify for an ETTVP. Rates are applied based on the following DS1 SAL threshold levels: 4000-6000; 6001-10,000; 10,001-20,000; 20,001-30,000; and Over 30,000.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd)

(E) Changes to Commitment Quantity (D)

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

At any time during the plan term, the customer may increase the commitment quantity of DS1 SALs to receive a lower threshold rate by submitting written notification to the Telephone Company. (D)

When a penalty is assessed at the annual review, as set forth in 5.6.14(I), the number of DS1 SALs in service will become the commitment quantity for the balance of the commitment term or until such time as a subsequent adjustment is required.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd)

(E) Changes to Commitment Quantity (Cont'd) (D)

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (ETTVP)

At any time during the plan term, the customer may increase the volume commitment to receive a lower threshold rate by submitting written notification to the Telephone Company. No termination liability will be assessed provided there is no lapse of time between the effective date of the increase and the termination of the previously effective commitment quantity.

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5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd)

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5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd)

(G) Annual Review

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

Each customer's TVP will be reviewed annually. The customer will be notified in writing as to the status of the TVP. If the applicable in-service DS1 SAL quantity (including any DS1 SALs that were replaced by a Replacing Service using the methodology for a Technology Migration specified in Section 2.10.2 preceding) falls below the commitment quantity, an allowance of 3% will be considered as having met the commitment quantity. Where the customer does not meet the minimum quantity of DS1 SALs in service, penalties will be assessed as set forth under 5.6.14(I).

If the number of DS1 SALs increase from the initial commitment, the customer will have the option of increasing the commitment level for the remainder of their TVP. If the customer chooses not to increase the commitment level, he/she may convert the increased number of DS1 SALs to a monthly plan for an ACNA not already included in TVP. (D)

The customer may decrease the commitment level at the time of the annual review and pay the applicable penalties for the amount of DS1 SALs being decreased. Penalties will apply as set forth in 5.6.14(I).

The customer will have 30 days from receipt of notification to convert DS1 SALs. If the customer does not take action during the 30 day period: The commitment level will be automatically changed to the number of TVP DS1 SALs in effect at the annual review.

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plan (ETTVP)

Each customer's ETTVP will be reviewed annually. The customer will be notified in writing as to the status of the ETTVP. If the applicable in-service DS1 SAL quantity (including any DS1 SALs that were replaced by a Replacing Service using the methodology for a Technology Migration specified in Section 2.10.2 preceding) falls below the commitment quantity penalties will be assessed as set forth under 5.6.14 (I).

For ETTVPs established prior to July 16, 2016, during the annual review the commitment level will be reset to 90% of existing in-service SALs and cannot fall below the initial 90% commitment quantity at time of enrollment. For ETTVPs established on or after July 16, 2016, during the annual review the commitment level will be reset to 90% of existing in-service SALs for the ACNAs designated for inclusion in ETTVP and cannot fall below the initial 90% commitment quantity at time of enrollment.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd) (T)

(H) TVP/ETTVP Conditions

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

If a DS1 service (circuit) consists of two DS1 SALs, both DS1 SALs must be in the TVP.

After enrolling in the plan, the customer may delete or add DS1 SALs rated at the specified term period/threshold level rate at any time during the plan. For example, if the customer subscribes to a 2-year TVP at the 61-120 DS1 SAL threshold level, DS1 SALs may be added at any time at the 2-year 61-120 threshold rate level.

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (ETTVP)

If a DS1 service (circuit) consists of two DS1 SALs, both DS1 SALs must be in the ETTVP.

After enrolling in the plan, the customer may add DS1 SALs rated at the specified term period/threshold level rate at any time during the plan. For example, if the customer subscribes to an 8-year ETTVP at the 10,001-20,000 DS1 SAL threshold level, DS1 SALs may be added at any time at the 8-year 10,001-20,000 threshold rate level. New DS1 SALs enrolled in the ETTVP after the initial enrollment period must remain in the plan for a minimum period of 12 months. Any DS1 SALs disconnected within the 12-month minimum period will be subject to a minimum period charge equal to 100% of the MRCs for the remainder of the 12-month period.

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd)

(I) Penalties for Failing To Meet Commitment

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

When the number of TVP DS1 SALs at the annual review is less than the commitment quantity minus 3%, the penalty will be the lowest TVP rate for the current threshold in the states where the service is located, multiplied by the shortfall multiplied by 4 months.

For example, if the commitment quantity is 100 and the customer has 90 DS1 TVP SALs at the time of the annual review, the penalty described below will be applied to the shortfall difference of 97 (3% less than 100), and 90. Customer has DS1 SALs in Pennsylvania and Virginia. (T)

- Current threshold level is 61-120, 5 Year term
- In-service quantity at annual review = 90
- Shortfall is 97 - 90 = 7
- Penalty is calculated as follows:

$133.27* x 7 x 4 months = $3,731.56 penalty (T)

* Lowest TVP MRC applied the customer (Virginia rate) (T)

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plan (ETTVP)

When the number of ETTVP DS1 SALs at the annual review is less than the commitment quantity, the penalty will be the average ETTVP MRC per circuit, multiplied by the shortfall multiplied by 6 months.

For example, if the commitment quantity is 9000 and the customer has 8700 DS1 ETTVP SALs at the time of the annual review, the penalty described below will be applied to the shortfall difference of 9000 and 8700. Customer has DS1 SALs in every state.

- Current threshold level is 6001-10,000, 8 Year term
- Commitment quantity is 9000
- In-service quantity at annual review = 8700
- ETTVP monthly billing $1,070,100
- Average ETTVP MRC per circuit ($1,070,100 / 8700) = $123
- Shortfall is 9000-8700 = 300
- Penalty is calculated as follows:

$123.00* x 300 x 6 months = $ 221,400 penalty

* Average ETTVP MRC (MRC revenue divided by the number of SALs in-service)

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5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)
5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd)

(J) TVP Nonrecurring Charge

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

Customers subscribing to a TVP will be assessed a nonrecurring charge per DS1 SAL installed. (D)

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (ETTVP)

Customers subscribing to an ETTVP will be assessed a nonrecurring charge per DS1 SAL installed. (D)

(K) Changes in Length of a TVP Period

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

Effective December 1, 2020, changes in length of a TVP period are no longer permitted. (C)

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (ETTVP)

Effective December 1, 2020, changes in length of an ETTVP period are no longer (C)
permitted. (C)

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5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd)

(L) Options at Expiration

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

At the expiration of a TVP period, the Telephone Company will convert service to a month-to-month payment plan. (C) (C)

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5 SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd)

(L) Options at Expiration (Cont'd)

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (ETTVP)

At the expiration of an 8-year or 10-year ETTVP period, the Telephone Company will convert service to a month to month payment plan. (C) (C)

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5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd) (T)

(M) Extension Options at Expiration

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

Extension is not an option with TVP.

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (ETTVP)

Effective May 30, 2019, extension is not an option with ETTVP. (N)

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5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd) (T)

(N) Upgrades

(1) Upgrade to Higher Speed Service

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)
The customer may upgrade service to a higher speed during a TVP period. The upgraded service will be subject to all appropriate NRCs.

If the following conditions exist, no termination liability will be applied for the decreased number of TVP SALs that are upgraded to a higher speed service:
- The customer must notify Verizon in writing, in addition to the ASR.
- The higher speed service period must be equal to or longer in length than the time remaining under the TVP.
- The upgraded service remains connected at the same point(s) of termination.

When TVP DS1 SALs are upgraded to an Optical Networking arrangement, the number of DS1 SALs upgraded will remain in the quantity count for the purpose of determining the applicable threshold level rate.

