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Re: Withdrawal of Program Audio Service

Pursuant to General Order 96-B, AT&T California (U-1001-C) submits this Advice Letter to make changes to its intrastate tariffs, Schedule Cal. P.U.C. Nos. 175-T Access Service; B. Private Line Services, General Table of Contents; and B3. Private Line Services, Analog Services, to withdraw Series 6000 Channels and Program Audio Service, effective November 1, 2020. In addition, two text changes were made to correct the name of "AVS-270" service to Serial Component Video Service, a name change previous made in November 2009 (Advice Letter No. 36194).

AT&T has no customers with either service.

This filing will not increase any rate or charge, or conflict with other schedules or rules.

This advice letter is submitted as a Tier I filing in accordance with General Order 96-B. AT&T California requests that this advice letter become effective on November 1, 2020.

Included in this filing are the following revised tariff sheets:

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F. SERIES 7000 CHANNELS (VIDEO)¹

1. Type 7001

Television transmission.

G. Reserved

NOTE 1: Frozen/Grandfathered Service - See General Regulations, Schedule
Cal.P.U.C. No. B2.2.4,C.

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3.1.4 MILEAGE MEASUREMENTS (Cont'd)

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3.1 GENERAL (Cont'd)

3.1.5 NONRECURRING MOVE AND CHANGE CHARGES

Series 7000¹ (D)

A change in termination from one series type to another series type at the customer's request will be treated as a new installation.

Moves and changes of channel termination wiring on the premises of the customer or authorized user at the customer's request will be subject to the following nonrecurring charges.

A. RESERVED

B. RESERVED

NOTE 1: Frozen/Grandfathered Service - See General Regulations, Schedule Cal.P.U.C. No. B2.2.4,C.

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3.2 CLASSIFICATION AND RATES (Cont'd)

3.2.7 SERIES 7000 CHANNELS¹

This schedule contains the rates, charges and regulations applicable to channels for video transmission in connection with television viewers.

A. CHANNELS FOR VIDEO TRANSMISSION IN CONNECTION WITH TELEVISION VIEWERS

1. General

Channels for video transmission in connection with television viewers are channel facilities suitable for connecting television viewers provided by the customer, and are furnished between specific locations.

The general regulations and definitions applicable to private line channels set forth in Schedule Cal.P.U.C. No. B2. also apply to channels for video transmission in connection with television viewers.

The channel facilities covered in this section are the only intrastate channel facilities furnished by the Utility for video transmission in connection with television viewers; facilities furnished in connection with other channels may neither be connected with video transmission channels nor be connected directly or indirectly with television viewers at customers' stations.

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These channels are not for use in connection with broadcasting by television stations. Broadcast channels are provided under interstate tariffs.

NOTE 1: Frozen/Grandfathered Service - See General Regulations, Schedule Cal.P.U.C. No. B2.2.4,C.

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(D) Resale of Private Line Services

Resale of IntraLATA Private Line Services is available to a Competitive Local Carrier (CLC) with a valid Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) issued by the California Public Utilities Commission. Resale of existing Frozen/Grandfathered services and/or features and Limited Offering Services are limited to those customers who currently receive such service from the Utility. Regulations for resale of Private Line Services are found in Section 18.1 following. The following services are available for resale:

- Metallic Service* in Section 7.2.1
- Telegraph Grade Service# in Section 7.2.2
- Voice Grade Service in Section 7.2.3

- Video Service in Section 7.2.5
- Digital Data Service* in Section 7.2.8, (A)
- Advanced Digital Network in Section 7.2.8, (B)
- High Capacity Service in Section 7.2.8, (C)
- Sonet Ring and Access Services in Section 7.2.9@
- GigaMANSM in Section 7.2.13

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* Limited Offering Service provided only to existing customers and services working as of January 1, 1995. See General Regulations 2.1.4, (C) preceding.

Frozen/Grandfathered Service provided only to existing customers and services working as of the effective date of Advice Letter No. 18405. Additions, deletions, moves, or changes will result in complete disconnection of the service. See General Regulations 2.1.4, (E) preceding.

