

**FOREIGN CENTRAL OFFICE SERVICE**

**A. General**

In addition to applicable General Regulations as found in Part 2 Section 2, the following provisions apply to Foreign Central Office Service.

**B. Scope of Service**

The Telephone Company will, when facility conditions permit, furnish channel services by which exchange service is furnished to a customer in a multi-office exchange through a central office other than that regularly serving the central office area in which the customer is located.

Foreign Central Office Service is furnished in connection with individual line, ISDN Prime, ISDN Direct, ISDN Centrex, Centrex main station line or Private Branch Exchange Service. Such service is not provided in connection with public or Semi-public telephones, or Customer-Owned Coin-Operated Telephone Service.

Foreign Central Office Service is not required with a change in connecting company, where the customer's telephone number is designated to a central office within the same rate center.

**C. Channel Service Types and Description**

One Foreign Central Office Terminal is required in the foreign central office for connection to Local Exchange Service, Type 2006B for individual lines and Private Branch Exchange Service and Type 2012 for Centrex off-premises main station line use. (See Part 15 for descriptions)

One Inter-office Channel is required to connect the customer's normal serving central office to the foreign central office from which local service is requested. Mileage measurements apply to the airline distance between the central offices. Charges apply for each mile or fraction.

Inter-office Channel Terminals are required to connect each end of an Inter-office Channel.

When ISDN customers are provided this service arrangement, OPTINET Base Rate prices (as found in Part 15) will apply.

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**D. Terminating Arrangements**

A Four Wire Service Terminating Arrangement is available which permits switching equipment that is designed to use four wire terminations to be connected to the Telephone Company's standard two wire exchange facilities. While this offering contemplates the conversion to four wire facilities between the local service Central Office and the premises switching equipment, two wire facilities may be made to operate as four wire.

Transmission performance that meets the established standards of the Telephone Company will be obtained over facilities connected to a Four Wire Service Terminating Arrangement. If a customer requests improvement beyond this level, additional equipment will be provided, where facility conditions permit, subject to additional rates and charges based on the costs incurred.

**E. Nonrecurring Price Application**

*Initial*

A Nonrecurring Price - Initial applies to the first Foreign Central Office Terminal installed in a central office.

*Additional*

A Nonrecurring Price - Additional applies to each identical Foreign Central Office Terminal, installed in the same central office, at the same time, as the first Foreign Central Office Terminal.

*Services Charges*

A Request Charge - Initial as specified in Part 3 also applies.

**F. Local Exchange Service Rate and Charge Applications**

In addition to the prices for channel services described above, rates and charges for Local Exchange Service apply.

**FOREIGN CENTRAL OFFICE SERVICE (cont'd)****Prices**

Description /Billing Code/	Nonrecurring Charge		Monthly Price
	Initial	Additional	
Foreign Central Office Terminal			
- Type 2006B, each /FCKS+/	\$260.00	\$215.00	\$36.45
- Type 2012, each /FCMS+/	245.00	180.00	36.45
Description /Billing Code/			Monthly Price
Inter-office Channel			
- Each mile or fraction, /1LX4S/ /1LVFS/			\$1,174.00 (I)
Inter-office Channel Terminal			
- Each /2LK/			18.00

The following prices are for the Four Wire Service Terminating Arrangement only and are in addition to the applicable charges for the facilities with which it is associated.

Description /Billing Code/	Additional	Monthly Price
Four Wire Service Terminating Arrangement, each /4WF/ /4WA/	\$50.00 <sup>/1/</sup>	\$28.20

/1/ A Nonrecurring Charge of \$75.00 applies when installed subsequent to the facilities with which it is associated.

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**A. General**

In addition to applicable General Regulations as found in Part 2 Section 2, the following provisions apply to Foreign Exchange Service.

**B. Scope of Service**

The Telephone Company will, when facility conditions permit, furnish channel service by which the customer may obtain local service in an exchange foreign to the exchange in which the customer is located. The service is limited to individual line, ISDN Prime, ISDN Direct, ISDN Centrex (within AT&T Indiana territory), Centrex main station line and Private Branch Exchange Service only and is suitable for the same connections between a station located on the premises in which the foreign exchange line terminates, and any other station, as the customer would receive if he were actually located in the exchange to which the line is connected. Such service is not provided in connection with public or semi-public telephones, or Customer-Owned Coin-Operated Telephone Service.

The term normal exchange is defined as the exchange area within which the customer's premises are located. The term foreign exchange is defined as the exchange area from which the service is being rendered.

/1/ Effective 10/1/2012, Foreign Exchange Service will no longer be offered to new residence customers. (N)  
Current subscribers may continue the service until they move or make any changes to their service. (N)

**FOREIGN EXCHANGE SERVICE<sup>/1/</sup> (cont'd)**

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**B. Scope of Service (cont'd)**

The Telephone Company shall determine the exchange area and central office area from which the service will be furnished, within the local service area of the exchange area from which the service is requested, subject to the provision that the exchange area and central office area from which the service is furnished will be within the local calling area of, and the local calling privileges shall be substantially the same as those available to subscribers located in, the exchange area from which service is requested.

In such situations, when two or more telephone companies are involved in furnishing the service, such determination may be made only with the consent of the telephone company which operate the exchange from which the service will be furnished.

Where the Telephone Company determines that service will be furnished from an exchange area other than that from which service is requested and the subscriber insists that the service be furnished from the exchange area from which he requested service, the service will be so furnished; however, where the furnishing of such service requires additional equipment and facilities, additional charges may be applied.