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (ETTVP)
The customer may upgrade service to a higher speed during an ETTVP period. The upgraded service will be subject to all appropriate NRCs. To demonstrate that the service has been upgraded, the customer must provide Verizon with order number information including the Purchase Order Number (PON) of the disconnected service and the PON of the related new connect within 30 days of the conversion, after the upgrade has been made. The orders must be placed at the same time with due dates within 60 days of each other.

If the following conditions exist, no termination liability will be applied for the decreased number of ETTVP SALs that are upgraded to a higher speed service:
- The customer must notify Verizon in writing, in addition to the ASR.
- The higher speed service period must be equal to or greater in length than the time remaining under the ETTVP.
- The upgraded service remains connected at the same point(s) of termination.

When ETTVP DS1 SALs are upgraded to a DS3 arrangement or to an Optical Networking arrangement, the number of DS1 SALs upgraded will remain in the quantity count for the purpose of determining the applicable threshold level rate.

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5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd) (T)

(N) Upgrades (Cont'd)

(2) Technology Migrations

For customers who subscribe to a DS1 TVP/ETTVP on or after December 2, 2010 or renew an expiring DS1 TVP/ETTVP on or after December 2, 2010, the DS1 TVP/ETTVP customer may disconnect a High Capacity Digital DS1 Service in order to replace such service with a Replacing Service pursuant to the Technology Migration regulations set forth in Section 2.10 preceding.

For customers who subscribed to a DS1 TVP/ETTVP prior to December 2, 2010, Section 5.6.14(N)(1) preceding includes replacements of service under a DS1 TVP/ETTVP with a Telephone Company provided Ethernet private line service or a Telephone Company provided switched Ethernet service of a higher speed. However, the customer may, at its option, replace service under a DS1 TVP/ETTVP with a Replacing Service pursuant to the Technology Migration regulations set forth in Section 2.10 preceding in lieu of Section 5.6.14(N)(1) preceding.

Service availability limited. Refer to # footnote on Page 5-87. (N)

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5.6 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd) (T)

(O) Termination Liability

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

When a TVP arrangement is cancelled in its entirety prior to the end of the commitment period, termination liability charges, as set forth below, will apply based on the remainder of the TVP period in effect at the time of disconnect.

One Year TVP - 50% of any remaining portion of the first year's recurring charges.

Two Year TVP - 50% of any remaining portion of the first year's recurring charges. In addition, for any remaining portion of the second year, the customer will be liable for 5% of the total monthly recurring charges in that period.

Three Year TVP - 50% of any remaining portion of the first year's recurring charges. In addition, for any remaining portion of the second and third years, the customer will be liable for 10% of the total monthly recurring charges in that time period.

Five Year TVP - 50% of any remaining portion of the first year's recurring charges. In addition, for any remaining portion of the second through fifth years, the customer will be liable for 15% of the total monthly recurring charges in that time period.

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (ETTVP)

When an ETTVP arrangement is cancelled in its entirety prior to the end of the commitment period, termination liability charges, as set forth below, will apply based on the remainder of the ETTVP period in effect at the time of disconnect. The termination liability charge applies in addition to any applicable minimum period charges.

Subject to any applicable TISC, the customer will be liable for one-hundred percent (100%) of any remaining DS1 SAL Monthly Recurring Charges (MRCs) in the first year of the ETTVP and for twenty-five percent (25%) of any remaining DS1 SAL MRCs for the balance of the commitment period.

For example, on an 8-year TVP with TISC of 5 years, the customer will be liable for 100% of any remaining DS1 SAL Monthly Recurring Charges (MRCs) for the sixth year recurring charges. In addition, for any remaining portion of the seventh and eighth years, the customer will be liable for 25% of the total monthly recurring charges in that time period.

When a 10-year ETTVP is cancelled in its entirety during an extension period, as described in 5.6.14(M) preceding, the customer will be liable for twenty-five percent (25%) of any remaining DS1 SAL Monthly Recurring Charges (MRCs) for the balance of the extension period.

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5.6.14 DS1 Term Volume Plans# (Cont'd)

(P) Termination Without Liability

One-, Two-, Three-, Five-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (TVP)

For TVPs established prior to December 17, 2019, during a TVP period, should the currently effective rate for a customer's service increase, the customer may, at their option, terminate the TVP arrangement without penalty or liability, unless the increase is a result of FCC action. (C)

A customer may cancel its TVP if all of its DS1 Services under that TVP have been replaced with a Replacing Service pursuant to (N)(2) preceding.

Eight- and Ten-Year DS1 Term Volume Plans (ETTVP)

During an ETTVP period, should the currently effective rate for a customer's service increase, the customer may, at their option, terminate the ETTVP arrangement without penalty or liability, unless the increase is a result of FCC action.

Service availability limited. Refer to # footnote on Page 5-87.

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5.6.19 DS3 Term Volume Plan#
(A) Description

(1) Subject to Section 1.1 preceding, the Telephone Company manages a DS3 Term Volume Plan (**DS3 TVP**) as a single plan and applies tariffed and detariffed rates, terms and conditions as applicable. An annual review includes all of the DS3 TVP services included in that DS3 TVP.

The DS3 TVP provides a customer with discounted monthly recurring rates for DS3 Special Access Line (**SAL**) rate elements based upon a term commitment and a committed number of DS3 SALs (**DS3 Commitment Quantity**). The DS3 Commitment Quantity represents the total number of DS3 SALs that the customer commits to the DS3 TVP, regardless of the total number of DS3 SALs that the customer currently has in-service in the operating territories of this tariff. Only one DS3 Commitment Quantity is allowed for the DS3 TVP. For DS3 TVPs established prior to July 16, 2016, the DS3 Commitment Quantity (along with the Term Commitment as defined in (A)(2) following) determines the Commitment Level and corresponding rates applicable to the DS3 SALs included in the TVP. For DS3 TVPs established on or after July 16, 2016, the DS3 Commitment Quantity for the customer's ACNAs designated for inclusion in the DS3 TVP (along with the Term Commitment as defined in (A)(2) following) determines the Commitment Level and corresponding rates applicable to the DS3 SALs included in the TVP. Commitment Levels are described in (C) following (**Commitment Level**).

(2) The DS3 TVP was offered for a 3 or 5 year term commitment period (**Term Commitment**). For DS3 TVPs established prior to July 16, 2016, upon subscription to the DS3 TVP, all of the customer's DS3s that are eligible for inclusion in the DS3 TVP (whether or not such DS3s are actually included in the Commitment Level) will be billed at the applicable DS3 TVP rate level. For DS3 TVPs established on or after July 16, 2016, upon subscription to the DS3 TVP, all of the customer's DS3s that are eligible for inclusion in the DS3 TVP (whether or not such DS3s are actually included in the Commitment Level) in the ACNAs designated for inclusion in the DS3 TVP will be billed at the applicable DS3 TVP rate level. The applicable DS3 TVP rate level corresponds to the length of the Term Commitment selected by the customer and a Commitment Level as determined by the DS3 Commitment Quantity. For example, if a customer commits 51 DS3 circuits to a 3 year Term Commitment under this DS3 TVP, but has a total of 150 DS3 circuits in-service, the customer will receive a rate corresponding to a Term Commitment of 3 years for a Commitment Level of 50-149 DS3 circuits for all 150 DS3 circuits. (C)

Effective May 30, 2019, subscriptions to new 5-Year DS3 TVPs are no longer permitted. Subject to Section 1.1 preceding, the Telephone Company will continue to provide 5-Year DS3 TVPs pursuant to this Section 5.6.19 on any existing 5-Year DS3 TVP that was in-service as of May 30, 2019 (Existing 5-Year DS3 TVPs), subject to the following conditions:

- The Telephone Company will continue to provide Existing 5-Year DS3 TVPs for the selected commitment period until (i) the customer discontinues service; or (ii) the current commitment period expires, whichever comes first.
- Renewal of an Existing 5-Year DS3 TVP is not permitted.