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2. General Regulations (Cont'd)

2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances (Cont'd)

2.4.4 Credit Allowance for Service Interruptions

(B) When A Credit Allowance Applies (Cont'd)

(2) For Video Special Access Services, no credit shall (D)
be allowed for an interruption of less than 30
seconds. The customer shall be credited for an
interruption of 30 seconds or more as follows:

(a) For two-point services, when monthly rates
are applicable, the credit shall be at the
rate of 1/8640 of the monthly charges for
the service for each period of 5 minutes or
major fraction thereof that the interruption
continues.

(b) For two-point services, when daily rates are
applicable, the credit shall be at the rate of
1/288 of the daily charges for the service for
each period of 5 minutes or major fraction
thereof that the interruption continues.

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2. General Regulations (Cont'd)

2.4 Payment Arrangements and Credit Allowances (Cont'd)

2.4.4 Credit Allowance for Service Interruptions (Cont'd)

(C) When a Credit Allowance Does Not Apply (Cont'd)

- (4) Interruptions of a service when the customer or building owner has released that service to the Utility for maintenance purposes, to make rearrangements, or for the implementation of an order for a change in the service during the time that was negotiated with the customer prior to the release of that service. Thereafter a credit allowance as set forth in (B) preceding applies.
- (5) Interruptions of a service which continue because of the failure of the customer or building owner to authorize replacement of any element of special construction, as set forth in 15. following. The period for which no credit allowance is made begins on the seventh day after the customer receives the Utility's written notification of the need for such replacement and ends on the day after receipt by the Utility of the customer's written authorization for such replacement.
- (6) Periods when the customer elects not to release the service for testing and/or repair and continues to use it on an impaired basis.
- (7) Reserved (T) z
- (8) An interruption or a group of interruptions, resulting from a common cause, for amounts less than one dollar.
- (9) For audio connecting facilities and television connecting facilities no credit shall be allowed for an interruption of less than 30 seconds. The customer shall be credited for an interruption of 30 seconds or more at the rate of 1/8640 of the monthly charge for the facility for each 5 minutes or fraction thereof that an interruption continues.

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2. General Regulations (Cont'd)

2.7 SERVICE DISCONTINUANCE

As a result of network changes, certain services will no longer be available in some geographic areas, as those services are no longer technically or economically feasible. The table below identifies services that have been withdrawn, by wire center and exchange, along with additional information related to these service withdrawals.

<u>Product Name</u>	<u>Reference</u>	
Metallic Service	7.2.1	
Telegraph Grade Service	7.2.2	
Voice Grade Service	7.2.3	
Digital Data Service	7.2.8 (A)	(D)
Advanced Digital Network	7.2.8 (B)	
High Capacity Service (64 kbps, 3.152 and 6.312 Mbps)	7.2.8 (C)	

<u>Effective Date</u>	<u>Exchange</u>	<u>Other Information</u>
<u>Wire Center</u> 07/17/2019 RDNGCA02	California Redding	Distribution Areas 412750, 421150, 421250, 421357, 421650, 440150, 440557 and 460150

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5. Ordering Options (Cont'd)

5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

5.2.4 Channel Specification For Access Orders

- (A) Where there are analog or digital high capacity facilities to a Hub on order, or in service for the customer's use, the customer may request a specific channel or transmission path be used to provide the Switched or Special Access Service requested in the Access Order. The Utility will make a reasonable effort to accommodate the customer's request. If a facility assignment is not specified by the customer, the Utility will provide the service from available inventory.
- (B) For all other Access Orders, the option to request a specific transmission path or channel is not provided except as provided for SONET Ring and Access Service in Section 7.2.11 or under Special Facilities Routing as set forth in Section 11. following.

5.2.5 Minimum Period

- (A) Except as set forth in (B), (C), (D) and 9.4, (A) following the minimum period for which Access Service is provided and for which charges are applicable is one month.
- (B) The minimum period for Video Payment Plans, GigaMAN[®] Term Pricing Plans or Fiber AdvantageSM DS3 and DS3x3 service Rate Stability Payment Plan is one year.
- (C) The minimum period for Fiber AdvantageSM DS3x12 or dedicated rings for SONET Ring and Access service* is a 3 year Rate Stability Payment Plan. The minimum period for OC-3, OC-12, OC-48 Dedicated SONET Ring service is a three year term pricing plan.
- (D) The minimum period for part-time Television Special Access (D) Service is one day even though the service will be provided (T) only for the duration of the event specified on the order (e.g., one-half hour, two hours, five hours, etc.). The minimum period for Serial Component Video Service is (T) 3 months.
- (E) Service Rearrangements as set forth in 5.2.8 following for Switched and Special Access Services, respectively, may be made without a change in minimum period requirements.
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5. Ordering Options (Cont'd)

5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

5.2.6 Minimum Period Charges

The Minimum Period Charge applies when the customer requests disconnect of Switched, Special Access Service or IWS prior to the expiration of the Minimum Period.

