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### A3. BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

#### **A3.3 Monthly Exchange Rates (Cont'd)**

##### **A3.3.1 Community Caller Plus Service (Cont'd)**

The rate group for an exchange is specified in A3.2.2. Local exception rates are specified in A3.4.

###### **A. Individual Line Service (Cont'd)**

###### **3. Complex Business Individual Lines, Groups 1-5**

		<b>Group</b>					
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>USOC PBC</b>
	(a) Each	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	(I)

###### **4. Complex Business Individual Lines, Groups 6-10**

		<b>Group</b>					
		<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>USOC PBC</b>
	(a) Each	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	(I)

###### **5. Simple Business Individual Lines, Groups 1-5**

		<b>Group</b>					
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>USOC PCE</b>
	(a) Each	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	(I)

###### **6. Simple Business Individual Lines, Groups 6-10**

		<b>Group</b>					
		<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>USOC PCE</b>
	(a) Each	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	\$86.00	(I)

## A3. BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

### A3.3 Monthly Exchange Rates (Cont'd)

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#### A3.3.1 Community Caller Plus Service (Cont'd)

The rate group for an exchange is specified in A3.2.2. Local exception rates are specified in A3.4.

##### B. PBX Trunk

###### 1. Rate Groups 1-5

		Group					
		1	2	3	4	5	USOC
(a)	Combination	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	TWCCX (I)
(b)	Outdial	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	TWCOX (I)
(c)	Inward Only	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	TWC1X (I)
(d)	Direct Inward Dialing (DID)	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	TWCNX (I)
(e)	DID Combination <sup>1</sup>	125.00	125.00	125.00	125.00	125.00	TWCND (I)

###### 2. Rate Groups 6-10

		Group					
		6	7	8	9	10	USOC
(a)	Combination	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	TWCCX (I)
(b)	Outdial	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	TWCOX (I)
(c)	Inward only	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	TWC1X (I)
(d)	Direct Inward Dialing (DID)	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	59.00	TWCNX (I)
(e)	DID Combination <sup>1</sup>	125.00	125.00	125.00	125.00	125.00	TWCND (I)

**Note 1:** Only provisioned from 1AESS and 5ESS switches in conjunction with the Call Transfer feature located in A12.7.2A.

### A3. BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

#### A3.3 Monthly Exchange Rates (Cont'd)

##### A3.3.4 Flat Rate Business Line

- A. The Flat Rate Business Line service provides local calling from the subscriber's home exchange to all Company exchanges and participating Independent Company exchanges within a 55-mile radius of the subscriber's home exchange. For a list of exchanges that will be included in the basic local calling area of the Flat Rate Business line service, please refer to A3.5, Bands A, B, C, D, E and F of the subscriber's home exchange.
- B. Calls within a 55-mile radius will be dialed 7 or 10-digits and are considered local calls.
- C. For calls outside the 55-mile radius, the appropriate intraLATA/toll MTS rates will apply for the long distance provider that the end user has chosen.
- D. The service is not available for use with Access Line Service for Payphone Service Provider telephones.
- E. Rates and Charges
  - 1. The following monthly rates apply:

	Rate	USOC	
(a) Business	\$87.00	FRL	(I)

## A12. CENTRAL OFFICE NON-TRANSPORT SERVICE OFFERINGS

### A12.7 Direct-Inward-Dialing (DID) Service (Cont'd)

#### A12.7.2 Rates and Charges

##### A. Central Office Components

###### 1. Direct-Inward Dialing (DID) Service

		Installation Charge	Monthly Rate	USOC	
(a)	Establish trunk group and provide first group of 20 DID numbers	\$150.00	\$ 5.00	NDZ	(I)
(b)	Each additional group of 20 DID numbers	14.50	.50	ND4	(I)
(c)	Non-Consecutive DID Numbers, each number <sup>1</sup>	2.20	.40	ND5	(I)
(d)	DID Trunk Termination, each Inward Only Trunk <sup>2</sup>	87.25	30.00	NDT	(I)
(e)	DID Trunk Termination, each Combination Trunk with Call Transfer <sup>2,3</sup>	250.00	54.00	NCT	(I)
(f)	Multifrequency (MF) Signaling option, each trunk <sup>4</sup>	-	-	S5MBD	
(g)	Dual Tone Multifrequency (DTMF) Signaling option, each trunk <sup>4</sup>	-	-	S5DBD	
(h)	Automatic Intercept Service, per number referred <sup>5</sup>	16.00	-	ND1	
(i)	Group of 20 Reserved Numbers, each group <sup>6</sup>	150.00	6.00	NDV	
(j)	Reserved Non-Consecutive DID numbers, each <sup>1</sup>	2.20	.20	ND6	