Effective December 1, 2020, subscriptions to new 3-Year DS3 TVPs are no longer permitted. Subject to Section 1.1 preceding, the Telephone Company will continue to provide 3-Year DS3 TVPs pursuant to this Section 5.6.19 on any existing 3-Year DS3 TVP that was in-service as of December 1, 2020 or any order for 3-Year DS3 TVPs placed with the Telephone Company prior to December 1, 2020 (collectively, Existing 3-Year DS3 TVPs), subject to the following conditions: (N)

- The Telephone Company will continue to provide Existing 3-Year DS3 TVPs for the selected commitment period until (i) the customer discontinues service; or (ii) the current commitment period expires, whichever comes first.
- Renewal of an Existing 3-Year DS3 TVP is not permitted. (N)

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(A) Description (Cont'd)

(3) During the DS3 TVP term, the customer may elect to increase the DS3 Commitment Quantity in accordance with (G) following. (D)

(4) The regulations and rates set forth in this Section 5.6.19 apply only to the DS3 SAL rate elements for Eligible DS3 Services, as defined in (D)(1) following, under a DS3 TVP. All other rate elements or additional features associated with the service are provided at the rates and regulations set forth elsewhere in this tariff as they may apply to those associated rate elements or additional features.

(5) For DS3 TVPs established prior to July 16, 2016, a customer may not concurrently subscribe its DS3 Services to the National Discount Plan as set forth in Section 23.1 following. For DS3 TVPs established on or after July 16, 2016, a customer may not concurrently subscribe its DS3 Services to the National Discount Plan as set forth in Section 23.1 following for those ACNAs designated for inclusion in the DS3 TVP.

Service availability limited. Refer to # footnote on Page 5-117.

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(C) Commitment Levels

The DS3 Commitment Quantity as specified by the customer determines the Commitment Level for the DS3 TVP. The Commitment Level determines the rates applicable to all DS3 SALs included in the DS3 TVP. These rates are arranged in tiers based on the Commitment Level (shown in parentheses below) as set forth in Section 5.7.22 following.

Commitment Level 1 (20 DS3 SALs – 49 DS3 SALs)
Commitment Level 2 (50 DS3 SALs – 149 DS3 SALs)
Commitment Level 3 (150 DS3 SALs – 274 DS3 SALs)
Commitment Level 4 (275 DS3 SALs – 499 DS3 SALs)
Commitment Level 5 (500 DS3 SALs or more)

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(D) Terms and Conditions

(1) The DS3 TVP includes only SALs associated with Protected Individual DS3s without Company Electronics or Protected Individual DS3s with Company Electronics as set forth in Section 5.7.22 following (**Eligible DS3 Services**). No other DS3 offerings as set forth in this or other sections of this tariff will be included in the DS3 TVP.

(2) Subsequent to initial enrollment to the DS3 TVP under (B) preceding, the customer may, at any time during the Term Commitment, purchase (only under the ACNAs included in the DS3 TVP) additional DS3 SALs which are Eligible DS3 Services, each of which shall be automatically included in the DS3 TVP. The additional SALs will be billed at the same rate level as all of the other DS3 SALs in the DS3 TVP. Rate levels for DS3 SALS in a DS3 TVP are set forth in Section 5.7.22 following and are determined by the Term Commitment and DS3 Commitment Quantity for the TVP. The addition of new DS3 SALs does not change the DS3 Commitment Quantity.

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5.6.19 DS3 Term Volume Plan# (Cont'd) (T)

(E) Annual Review

(1) On the anniversary date of the customer's DS3 TVP, the Telephone Company will conduct an Annual Review to determine if the customer has met its DS3 Commitment Quantity of DS3 SALs for the ACNAs included in the DS3 TVP for the prior twelve (12) months. For purposes of conducting the Annual Review, the Telephone Company will develop an average number of DS3 SALs that were in-service over the prior 12 months by first summing the actual number of DS3 SALs that were in-service for each of the prior 12 months (including any DS3 SALs replaced by a Replacing Service(s) using the methodology for a Technology Migration specified in Section 2.10.3 preceding) and then dividing that total by twelve (12). The anniversary date shall be determined as set forth in (B) (1) (a) preceding.

(2) For purposes of the Annual Review, an allowance of up to three percent (3%) below the committed number of in-service DS3 SALs (rounded to the nearest DS3) will be considered as having met the DS3 Commitment Amount. The DS3 Commitment Quantity less the three percent (3%) allowance shall be defined as the **Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity**. For example, the Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity for 48 DS3 SALs is considered to be met if the average number of in-service DS3 SALs determined at the Annual Review is no less than 47 (e.g., 48 DS3 SALs less 3% allowance = 46.56 and then rounded up to 47 SALs). The average number of in-service DS3 SALs determined at the Annual Review may exceed the DS3 Commitment Quantity, subject to (E) (4) and (E) (5) following.

(3) Where the average number of in-service DS3 SALs at the time of the Annual Review is less than the Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity determined in (E) (2) preceding (i.e., customer has not met its DS3 Commitment Quantity, less the 3% allowance), a penalty as set forth under (F) following will be assessed.

(4) Where the average quantity of in-service DS3 SALs at the time of the Annual Review is equal to the customer's Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity (i.e., customer has met its DS3 Commitment Quantity. less the 3% allowance), or exceeds the DS3 Commitment Quantity by no more than thirty percent (30%), no penalty applies. The current DS3 Commitment Quantity will continue for the remainder of the TVP Term Commitment unless otherwise adjusted under this Section (E) and (G) following.

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(E) Annual Review (Cont'd)

(5) Where the average quantity of in-service DS3 SALs at the time of the Annual Review exceeds the DS3 Commitment Quantity by more than thirty percent (30%), the DS3 Commitment Quantity will be automatically reset by the Telephone Company to a level that is equal to the existing DS3 Commitment Quantity of DS3 SALs plus 50% of the number of DS3 SALs that are in excess of the current DS3 Commitment Quantity rounded to the next DS3 SAL. For example, if the existing DS3 Commitment Quantity at the time of Annual Review is 100 DS3 SALs, and the average in-service quantity at the time of Annual Review is 137 DS3 SALs, the new DS3 Commitment Quantity will be set at 119 SALS (100 + (37 x .5) = 118.5 DS3 SALs rounded to the nearest whole number) and will apply for the remainder of the Term Commitment unless otherwise adjusted under this Section (E).

(6) Within thirty (30) days after completion of an Annual Review, the customer has the option to reduce its DS3 Commitment Quantity under the Buy Down option described in (G) (4) following. Should the Annual Review result in the automatic increase of the DS3 Minimum Commitment Quantity as described in (E)(5) above, such increase will be applied before the customer may exercise the Buy Down option. The reduced Commitment Level will be utilized for administering the terms and conditions in this Section 5.6.19 for the remainder of the Term Commitment. Buy Down provisions will be applied after application of any Shortfall Penalties due as a result of that Annual Review. The customer's exercise of the Buy Down provisions shall not relieve the customer of any Shortfall Penalties that are assessed by Telephone Company prior to the exercise of the Buy-Down. No adjustment to prior billing will occur, and no credits will be given for reduction to the DS3 Commitment Quantity under the Buy Down option. (D)

(F) Shortfall Penalties for Failing To Meet the Commitment Level

When the average number of in-service DS3 SALs at the Annual Review is less than the Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity, as determined in (E)(2) preceding, a shortfall penalty applies. The shortfall penalty is calculated by multiplying the following:

(i) TVP rate for the predominant service type purchased by the customer (for example, if sixty percent (60%) of the customer's DS3 SALs included in the DS3 TVP are End User DS3 SALs with Company Electronics, then the rate for End User DS3 SALs with Company Electronics shall apply) by
(ii) The Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity minus the average in-service quantity of DS3 SALs by
(iii) twelve (12) months

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(F) Shortfall Penalties for Failing To Meet the Commitment Level (Cont'd)

For example, a customer that has predominantly End User DS3 SALs with Company Electronics would incur the following shortfall penalty if it failed to meet its Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity as calculated under (E) (2) preceding at the Annual Review. Assume the following circumstances occurred.