The Minimum Period Charge for monthly billed services will be determined as follows:

- (A) For those Access Services to which usage sensitive rate elements apply, the Minimum Period Charge will be based on actual usage.
- (B) For those Access Services which are billed a flat monthly rate, the Minimum Period Charge will be the full monthly rate.
- (C) The Minimum Period Charge will include all nonrecurring charges associated with the establishment of the Access Service.
- (D) The Minimum Period Charge for part-time Television Service is the applicable daily rate for the service as set forth in 7.5 following. (D)

5.2.7 Shared Use Facilities

Shared Use (i.e., Switched and Special Access Services provided over the same analog or digital high capacity facilities) is allowed. Shared use facilities to a Hub will be ordered and provided as Special Access Service. While shared use is allowed, individual services utilizing these facilities must be ordered either as Switched Access Service or Special Access Service depending on the intended use. When placing the order for the individual service(s), the customer must specify a channel assignment for each service ordered.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.1 General (Cont'd)

7.1.1 Channel Types (Cont'd)

Customers can order a basic channel and select, from a list of available transmission parameters and channel interfaces, those that they desire to meet specific communications requirements.

For purposes of ordering channels, each has been identified as a type of Special Access Service. However, such identification is not intended to limit a customer's use of the channel nor to imply that the channel is limited to a particular use. For example, if a customer's equipment is capable of transmitting voice over a channel that is identified as a Metallic Service in this tariff, there is no restriction against doing so.

Following is a brief description of each type of channel:

Metallic* - a channel for the transmission of low speed varying signals at rates up to 30 baud.

Telegraph Grade** - a channel for the transmission of binary signals at rates of 0 to 75 baud or 0 to 150 baud.

Voice Grade - a channel for the transmission of analog signals within an approximate bandwidth of 300-3000 Hz.

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Video - a channel for the transmission of standard 525 line/60 field monochrome or National Television Systems Committee color video signal and one to four associated 5 or 15 KHz audio signals. The bandwidth for a video channel is either 30 Hz to 4.5 MHz or 30 Hz to 6.6 Mhz. Or, a digital broadband pipe of uncompressed video and audio at a rate of 270 Mbps.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.1 General (Cont'd)

7.1.8 Acceptance Testing

At no additional charge, the Utility will, at the customer's request, cooperatively test at the time of installation, the following parameters:

(A) For Voice Grade analog services, acceptance tests will include tests for loss, 3-tone slope, DC continuity, operational signaling, C-notched noise, and C-message noise when these parameters are applicable and specified in the order for service. Additionally, for Voice Grade Services, a balance (improved return loss) test will be made if the customer has ordered the improved loss optional feature.

(B) For other analog services (i.e., Metallic, Telegraph, Video, Wideband Analog, and Wideband Data) and for digital services (i.e., Digital Data and High Capacity), acceptance tests will include tests for the parameters applicable to the service as specified in the order for service.

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In addition to the above tests, Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing for Voice Grade Service to test other parameters, as described in Section 13.3.5(B) following, is available at the customer's request. All tests results will be made available to the customer upon request.

Acceptance testing will be performed at the Utility's local loop demarcation point. The Utility may perform additional testing on the customer's side of the local loop demarcation point at the customer's request and expense.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.2 Service Descriptions

For the purposes of ordering, these are the categories of Special Access Service:

Metallic (MT)*		(D)
Telegraph Grade (TG)#	Video (TV)	
Voice Grade (VG)	Digital Data (DA)*	
- Universal WATS Access Line (UWAL)	Advanced Digital Network (ADN)	
- Private Virtual Network Access Line (PVNAL)	High Capacity (HC)	
Optical Carrier Network (OCN) Point to Point Service	SONET Ring and Access Service®	
	GigaMAN Service	
	OC-192 Dedicated SONET Ring Service	
	Multi-service Optical Network Point to Point Service	
OC-3, OC-12 and OC-48 Dedicated SONET Ring Service	Multi-service Optical Network Ring Service**	

Each service consists of a basic channel to which a technical specifications package (customized or predefined), channel interface and when desired optional features and functions are added to construct the service desired by the customer. Each of the components of the service are described in this section. Technical limitations may exist that affect the provisioning of services as shown in 7.2.1 and 7.2.2, depending on the availability of equipment and facilities. The Utility will provide reasonable notification to the customer of any limitations that materially affect the operating characteristics of the special access service. (See Section 2.1.7 for information concerning changes and substitutions.)