**Note 1:** Rates and charges apply to each working number in an individual or nonsequential group or in a group of less than twenty numbers. The installation charge in (a) above applies for the establishment of the first group of consecutive or non-consecutive numbers.

**Note 2:** In addition to the rates and charges for the DID Trunk Termination, rates and charges for DID PBX Trunks or NARs as specified in Section A3 apply as appropriate. (T)

**Note 3:** Combination Trunks with the Call Transfer feature are only provisioned where facilities permit.

**Note 4:** Provides faster signaling on DID PBX trunks or NARs. The choice of signaling alternative depends on the customer's premises equipment.

**Note 5:** Provides automatic referral of calls from a disconnected non-listed DID number to a corresponding new number for twelve months or until the delivery of the new directory, whichever comes first. AIS is available only where facilities permit. (T)

**Note 6:** Installation charge applies if customer does not currently have Direct-Inward-Dialing service.

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## **A13. MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS**

**A13.52 Reserved for Future Use****A13.53 Reserved for Future Use****A13.54 Reserved for Future Use****A13.55 Reserved for Future Use****A13.56 Hot Line Service****A13.56.1 General**

- A. Hot Line Service is an automatic dialing feature which provides the customer with the ability to automatically be connected with another predetermined line in the circuit switched network. When the customer's instrument goes off-hook, a switched connection is set up without any further customer action. The predetermined number is selected by the customer at the time service is established and can be changed only via service order. (T)
- B. Hot Line Service may be used only in connection with individual line service.
- C. Hot Line Service is furnished only from central offices which have been arranged to provide this service and is provided subject to the availability of facilities.

**A13.56.2 Rates and Charges**

## A. Hot Line Service

The rates and charges for this service are in addition to the monthly and Service Charges for individual line service found in Sections A3. and A4., respectively.

## 1. Per Individual Line

		<b>Nonrecurring Charge</b>	<b>Monthly Rate</b>	<b>USOC</b>
	(a) Residence	\$3.00	\$.50	HLS
	(b) Business	3.00	1.00	HLS

(I)

## **A103. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS - BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE**

### **A103.38 Back-Up Line (Cont'd)**

#### **A103.38.1 Regulations and Rates (Cont'd)**

- D.** Each Back-Up Line can receive calls forwarded from one busy primary line or hunt group without incurring an additional charge for rotary line service. This overflow capability will be provided on the forwarding line. The addition of a Back-Up Line will not impact existing charges for rotary line service, e.g. if a customer has two primary lines with rotary line service and adds a Back-Up Line, two charges for rotary line service will continue to apply.
- E.** Overflow capability from more than one primary line or hunt group to Back-Up Line service will be provided on the forwarding line at rates as specified for rotary line service in Section A13. When more than one primary line or hunt group overflows to the same Back-Up Line, an additional charge for rotary line service (BUL++) is incurred for each additional (excluding the first) primary line or hunt group that overflows to the same Back-Up Line.

	<b>Monthly Rate</b>	<b>USOC</b>
(a) Per additional line or group that overflows (See A13.8 for rotary line service rate)	-	<b>BULRX</b>