- Current commitment is 101 circuits.
- Average quantity of In-service DS3 SALs at Annual Review = 90
- Minimum DS3 SAL requirement is 101 less 3%, or 98 circuits
- Shortfall is 98 - 90 = 8
- Rate for predominant type of DS3 SAL is $975
- Shortfall penalty amount is 8 x $975 x 12 = $93,600

(G) Changes to Commitment Level

(1) At any time during the Term Commitment, the customer may increase the DS3 Commitment Quantity to achieve a higher Commitment Level. Such request must be submitted in writing to the Telephone Company in accordance with the same requirements used for initial enrollment to DS3 TVP under (B) preceding. The rates associated with the increased DS3 Commitment Quantity are effective upon the enrollment date specified in the customer's written subscription to increase the DS3 Commitment Quantity. No retroactive adjustment prior to the subscription date for the increased DS3 Commitment Quantity will be made for any additional discount that may be associated with the customer-initiated increase in Commitment Level.

(2) When the DS3 Commitment Quantity for the TVP is reduced under (G) (4) following for a Buy-Down of the DS3 Commitment Quantity, the DS3 Commitment Quantity resulting from the Buy-Down will become the DS3 Commitment Quantity for determining the Commitment Level and rates going forward, and DS3 Commitment Quantity for the Annual Review(s) going forward.

(3) Reserved for future use.

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(G) Changes to Commitment Level (Cont'd)

(4) Within 30 days after completion of the Annual Review, the customer may reduce (**Buy-Down**) its DS3 Commitment Quantity. Customers may exercise the Buy-Down option by notifying the Telephone Company in writing and paying an amount equal to twenty percent (20%) of the recurring monthly charges for the remainder of the Term Commitment for each DS3 SAL that is removed from the DS3 Commitment Quantity. The monthly rate used to calculate the Buy-Down penalty is the DS3 SAL rate for the predominant type of DS3 SAL as defined in (F) preceding. The following is an example of calculation of the Buy-Down option. Assume the following:

Monthly rate for the predominant type of DS3 SAL is the End User SAL with Company Electronics at:	$975
Remaining months in plan:	36
Number of circuits reduced:	8

The Buy Down amount would be $975 x 36 x 8 x 20% Buy Down = $56,160.

(H) TVP Term Commitment Extension Option

(1) Effective May 30, 2019, extension options are not permitted on 5-year DS3 TVPs.

(2) Effective December 1, 2020, extension options are not permitted on 3-year DS3 TVPs. (N) (N)

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(I) TVP Renewal Options

(1) At the expiration of the TVP Term Commitment, the Telephone Company will convert billing to a One Year Minimum Service Period as described in 5.6.11(B) preceding, and a new DS3 Minimum Service Period will begin. (C) | (C)

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(2) Installation charges do not apply to those DS3 SALs that are in service on the date that they are converted from the DS3 TVP to the other term plan. (T)

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(J) Upgrades

(1) Upgrade to a Higher Speed Service

(a) During the Term Commitment, the customer may upgrade DS3 service under a DS3 TVP to an equal or higher speed service by disconnecting the DS3 Service under the DS3 TVP and installing the upgraded service in accordance with the terms and conditions for that service. The upgraded service is subject to all terms, conditions, rates, and charges for the upgraded service as specified in the applicable sections of this tariff.

(b) Customer will qualify for adjustment of their DS3 Commitment Quantity, as set forth in (J) (3) following, if customer is unable to meet the Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity and is subject to shortfall penalties as a direct result of its discontinuation of DS3 SALs which are upgraded to an equal or higher speed service. Customer will qualify for such adjustment to its DS3 Commitment Quantity only if the following terms and conditions are met:

(1) Both the discontinued service and the upgraded service are provided solely by the Telephone Company.

(2) The total bandwidth of the upgraded service is equal to or greater than the total bandwidth of the discontinued service. For example, if two (2) in-service DS3 SALs are discontinued and replaced by an OC-3 level SONET service (equivalent to 3 DS3s), the customer would be eligible to receive credit for two (2) DS3 SALs under this provision.

(3) The orders to disconnect the existing service and install the upgraded service are placed at the same time and with due dates that are within ninety (90) days of each other.

(4) The Term Commitment for the upgraded service must be equal to or greater than the Term Commitment for the discontinued service, except when an equal to or greater than Term Commitment period is not available under the upgraded service, in which case the longest Term Commitment period offered on the upgraded service must be selected.

(5) The originating and terminating locations of the service being upgraded are the same originating and termination locations for the replaced (upgraded) service.

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(J) Upgrades (Cont'd)

(1) Upgrade to a Higher Speed Service (Cont'd)

(c) In addition to (b) (1) through (5) preceding, the customer must provide written notice of the upgrade to the Telephone Company for its use during the Annual Review. Written notification must be made at the time the customer orders the upgrade and/or thirty (30) calendar days following the Annual Review as described in (E) preceding. The notification must be received by the Telephone Company within the allotted time, or the customer may be subject to a shortfall penalty if it fails to meet the Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity for the Annual Review period. Such notice must include order number information, including the purchase order number (**PON**), of each disconnected service that was upgraded during the Annual Review period. Failure to provide written notification to the Telephone Company within the allotted time will result in the customer forfeiting any credit for the upgrade that would otherwise apply.

(d) DS3 SALs that qualify as upgrades under (a) through (c) preceding will be added to the customer's actual in-service DS3 SAL counts for the purpose of determining whether the customer met the Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity for the remainder of the TVP term. For example, if the customer has a DS3 Commitment Quantity of 155 DS3 SALs and is eligible for 20 DS3 SAL upgrades to a high speed service, the customer will have met the Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity if their average in-service quantity of DS3 SALs is equal to or greater than 130 DS3 SALs (e.g., 155 less 3% (5 DS3 SALs) less 20 DS3 SALs equals 130 DS3 SALs).

(2) Technology Migration

For customers who subscribe to a DS3 TVP on or after December 2, 2010, or renew an expiring DS3 TVP on or after December 2, 2010, the DS3 TVP customer may disconnect a High Capacity Digital DS3 Service provided under a DS3 TVP in order to replace such service with a Replacing Service pursuant to Section 2.10 preceding.

For customers who subscribed to a DS3 TVP prior to December 2, 2010, Section 5.6.19(J)(1) preceding includes replacements of a service under a DS3 TVP with a Telephone Company provided Ethernet private line service or a Telephone Company provided switched Ethernet service of a higher speed. However, the customer may, at its option, replace service under a DS3 TVP with a Replacing Service pursuant to Section 2.10 preceding in lieu of Section 5.6.19(J)(1) preceding.

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(K) Termination Liability

(1) When the entire DS3 TVP is discontinued prior to the end of the Term Commitment, termination liability applies to each DS3 SAL that is in-service for the ACNAs included in the DS3 TVP on the date of discontinuance. Termination liability charges apply from the date of discontinuance to the end of the Term Commitment of the DS3 TVP. When applicable, termination liability is equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the total monthly recurring charges for the remaining portion of the first year and fifteen percent (15%) of the total monthly recurring charges for the remainder of the Term Commitment. The monthly rates used to calculate termination liability are the monthly rates that would otherwise apply had the DS3 TVP not been discontinued (i.e., charges based on current Commitment Level and Term Commitment at the time of discontinuance).