Customized technical specifications packages will be provided where technically feasible. If the Utility determines that the requested parameter specifications are not compatible, the customer will be advised and given the opportunity to change the order.

- * Limited Offering Service provided only to existing customers and services working as of January 1, 1995. See Section 2.1.4 General Regulations preceding. Existing service arrangements will be maintained up to and including the Utility's local loop demarcation point. Work activity beyond the Utility's local loop demarcation point is the responsibility of the customer at the customer's expense.
- # Frozen/Grandfathered Service available only to customers and services working as of the effective date of Advice Letter No. 18405. Additions, deletions, moves, or changes will result in complete disconnection of the service. See General Regulations 2.1.4, (E) preceding.
- @ Frozen/Grandfathered SONET Ring and Access Service effective June 30, 2006, pending CPUC Resolution. See General Regulations, Schedule Cal.P.U.C. No. 175-T, Section 2.1.4, (F).
- ** MON Ring Grandfathered effective December 1, 2012. See Schedule Cal.P.U.C. No. 12.2, Limited Offer.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.2 Service Descriptions (Cont'd)

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.2 Service Descriptions (Cont'd)

7.2.4 Reserved (Cont'd)

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.2 Service Descriptions (Cont'd)

7.2.8 Digital Services (Cont'd)

(C) High Capacity Service (Cont'd)

(4) Optional Features and Functions (Cont'd)

(e) Central Office Multiplexing (Cont'd)

- DS1C to DS

An arrangement that converts a 3.152 Mbps channel to two DS1 channels using digital time division multiplexing.

- DS1 to Voice

An arrangement that converts a 1.544 Mbps channel to 24 channels for use with Voice Grade Services. A channel of this DS1 to the Hub can also be used for a Digital Data or Metallic Service.

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(f) Synchronous Timing

Synchronous Timing utilizes a point to point DS1 service that connects from a Utility BITS timing clock to another customer premises or an EIS arrangement that must be located within the same serving wire center as the BITS timing clock. Synchronous Timing is solely used for network synchronization via a master timing supply. Synchronous Timing is available only where facilities and equipment are available.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.4 Rate Regulations

This section contains the specific regulations governing the rates and charges that apply for Special Access Service.

7.4.1 Types of Rates and Charges

There are three types of rates and charges. These are monthly rates, daily rates and nonrecurring charges. The rates and charges are described as follows:

(A) Monthly Rates

Monthly rates are flat recurring rates 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) Daily Rates

Daily rates are flat recurring rates that apply to each 24-hour period or fraction thereof that a Video Special Access Service is provided for part-time or occasional use. For purposes of applying daily rates, the 24-hour period is not limited to a calendar day. (D)
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The application of daily rates for Video services during a consecutive 30-day period is as follows. (D)
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Daily rates will be topped at an amount equal to the monthly rate (i.e., the charge to the customer for usage billed at daily rates will not exceed the monthly rate). For each day or part day of usage after the daily rates have been topped, a charge equal to 1/30th of the monthly rate will apply.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.4 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

7.4.2 Special Access Service Surcharge

(A) General

In addition to the rates and charges described in 7.4.1 preceding, there is a monthly Surcharge of \$25.00 that applies to Voice Grade and equivalent Voice Grade Special Access Services (e.g., the surcharge for a High Capacity 1.544 would be \$600.00 or 24 x \$25.00). For multipoint services, the \$25.00 surcharge applies for each customer location on the service. This surcharge is to compensate the Utility for use of the local exchange network by Special Access Services that are classified as intrastate interLATA.