- F.** If a customer subscribes to more than one Back-Up Line, these Back-Up Lines may be provisioned in a sequential hunting rotary group at no charge. Rotary line capability may not be provided from a Back-Up Line or group of Back-Up Lines to other lines on the same premises. Call Forward Busy Line provided at rates specified in Section A13, may be used to forward calls from Back-Up Lines to lines located on different premises (e.g., an after hours answering arrangement).
- G.** Back-Up Line service cannot be provisioned with circular hunting.
- H.** Rotary line service charges will not apply to a hunt group comprised only of Back-Up Lines. For calls to hunt groups comprised only of Back-Up Lines, only one inward call usage charge (\$.05 per minute) will apply per call terminated on and completed to a Back-Up Line in that hunt group.
- I.** A free directory listing is not furnished with Back-Up Line service. Directory listings may be purchased at the rates specified in Section A6.
- J.** Usage charges are applied to all incoming (e.g., long distance, expanded service area and basic service area) and outgoing calls associated with Back-Up Line service, as described in L., M. and N., with the following exceptions: No usage charges apply to outgoing calls to the Company business office, Repair Service, Directory Assistance, or for 911 Emergency service. No Back-Up Line outward usage charges (\$.05 per minute) apply for calls made on a Back-Up Line to the expanded service area or for calls made to toll areas, but the regular expanded service area usage rates or long distance rates do apply for such calls
- K.** The access line rate per Back-Up Line is as shown in 1. The access line rate per Back-Up Line for BellSouth Business Plus service customers is as shown in 2.

	<b>Monthly Rate</b>	<b>USOC</b>	
1. Back-Up Line			
(a) Each	\$49.00	<b>SBLLX</b>	(I)
2. BellSouth Business Plus Back-Up Line			
(a) Per Back-Up Line with BellSouth Business Plus service - Option1 primary line	45.00	<b>SBLL1</b>	(I)
(b) Per Back-Up Line with BellSouth Business Plus service - Option 2 primary line	45.00	<b>SBLL2</b>	(I)

## A103. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERINGS – BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

### A103.43 BellSouth Business Plus Service (Cont'd)

#### A103.43.1 Plan Descriptions (Cont'd)

A. BellSouth Business Plus Service (Cont'd)

5. Usage rates specified for this service apply only for calls originated from a line equipped with BellSouth Business Plus service. BellSouth Business Plus service (Option 1 and Option 2) usage charges apply to all 0+ and 0- calls originated from a line equipped with BellSouth Business Plus service and terminating within the LATA. For Option 1, every minute of 0+ and 0- usage is rated, therefore this usage is not counted against the 120 hour usage threshold. The appropriate operator services surcharges will also be charged in accordance with the rules and *conditions* of A.3.9. (T)
6. BellSouth Business Plus service Option 2 service customers may subscribe to Local Usage Detail for billable usage. There is no charge for the Local Usage Detail. (T)
7. Method of Determining Monthly Usage Charges
  - a. Usage is determined for each call based on minutes or fraction thereof, with minimum call duration of one minute. This value is then multiplied by the rate per minute for the rate option selected by the customer. The resultant amount is truncated to whole cents for each call. The amount of usage billed to the customer is subject to *paragraphs* b and c. (T)
  - b. For Option 1, usage above the first 120 hours (7,200 minutes) of usage within the entire LATA and all 0+ and 0- usage within the LATA is billed to the customer. (T)
  - c. For Option 2, usage outside the Basic Service Area but within the LATA and all 0+ and 0- usage within the LATA is subject to the billing as described in *paragraph* a. (T)

#### A103.43.2 Exchange Access Line Rates

A. Individual Line Service

1. BellSouth Business Plus service - Option 1

		Monthly Rate	Rate per Minute of Use	USOC	
(a)	Each line	\$74.00	-	BV1	(I)
(b)	Each minute of use within the LATA above 120 hours (7,200 minutes) per month	-	.05	NA	
2.	BellSouth Business Plus service - Option 2				
(a)	Each line	50.00	-	BV2	(I)
(b)	Each minute of use within the LATA that is both outside the Basic Service Area and not shorter than or equal to 16 miles in the Expanded Service Area	-	.06	NA	
(c)	Each minute of use 1 - 16 miles in the Expanded Service Area	-	.00	NA	

#### A103.43.3 Service Charges

- A. The service charges specified in Section A4 are applicable for the installations of new lines at the subscriber's premises. These charges are not applicable for existing customers who wish to convert an existing line to BellSouth Business Plus service.
- B. Service charges do not apply for transactions which only involve additions, deletions or changes to the services or features requested with BellSouth Business Plus service as part of a BellSouth Business Choice package or a BellSouth Complete Choice for Business package.