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(K) Termination Liability (Cont'd)

(2) TISC

(a) TISC reduces the time for which the new DS3 TVP is subject to termination liability under (K)(1) preceding. TISC will be granted based on the longest in service time of any DS3 circuit being converted as shown in the following table: (D)

DS3 SAL Time In-Service	TVP Plan Term	TISC Allowance
24 to 36 months	3 Years or Longer	6 months credit
Over 36 months	3 Years	6 months credit
Over 36 months	5 Years or Longer	12 months credit* (T)

For example, if the customer had SALs with in service times of 11 months, 18 months, 26 months, and 48 months and subscribed to a 3-Year TVP, they would be eligible for 6 months of TISC, as set forth in the table above. If that same customer subscribed to a 5-Year TVP, they would be eligible for 12 months TISC.

(b) In order to receive TISC, the customer must have requested TISC at the time of initial subscription to the DS3 TVP under (B) preceding by providing the circuit ID and Service Establishment Date (**SED**) of the qualifying circuit.

(c) The maximum amount of TISC available under this Section 5.6.19 is six (6) months. TISC will be applied to the end of the Commitment Period. TISC reduces the number of months from the end of the selected Commitment Period to which termination liability charges are applicable for the purposes of calculating any Termination Liability that may be applied under this Section (K). (C) (C) (D)

(d) The customer may also receive C-TISC as a result of converting its DS3 TVP to a new DS3 TVP under (H) preceding. (D)

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* Applies only to customers who were granted TISC upon subscription to a 5-year DS3 TVP which began prior to May 30, 2019. (N)

Service availability limited. Refer to # footnote on Page 5-117. (N)

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(L) Termination Without Liability

(1) Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Section 5.6.19, including any shortfall penalties that might apply for failing to meet the Minimum DS3 Commitment Quantity, Minimum Period charges, and all other applicable requirements and penalties as set forth in other sections of this tariff, individual DS3 SALs may be disconnected under the DS3 TVP without the application of termination liability charges.

(2) For DS3 TVPs established prior to December 17, 2019, in the event the Telephone Company initiates a rate increase and the total discounted monthly billing for the affected service type increases by eight percent (8%) or more, the customer may cancel the DS3 TVP without the application of termination liability, as set forth in (K) preceding. The customer must exercise its option to cancel the DS3 TVP under these conditions by providing written notice to the Telephone Company within thirty (30) calendar days of the date of the effective rate increase. (C)

(M) Minimum Period Charges

A one (1) year minimum period will apply to all new DS3 SALs that are added after the DS3 TVP enrollment date. If such service is disconnected prior to completion of the first year following establishment of such service, a charge equal to 100% of the monthly recurring charge for such service applies for the balance of the minimum period. Minimum period charges are in addition to any termination liabilities that may be assessed in accordance with (K)(1) preceding, and no Time in Service Credits are applicable for the minimum period. For example, assume that the customer subscribes to DS3 TVP on the first day of January and subsequently orders a new service under its DS3 TVP on the first day of February in the same year. Also assume that the customer disconnects that same service seven (7) months later and that the monthly recurring charge for that service at the time of the disconnection is $900. Further, assume that the customer continues to be enrolled in its DS3 TVP. The Minimum Period Charge will be the five (5) remaining months x $900 = $4,500 Minimum Period liability. DS3 SALs that are already in-service at the time of initial subscription to TVP are not subject to the 1 year minimum period under this (K)(3).

Service availability limited. Refer to # footnote on Page 5-117.

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5.6.19 DS3 Term Volume Plan# (Cont'd)

(N) Rate Changes

The Telephone Company may change rates for any or all of the DS3 TVP SAL rate elements at any time. Subject to the provisions of (L) (2) preceding, the new rates will apply for the remainder of the TVP Term.

(O) TVP Nonrecurring Charge

Nonrecurring charges apply as specified in this or other sections of this tariff. (D)

Service availability limited. Refer to # footnote on Page 5-117.

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5.7 Rates and Charges

5.7.1 Nonrecurring Charges

Special Access Ordering Charges

(USOC)	Design Change Per ASR/Per Occurrence (H28)	
Jurisdiction		
Pennsylvania		
Price Cap	150.00	(D)
Virginia		
Price Cap	150.00	(D)

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5.7.2 Voiceband Facilities

(A) Standard Arrangements

	Special Access Line		
	Nonrecurring Charge	Two-Wire Monthly Rate	Four-Wire Monthly Rate
(USOC)		(EUC2X)	(EUC4X)
Jurisdiction			

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5.7.2 Voiceband Facilities

(A) Standard Arrangements

(USOC)	End User Special Access Line Nonrecurring Charge	Two-Wire Monthly Rate (EUC2X)	Four-Wire Monthly Rate (EUC4X)	
Jurisdiction				
Pennsylvania				
Price Cap	200.00	$37.70	$53.11	(I)
Virginia				
Price Cap	200.00	39.78	54.28	(I)

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5.7.2 Voiceband Facilities (Cont'd)

(A) Standard Arrangements (Cont'd)

(USOC)	Special Transport (Per Airline Mile) Monthly Rate (1LFSX)	Special Access Line Nonrecurring Charge	Special Access Line Two-Wire Monthly Rate (1XC2X) (X2W)	Special Access Line Four-Wire Monthly Rate (1XC4X) (X4W)
Jurisdiction				

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5.7.2 Voiceband Facilities (Cont'd)

(B) Optional Arrangements (Cont'd)

	Supplemental Features Multipoint Data Bridging (Per Port) Monthly Rate	
(USOC)	(B5NDJ)	
Jurisdiction		
Pennsylvania		
Price Cap	$8.00	(D) | (D) (T)
Virginia		
Price Cap	$8.00	(D) | (D) (T)

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5.7.2 Voiceband Facilities (Cont'd)

(B) Optional Arrangements (Cont'd)

	Supplemental Features Conditioning Arrangements - Data		
(USOC)	Type C Monthly Rate (X1CPT)	Type DA Monthly Rate (XDCPT)	
Jurisdiction			
Pennsylvania			
Price Cap	$1.50	$2.00	(D) (T)
Virginia			
Price Cap	1.50	2.00	(D)

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5.7.2 Voiceband Facilities (Cont'd)

(B) Optional Arrangements (Cont'd)

	Supplemental Features Conditioning Arrangements - Data Type C – Improved Monthly Rate
(USOC)	(UHY) (UHW) (XCECM)
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5.7.2 Voiceband Facilities (Cont'd)

(B) Optional Arrangements (Cont'd)

	Supplemental Features Conditioning Arrangements - Data Type C – Improved Monthly Rate (UHY) (UHW) (XCECM)	
(USOC)		
Jurisdiction		
Pennsylvania		
Price Cap	$30.00	(D) (T)
Virginia		
Price Cap	30.00	(D)

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(B) Optional Arrangements (Cont'd)

	Supplemental Features Signaling Arrangement Loop or E&M to SF, per SAL Monthly Rate (OSB)	
(USOC)		
Jurisdiction		
Pennsylvania		
Price Cap	$16.00	(D) (T)
Virginia		
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	Supplemental Features Signaling Arrangement Automatic Ringdown, per SAL Monthly Rate (XSSLR)	
(USOC)		
Jurisdiction		
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Price Cap	$10.00	(T)
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Supplemental Features
Improved Termination Option, Per SAL