(B) Exceptions to the Surcharge Application

Recognizing that not all services can utilize the local exchange network, certain uses of Special Access Service are exempt from the surcharge. Following is a listing of the exempt categories:

- (1) Any termination of an analog service that is used for television transmission. (D)
- (2) Any termination of a service that is used for Telex service.
- (3) Any termination of a service that by nature of its operating characteristics could not make use of common lines.
- (4) Any termination of a service that is associated with Switched Access Service that is subject to Carrier Common Line Charges.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.4 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

7.4.3 Minimum Periods

Except as set forth following the minimum service period for all services is one month.

The minimum service period for part-time and occasional Video service is one day (i.e., a continuous 24-hour period not limited to a calendar day). (D)

The minimum period for Video Payment Plans, GigaMANSM Term Pricing Plans, or Fiber AdvantageSM DS3 or DS3x3 service is a one year Rate Stability Payment Plan.

The minimum period for Fiber AdvantageSM DS3x12 service is a 3 year Rate Stability Payment Plan.

The minimum period for SONET Ring and Access Services* dedicated ring configuration is a 3 year Rate Stability Payment Plan.

The minimum period for Serial Component Video Service is 3 months. (T)

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.4 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

7.4.7 Facility Hubs

A customer has the option of ordering Voice Grade facilities or digital high capacity facilities (i.e., DS1, DS1C, DS2, DS3 or DS4) to a facility Hub for channelizing to individual services requiring lower capacity facilities (e.g., Telegraph, Voice, etc.). (D)

Different locations may be designated as Hubs for different facility capacities, e.g., multiplexing from digital to digital may occur at one location while multiplexing from digital to analog may occur at a different location. When ordering the customer will specify the desired multiplexing Hub(s) selected from The National Exchange Carrier Association (NECA) Tariff F.C.C. No. 4, Section 16. For information on how to obtain copies of the NECA Tariff see Section 14 following. NECA 4 identifies the type(s) of multiplexing functions which are available and the serving wire centers at which they are available.

Some of the types of multiplexing available include the following:

- from higher to lower bit rate
- from higher to lower bandwidth
- from digital to voice frequency channels

End to end services may be provided on channels of these facilities to a Hub. The transmission performance for the end to end service provided between customer designated premises will be that of the lower capacity or bit rate. For example, when a 1.544 Mbps facility is multiplexed to voice frequency channels, the transmission performance of the channelized services will be Voice Grade, not High Capacity.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.4 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

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7.4.8 Shared Use Digital High Capacity Service, SONET Ring and Access service* and Optical Carrier Network (OCN) Point to Point Service

Shared use occurs when Special Access Service and Switched Access Service are provided over the same High Capacity facilities through a common interface. The facility will be ordered, provided and rated as Special Access Service (i.e., Channel Termination, Channel Mileage, SONET rate element, OCN rate element, or as appropriate, OCN and multiplexer). The nonrecurring charge that applies when the shared use facility is installed will be the nonrecurring charge associated with the appropriate Special Access High Capacity Channel Termination. Individual service (i.e., Switched or Special Access) nonrecurring charges will not apply to the individual channels of the shared use facility. Rating as Special Access will continue until such time as the customer chooses to use a portion of the available capacity for providing Switched Access Service. As each individual channel is activated for Switched Access Service, Special Access Channel Termination, Channel Mileage, SONET rate element, OCN Point to Point rate element,

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.4 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

7.4.11 Resale of Private Line Services*

The following services are available for resale: Metallic Service in Section 7.2.1, Telegraph Grade Service in Section 7.2.2, Voice Grade Service in Section 7.2.3, Video Service (D) in Section 7.2.5, Digital Data Service in Section 7.2.8, (A), (D) Advanced Digital Network in Section 7.2.8, (B), High Capacity Service in Section 7.2.8, (C), SONET Ring and Access Services# 7.2.9, GigaMAN in Section 7.2.13, Optical Carrier Network (OCN) Point to Point Service in Section 7.2.14, OC-3, OC-12 and OC-48 Dedicated SONET Ring Service in Section 7.2.15, OC-192 Dedicated SONET Ring Service in Section 7.2.10. Regulations for resale of Private Line Services are found in Section 18.1. following. Rates and Charges for resale of Private Line services are found in Section 18.2 following.

* See General Regulations 2.1.4, (C) and (D) preceding.

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

7.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

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7. Special Access Service (Cont'd)

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