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**FOREIGN EXCHANGE SERVICE<sup>/1/</sup> (cont'd)****B. Scope of Service (cont'd)**

The rules, regulations, rates and other charges of the foreign exchange, applicable within the base rate area, apply for the class of service and equipment provided from the foreign exchange.

The rules, regulations, rates and other charges of the normal exchange apply for service and equipment provided from the normal exchange.

Foreign Exchange Service may terminate at the exchange in which the customer is located in a Private Branch Exchange System or in a telephone instrument or other authorized equipment, as the customer desires.

Where neither of the exchanges involved in a Foreign Exchange service is an exchange of the Company but the Company furnishes the Inter-exchange Channel, or a portion thereof, such channel will be furnished subject to C. following. (C)

One listing of the foreign exchange is provided at no charge. Additional listings are furnished at the prices specified in Part 12. (C)

In connection with Hotel/Motel/Hospital PBX Exchange Service, Foreign Exchange Service will be furnished only for the use of the management in the conduct of the business of the hotel.

The minimum period of service is one month, except when the cost of special construction is such as to necessitate a longer contract period.

No credit is allowed for interruptions to service of less than 30 minutes. Interruptions of 30 minutes or over are credited to the customer at the proportionate Monthly Price in half-hour multiples for each half-hour or major fraction thereof of interruption.

Long distance message telecommunications service furnished at a customer's request when his Foreign Exchange Service is interrupted is charged for at regular long distance message rates.

The use and restoration of service shall be in accordance with Part 64, Subpart D, Appendix A, of the Federal Communications Commission's Rules and Regulations. Restoration Priority charges and provisions apply as found in Part 15.

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**C. Channel Services Types and Description**

A Foreign Exchange Terminal is required to provide connection to Local Exchange Service in the foreign exchange. Type 2006B is furnished for individual lines and Private Branch Exchange Service. Type 2012 is furnished for Centrex main stations. (See Part 15 for these terminal descriptions).

Where the foreign and normal exchange service is provided from the same central office building, Type 2006A terminal is used.

An Inter-exchange Channel is required to connect the foreign and normal Exchanges. Channel Terminals are required to terminate each end of an Inter-exchange Channel.

Prices for Inter-exchange Channels are based on the airline mileage between the principal central offices of the exchanges except between contiguous exchanges one or both of which include multi-central offices are based on the airline mileage between the serving central offices where the service is terminated.

Inter-exchange Channel prices apply for each mile or fraction.

Inter-exchange Channel and Channel Terminal prices do not apply when the foreign and normal exchange is provided from the same central office building.

When Foreign Exchange Service between non-contiguous exchanges is furnished from and/or terminated in a central office other than the principal central office of the exchange, Inter-office Channels are required between the serving central office and the principal central office. Channel Terminals are required to terminate each end of an Inter-office Channel.

Prices for Inter-office Channels are based on the airline mileage between the serving central office and the principal central office of the exchange.

Inter-office Channel prices apply for each mile or fraction.

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Current subscribers may continue the service until they move or make any changes to their service. (N)

**FOREIGN EXCHANGE SERVICE<sup>/1/</sup> (cont'd)**

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**C. Channel Services Types and Description (cont'd)**

When ISDN customers are provided this service arrangement, OPTINET Base Rate prices (as found in Part 15) will apply.

Extension Service is provided subject to the regulations specified in this Guidebook.

Extension service may be installed in the normal exchange at rates of the normal exchange. Off-premises extension service may be provided in the normal or the foreign exchange at the rates and regulations of the exchange where the extension service is located.

**D. A Four Wire Service Terminating Arrangement**

A four wire service terminating arrangement is available at the prices specified in Foreign Central Office Service.

**E. Nonrecurring Price Application***Initial*

A Nonrecurring Price - Initial applies to the first Foreign Exchange Terminal installed in a central office.

*Additional*

A Nonrecurring Price - Additional applies to each identical Foreign Exchange Terminal of the same type, installed in the same central office, at the same time, as the first Foreign Exchange Terminal.

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Current subscribers may continue the service until they move or make any changes to their service. (N)



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**E. Nonrecurring Price Application (cont'd)**

*Service Charges*

A Service Request Charge - Initial as specified in Part 3 also applies.

In addition to the prices for channel services described above, rates and charges for Local Exchange Service in the foreign exchange apply.

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Current subscribers may continue the service until they move or make any changes to their service. (N)

**FOREIGN EXCHANGE SERVICE<sup>/1/</sup> (cont'd)****Prices**

Description /Billing Code/	Nonrecurring Charge		Monthly Price
	Initial	Additional	
Foreign Exchange Terminal Different Central Offices			
- Type 2006B, each /SV6S+/	\$300.00	\$240.00	\$4,194.00 (I)
- Type 2012, each /SV6S+/	405.00	325.00	4,194.00 (I)
Same Central Office			
- Type 2006A, each /1LHBJ/	195.00	135.00	14.00
Description /Billing Code/			Monthly Price
Inter-exchange Channel, each mile or fraction /1LVE4/ /1LH+4/			
- 0 to 40 miles			\$904.00 (I)
- 41 miles and over			3.65
Inter-exchange Channel Terminal, each (Based on Inter-exchange Channel length)			
- 0 to 40 miles /P1N/			22.45
- 41 miles and over /P7K/			30.30
Inter-office Channel, each mile or fraction /1LH+S/ /1LV+S/			1,174.00 (I)
Inter-office Channel Terminal, each /2LH/			18.00

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