(USOC)	Monthly Rate (X4T)	
Jurisdiction		
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Price Cap	$10.00	(D) (T)
Virginia		
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FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

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5.7.5 Digital Data Service Facilities
(2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2, 56, 64 Kbps)

(A) Standard Arrangements

	Special Access Line		
(USOC)	All Speeds Nonrecurring Charge (NRBDD)	2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2 Kbps Monthly Rate (EUCXX) (TNTM2)**	56, 64 Kbps Monthly Rate (EUCXX) (TNTM2)**
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5.7.5 Digital Data Service Facilities
(2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2, 56, 64 Kbps)

(A) Standard Arrangements

(USOC)	End User Special Access Line All Speeds Nonrecurring Charge (NRBDD)	2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2 Kbps Monthly Rate (EUCXX) (TNTM2)**	56, 64 Kbps Monthly Rate (EUCXX) (TNTM2)**	
Jurisdiction				
Pennsylvania				
Price Cap	$250.00	$164.84	$164.84	(I)
Virginia				
Price Cap	250.00	155.22	155.22	(I)

** Effective August 1, 2002, the 4-wire service associated with the EUCXX USOC is no longer available with new service requests in Virginia. However, the Company may still use the USOC in instances where the TNTM2 USOC cannot be used.

FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

5. SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.7 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

5.7.5 Digital Data Service Facilities
(2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2, 56, 64 Kbps)

(A) Standard Arrangements

	Special Transport	Special Access Line		
	All Speeds (Per Airline Mile) Monthly Rate	All Speeds Nonrecurring Charge	2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2 Kbps Monthly Rate	56, 64 Kbps Monthly Rate
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FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

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5.7.5 Digital Data Service Facilities (Cont'd)
(2.4, 4.8, 9.6, 19.2, 56, 64 Kbps)

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5.7.5 Digital Data Service Facilities (Cont'd)
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5.7.5 Digital Data Service Facilities (Cont'd)

(C) Optional Arrangements

	Supplemental Features	
	DDS Bridging (Per Port)	Secondary Channel
	Monthly Rate	Monthly Rate
(USOC)	(BCNDA)	(SCA24) (SCA48) (SCA96) (SCA56)
Jurisdiction		
Pennsylvania Price Cap	$11.00	NA (D)
Virginia Price Cap	$11.00	7.00 (D)

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FACILITIES FOR INTERSTATE ACCESS

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5.7 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

5.7.7 High Capacity DS1 (1.544 Mbps) Facilities

(A) Standard Arrangements

	Special Access Line	
	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rate
(USOC)		(EUW)
Jurisdiction		

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5.7 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

5.7.7 High Capacity DS1 (1.544 Mbps) Facilities (Cont'd)

(A) Standard Arrangements (Cont'd)

(USOC)	End User Special Access Line Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rate (EUW)	
Jurisdiction			
Pennsylvania			
Price Cap	$450.00	$295.64	(I)
Virginia			
Price Cap	450.00	306.50	(I)

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5.7.7 High Capacity DS1 (1.544 Mbps) Facilities (Cont'd)

(A) Standard Arrangements (Cont'd)

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5.7 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

5.7.10 High Capacity Digital DS3 (44.736 Mbps) Facilities - Three System## (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Protected DS3 - With Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

	First End User Special Access Line				(D)
(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge	One Year Monthly Rate (EUUE1)#	Three Year Monthly Rate (EUUE3)	Five Year Monthly Rate (EUUE5)	
Jurisdiction					
Pennsylvania					
Price Cap	$2,500.00	$1,480.00	$1,240.00	$1,108.00	
Virginia					
Price Cap	2,500.00	2,370.00	2,140.00	1,660.00	

USOC applies to all jurisdictions in which the First Special Access Line Protected DS3 - With Telephone Company Electronics is provided under the NDP as set forth in Section 23.1 following.
Service availability limited. Refer to Page # footnote on Page 5-74.

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5.7.10 High Capacity Digital DS3 (44.736 Mbps) Facilities - Three System## (T)

(A) Protected DS3 - With Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

Each Additional End User Special Access Line - Maximum of 2

(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge	One Year Monthly Rate (EUUG1)#	Three Year Monthly Rate (EUUG3)	Five Year Monthly Rate (EUUG5)	(D)
Jurisdiction					
Pennsylvania					
Price Cap	$1,000.00	$1,110.00	$930.00	$831.00	
Virginia					
Price Cap	1,000.00	1,777.50	1,605.00	1,245.00	

USOC applies to all jurisdictions in which each additional Special Access Line Protected DS3 - With Telephone Company Electronics is provided under the NDP as set forth in Section 23.1 following.
Service availability limited. Refer to Page # footnote on Page 5-74.

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5.7.11 High Capacity Digital DS3 (44.736 Mbps) Facilities - Unlimited System# (T)

(A) Protected DS3 - With Telephone Company Electronics

	First End User Special Access Line					(D)
(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge	One Year Monthly Rate (EUUF1)	Three Year Monthly Rate (EUUF3)	Five Year Monthly Rate (EUUF5)	Seven Year Monthly Rate (EUUF7)	
Jurisdiction						
Pennsylvania						
Price Cap	$4,500.00	$4,242.00	$3,605.75	$3,252.25	$2,898.75	
Virginia						
Price Cap	4,500.00	6,471.75	5,510.00	4,985.25	4,547.75	

Service availability limited. Refer to Page # footnote on Page 5-74.

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5.7.11 High Capacity Digital DS3 (44.736 Mbps) Facilities - Unlimited System# (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Protected DS3 - With Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

Each Additional End User Special Access Line

(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge	One Year Monthly Rate (EUUH1)	Three Year Monthly Rate (EUUH3)	Five Year Monthly Rate (EUUH5)	(D)
Jurisdiction					
Pennsylvania					
Price Cap	$1,000.00	$450.00	$396.25	$365.00	
Virginia					
Price Cap	1,000.00	800.00	727.75	569.25	

Service availability limited. Refer to Page # footnote on Page 5-74.

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5.7.11 High Capacity Digital DS3 (44.736 Mbps) Facilities - Unlimited System# (Cont'd) (T)

(B) Protected DS3 - Without Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

		First End User Special Access Line			(D)
(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge	One Year Monthly Rate (EUUL1)	Three Year Monthly Rate (EUUL3)	Five Year Monthly Rate (EUUL5)	
Jurisdiction					
Pennsylvania					
Price Cap	$3,375.00	$2,887.25	$2,454.25	$2,213.75	
Virginia					
Price Cap	3,375.00	4,405.25	3,750.25	3,393.25	

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5.7.11 High Capacity Digital DS3 (44.736 Mbps) Facilities - Unlimited System# (Cont'd) (T)

(B) Protected DS3 - Without Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

		Each Additional End User Special Access Line				(D)
(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge	One Year Monthly Rate	Three Year Monthly Rate	Five Year Monthly Rate	Seven Year Monthly Rate	
		(EUUN1)	(EUUN3)	(EUUN5)	(EUUN7)	
Jurisdiction						
Pennsylvania						
Price Cap	$750.00	$437.00	$390.75	$332.75	$314.50	
Virginia						
Price Cap	750.00	772.00	705.75	544.50	407.50	

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5.7.12 High Capacity Digital DS3 (44.736 Mbps) Facilities - Individual System (Cont'd)

(A) Protected DS3 Individual - With Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

Each End User Special Access Line

(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge	One Year Monthly Rate (EUUD1)#	Three Year## Monthly Rate (EUUD3)	Five Year## Monthly Rate EUUD5)	Seven Year## Monthly Rate (EUUD7)
Jurisdiction					
Pennsylvania					
Price Cap	$1,000.00	$1,440.00 (I)	$1,000.00	$890.00	$805.00
Virginia					
Price Cap	1,000.00	1,750.00	1,343.50	1,166.00	1,004.00

USOC applies to all jurisdictions in which each Special Access Line Protected DS3 - With Telephone Company Electronics is provided under the NDP as set forth in Section 23.1 following.
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5.7.12 High Capacity Digital DS3 (44.736 Mbps) Facilities - Individual System (Cont'd)

(B) Protected DS3 Individual - Without Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

Each End User Special Access Line

(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge	One Year Monthly Rate (EUUJ1)#	Three Year## Monthly Rate (EUUJ3)	Five Year## Monthly Rate (EUUJ5)	Seven Year## Monthly Rate (EUUJ7)	(T)
Jurisdiction						
Pennsylvania						
Price Cap	$750.00	$885.00	$725.00	$650.00	$538.00	
Virginia						
Price Cap	750.00	1,312.50	1,031.50	880.75	754.00	

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5.7.18 DS1 Term Volume Plan (TVP)# (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Special Access Line, Per DS1 SAL (Cont'd)

(1) One Year Term

		Monthly Rate DS1 End User SAL Threshold Levels (NRBVR)		
(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge, All Thresholds	2-60 (EUU41)	61-120 (EUU51)	121-240 (EUU61)
Jurisdiction				
Pennsylvania				
Price Cap	$450.00	$194.14	$184.69	$175.25
Virginia				
Price Cap	450.00	173.15	165.80	157.41

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5.7.18 DS1 Term Volume Plan (TVP)# (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Special Access Line, Per DS1 SAL (Cont'd)

(1) One Year Term (Cont'd)

	Monthly Rate DS1 End User SAL Threshold Levels					
(USOC)	241-500 (EUU71)	501-1000 (EUU81)	1001-3000 (EUU91)	3001-6000 (EUUA1)	6001-11,000 (EUUB1)	Over 11,000 (EUUC1)
Jurisdiction						
Pennsylvania						
Price Cap	$165.80	$163.70	$162.66	$160.55	$158.46	$156.36
Virginia						
Price Cap	149.01	147.96	145.86	144.82	142.71	141.67

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5.7.18 DS1 Term Volume Plan (TVP)# (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Special Access Line, Per DS1 SAL (Cont'd)

(2) Two Year Term (Cont'd)

	Monthly Rate DS1 End User SAL Threshold Levels (NRBVR)			
(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge, All Thresholds	2-60 (EUU42)	61-120 (EUU52)	121-240 (EUU62)
Jurisdiction				
Pennsylvania				
Price Cap	$450.00	$184.69	$175.25	$165.80
Virginia				
Price Cap	450.00	165.80	157.41	149.01

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5.7.18 DS1 Term Volume Plan (TVP)# (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Special Access Line, Per DS1 SAL (Cont'd)

(2) Two Year Term (Cont'd)

	Monthly Rate DS1 End User SAL Threshold Levels					
(USOC)	241-500 (EUU72)	501-1000 (EUU82)	1001-3000 (EUU92)	3001-6000 (EUUA2)	6001-11,000 (EUUB2)	Over 11,000 (EUUC2)
Jurisdiction						
Pennsylvania						
Price Cap	$156.36	$154.26	$153.21	$151.11	$149.01	$146.92
Virginia						
Price Cap	141.67	139.57	138.52	136.42	135.37	133.27

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5.7.18 DS1 Term Volume Plan (TVP)# (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Special Access Line, Per DS1 SAL (Cont'd)

(3) Three Year Term (Cont'd)

(USOC)	Monthly Rate DS1 End User SAL Threshold Levels (NRBVR)			
(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge, All Thresholds	2-60 (EUU43)	61-120 (EUU53)	121-240 (EUU63)
Jurisdiction				
Pennsylvania				
Price Cap	$450.00	$175.25	$165.80	$156.36
Virginia				
Price Cap	450.00	157.41	149.01	141.67

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5.7.18 DS1 Term Volume Plan (TVP)# (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Special Access Line, Per DS1 SAL(Cont'd)

(3) Three Year Term (Cont'd)

Monthly Rate
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(USOC)	241-500 (EUU73)	501-1000 (EUU83)	1001-3000 (EUU93)	3001-6000 (EUUA3)	6001-11,000 (EUUB3)	Over 11,000 (EUUC3)
Jurisdiction						
Pennsylvania						
Price Cap	$146.92	$145.86	$143.77	$141.67	$139.57	$137.48
Virginia						
Price Cap	133.27	131.17	130.12	128.02	126.98	124.88

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5.7.18 DS1 Term Volume Plan (TVP)# (Cont'd)

(A) Special Access Line, Per DS1 SAL (Cont'd)

(4) Five Year Term (Cont'd)

(USOC)	Monthly Rate DS1 End User SAL Threshold Levels (NRBVR)				
	Nonrecurring Charge, All Thresholds	2-60 (EUU45)	61-120 (EUU55)	121-240 (EUU65)	
Jurisdiction					
Pennsylvania					(D) | (D)
Price Cap	$450.00	$156.36	$146.92	$137.48	(T)
Virginia					(D) | (D)
Price Cap	450.00	141.67	133.27	124.88	

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5.7.18 DS1 Term Volume Plan (TVP)# (Cont'd)

(A) Special Access Line, Per DS1 SAL (Cont'd)

(4) Five Year Term (Cont'd)

	Monthly Rate DS1 End User SAL Threshold Levels						
(USOC)	241-500 (EUU75)	501-1000 (EUU85)	1001-3000 (EUU95)	3001-6000 (EUUA5)	6001-11,000 (EUUB5)	Over 11,000 (EUUC5)	
Jurisdiction							
Pennsylvania							
Price Cap	$126.98	$124.88	$122.78	$120.68	$119.63	$117.53	(D) | (D) (T)
Virginia							
Price Cap	115.43	114.39	112.29	111.24	109.14	107.04	(D) | (D)

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5.7.18 DS1 Term Volume Plan (TVP)# (Cont'd)

(A) Special Access Line, Per DS1 SAL (Cont'd)

(5) Eight Year Term

		Monthly Rate DS1 End User SAL Threshold Levels (NRBVR)					
(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge, All Thresholds	4000-6000 (EUUR8)	6001-10,000 (EUUS8)	10,001-20,000 (EUUT8)	20,001-30,000 (EUUU8)	Over 30,000 (EUUV8)	
Jurisdiction							
Pennsylvania							(D) | (D)
Price Cap	$430.00	$114.64	$114.64	$112.63	$111.62	$110.62	(T)
Virginia							(D) | (D)
Price Cap	430.00	105.59	104.58	102.57	101.57	100.56	

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5.7.18 DS1 Term Volume Plan (TVP)# (Cont'd)

(A) Special Access Line, Per DS1 SAL (Cont'd)

(6) Ten Year Term (Cont'd)

(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge, All Thresholds	Monthly Rate DS1 End User SAL Threshold Levels (NRBVR) 4000-6000 (EUURJ)	6001-10,000 (EUUSJ)	10,001-20,000 (EUUTJ)	20,001-30,000 (EUUUJ)	Over 30,000 (EUUVJ)	
Jurisdiction							
Pennsylvania							
Price Cap	$430.00	$113.63	$112.63	$98.56	$106.32	$103.17	(R)
Virginia							
Price Cap	430.00	104.58	102.57	89.60	96.57	93.62	(R)

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5.7.22 DS3 Term Volume Plan# (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Protected Individual DS3 SAL with Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

(1) 3-Year (Cont'd)

Jurisdiction	Commitment Level				
Pennsylvania	20-49 (EQUA3)	50-149 (EQUB3)	150-274 (EQUC3)	275-499 (EQUD3)	500+ (EQUE3)
			Monthly Rates*		
Price Cap	$1,025.00	$1,000.00	$ 975.00	$925.00	$875.00
			Nonrecurring Charge*		
Price Cap	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00

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5.7.22 DS3 Term Volume Plan# (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Protected Individual DS3 SAL with Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

(1) 3-Year (Cont'd)

Jurisdiction	Commitment Level				
Virginia					
End User SAL					
	20-49 (EQUA3)	50-149 (EQUB3)	150-274 (EQUC3)	275-499 (EQUD3)	500+ (EQUE3)
	Monthly Rates				
Price Cap	$1,025.00	$1,000.00	$ 975.00	$ 925.00	$ 875.00
	Nonrecurring Charge				
Price Cap	$1,000.00	$1,000.00	$1,000.00	$1,000.00	$1,000.00

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5.7.22 DS3 Term Volume Plan# (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Protected Individual DS3 SAL with Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

(2) 5-Year (Cont'd)

Jurisdiction	Commitment Level				
	20-49 (EQUA5)	50-149 (EQUB5)	150-274 (EQUC5)	275-499 (EQUD5)	500+ (EQUE5)
Pennsylvania					
	Monthly Rates*				
Price Cap	$990.00	$975.00	$950.00	$900.00	$855.00
	Nonrecurring Charge*				
Price Cap	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00

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5.7 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

5.7.22 DS3 Term Volume Plan# (Cont'd) (T)

(A) Protected Individual DS3 SAL with Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

(2) 5-Year (Cont'd)

Jurisdiction	Commitment Level				
Virginia					
End User SAL					
	20-49 (EQUA5)	50-149 (EQUB5)	150-274 (EQUC5)	275-499 (EQUD5)	500+ (EQUE5)
	Monthly Rates				
Price Cap	$990.00	$975.00	$950.00	$900.00	$855.00
	Nonrecurring Charge				
Price Cap	$1,000.00	$1,000.00	$1,000.00	$1,000.00	$1,000.00

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5.7.22 DS3 Term Volume Plan# (Cont'd) (T)

(B) Protected Individual DS3 SAL without Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

(1) 3-Year (Cont'd)

Jurisdiction	Commitment Level				
Pennsylvania	20-49 (EQUF3)	50-149 (EQUG3)	150-274 (EQUH3)	275-499 (EQUJ3)	500+ (EQUK3)
	Monthly Rates				
Price Cap	$820.00	$800.00	$780.00	$740.00	$700.00
	Nonrecurring Charge*				
Price Cap	750.00	750.00	750.00	750.00	750.00

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5.7.22 DS3 Term Volume Plan# (Cont'd) (T)

(B) Protected Individual DS3 SAL without Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

(1) 3-Year (Cont'd)

Jurisdiction	Commitment Level				
Virginia					
End User SAL					
	20-49 (EQUF3)	50-149 (EQUG3)	150-274 (EQUH3)	275-499 (EQUJ3)	500+ (EQUK3)
	Monthly Rates				
Price Cap	$ 820.00	$ 800.00	$ 780.00	$ 740.00	$ 700.00
	Nonrecurring Charge				
Price Cap	$750.00	$750.00	$750.00	$750.00	$750.00

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5.7 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

5.7.22 DS3 Term Volume Plan# (Cont'd) (T)

(B) Protected Individual DS3 SAL without Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

(2) 5-Year (Cont'd)

Jurisdiction	Commitment Level 20-49 (EQUF5)	50-149 (EQUG5)	150-274 (EQUH5)	275-499 (EQUJ5)	500+ (EQUK5)
Pennsylvania					
	Monthly Rates				
Price Cap	$792.00	$780.00	$760.00	$720.00	$ 684.00
	Nonrecurring Charge*				
Price Cap	750.00	750.00	750.00	750.00	750.00

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5.7.22 DS3 Term Volume Plan# (Cont'd) (T)

(B) Protected Individual DS3 SAL without Telephone Company Electronics (Cont'd)

(2) 5-Year (Cont'd)

Jurisdiction	Commitment Level				
Virginia					
End User SAL	20-49 (EQUF5)	50-149 (EQUG5)	150-274 (EQUH5)	275-499 (EQUJ5)	500+ (EQUK5)
	Monthly Rates				
Price Cap	$792.00	$780.00	$760.00	$720.00	$684.00
	Nonrecurring Charge				
Price Cap	$750.00	$750.00	$750.00	$750.00	$750.00

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5.7 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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5.8 Miscellaneous Special Access Services

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5.8 Miscellaneous Special Access Services

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5.8.5 Clear Channel Capability (USOC - CCO)

(A) Description of Service

An arrangement that allows the customer to transport 1.536 Mbps of information through a DS1 with no constraint on the quantity or sequence of one (mark) and zero (space) bits utilizing the Bipolar with Eight Zero Substitution (B8ZS) method of providing bit sequence independence. This arrangement is capable of transporting DS1 signals which utilize Superframe or Extended Superframe Format (ESF) as defined by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) T1.107-2002 (R2006) standard. The installation interval for Clear Channel Capability may exceed standard intervals where equipment in the central office is not readily available. The charges apply on a per SAL basis. Clear Channel Capability for DS1 is provided under Section 11.8.3(H) to the Federal Government.

This arrangement requires the customer signal at the channel interface to conform to the B8ZS method of providing bit sequence independence, as described in ANSI T1.102-1993 (R2005) and Section 6103 of the GTE Technical Interface Reference Manual.

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5.8 Miscellaneous Special Access Services (Cont'd)

5.8.5 Clear Channel Capability (Cont'd)

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5.8 Miscellaneous Special Access Services (Cont'd)

5.8.5 Clear Channel Capability (Cont'd)

(B) Rates

(USOC)	Nonrecurring Charge	Monthly Rate (CCO)	
Jurisdiction			
Pennsylvania			
Price Cap	$90.00	$28.80	(I)
Virginia			
Price Cap	90.00	28.80	(I)

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5.8 Miscellaneous Special Access Services (Cont'd)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

Customer Name	Description and Location	MTL/NRC MRC	TELCO	Termination Liability Period

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

Customer Name	Description and Location	MTL/NRC MRC	TELCO	Termination Liability Period

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

Customer Name	Description and Location	MTL/NRC MRC	GTOC	Termination Liability Period
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania ID#PA92216E	Provide a Wellfleet router in the Erie Main CO for use by the State System of Higher Education in conjunction with its existing statewide network.	NRC - $12,250 MRC - $ 78	Verizon North LLC	---

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

Customer Name	Description and Location	MTL/NRC MRC	TELCO	Termination Liability Period

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

Customer Name	Description and Location	MTL/NRC MRC	TELCO	Termination Liability Period

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

Customer Name	Description and Location	MTL/NRC MRC	TELCO	Termination Liability Period	
MCI ID# PA95SPEC (USOC-1ZZEC)	Fiber facility for the transmission of optical signals between the York Main CO at 31 S. Beaver St., York and 147 Philadelphia, York, PA. Optical signals are provided under Section 17 of this tariff.	MTL - $ 3,891 NRC - $ 1,000 MRC - $ 151	Verizon North LLC	3 Years beginning August 10, 1995. Reduces 1/36 for each month in service.	(T)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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5.9 Individual Case Basis Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

Customer Name Effective Date	Description and Location	MTL/NRC MRC	Telco	Termination/Liability Period

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(A) Rates and Charges

	Per DS1 or DS3 Connection			
	DS0 Monthly Rate	DS1 Monthly Rate	DS3 Monthly Rate	(D)
Pennsylvania	2.05	4.90	38.67	
Virginia	2.85	4.04	25.52	

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