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A40.5 Broadband Line Service (Cont'd)

A40.5.2 Terms and Conditions (Cont'd)

D. Provision of Service (Cont'd)

3. A move involves a change in the physical location of one of the following: (Cont'd)

The charges for the move are dependent upon whether the move is located within the same building or to a different building.

- a. Moves Within the Same Building

When the move is to a new location within the same building, the charge for the move will be an amount equal to one-half the nonrecurring charge for the affected service termination at the customer's premises. There will be no change in the minimum period requirements.

- b. Moves to a Different Building

Moves to a different building, other than addressed in c. following, will be treated as a discontinuance and start of service and all associated nonrecurring charges will apply. New minimum period requirements will be established at the new location. The customer will also remain responsible for satisfying all outstanding minimum period charges for the discontinued service.

- c. Moves of Service(s) under Fast Packet SPP

Customer requests for moves of service under Fast Packet SPP, other than inside moves, will be subject to the conditions stated in A40.10.11.

4. The rates and charges contained in this Guidebook for Broadband Line Service are applicable from the meet point with an independent company to the Network Serving Area, for customer locations served by an independent company.

A40.5.3 Fast Packet Option (FPO)

A. General

1. The Fast Packet Option (FPO) of Broadband Line Service is only available when used in conjunction with Frame Relay Service *or* Asynchronous Transfer Mode (ATM) Service. Specifications for Frame Relay Service are contained in **A140.1**. ATM Service specifications are contained in **A140.8**. (C)
2. The Fast Packet Option is used to connect a customer premises with the Frame Relay *or* ATM Network Serving Areas. (C)
3. The Fast Packet Option is designed to transmit digital data signals at speeds of 56 Kbps, 64 Kbps, 128 Kbps¹, 1.536 Mbps, 44.210 Mbps, 149.760 Mbps, or 599.040 Mbps.
- a. Multiples of 1.536 Mbps Broadband Line Service and Broadband Line Extension Service (from 2 through 8) may be used to access ATM Service Customer Connections using Inverse Multiplexing (IMA).

ATM Service IMA Customer Connection Speed	Quantity of 1.536 Mbps Broadband Line Services Required
3.072 Mbps	2
4.608 Mbps	3
6.144 Mbps	4
7.680 Mbps	5
9.216 Mbps	6
10.752 Mbps	7
12.288 Mbps	8

Note 1: Effective 11/4/2002, Fast Packet Option 128 Kbps (2B1Q) is not available for new installations, moves or changes.

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A40.10 Fast Packet Services Payment Plan (Cont'd)

A40.10.8 Deferred Payment (Cont'd)

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7. All deferred charges must be paid in full when the customer:
 - Selects a payment period with an expiration date prior to the expiration date of the deferral period.
 - Disconnects service prior to expiration of the selected deferral period.
 - Fails to pay a monthly amount within thirty days of its due date.
 - Moves a service under Fast Packet SPP to another location in Company territory within the same state and jurisdiction, with the exception of an inside move.
8. The customer may prepay only the total outstanding deferred charges at any time during the selected deferral period. The customer will be given a credit for the amount of unearned interest. The customer may not prepay less than the total of the outstanding deferred charges.

A40.10.9 Prepayment

- A. For payment period longer than one month, the customer may prepay the total outstanding recurring monthly rates. The prepayment of monthly rates in no way constitutes a purchase and the Company retains full ownership of all services covered by the prepayment. The following conditions apply:
 1. Customers who prepay six months or more will have an allowance applied. The prepayment factor to be used for each month prepaid will be revised periodically by the Company.
 2. Monthly rates for all services covered by a single Letter of Election must be prepaid. Monthly rates must be prepaid for services added subsequently and placed on the same Letter of Election (i.e., customer-elected coterminous option) with a prepaid system.
 3. Customers who change the length of a prepaid payment period will be credited any unused portion of the prepayment, subject to termination charges as specified in A40.10.4 preceding.
 4. Customers who prematurely disconnect will have termination charges deducted from the prepaid amount and any balance credited to their bill.

A40.10.10 Exception to Termination Liability for State, County, and Municipal Governments

- A. In the event that all or any part of the service is disconnected at customer request prior to expiration of any selected payment period of greater than one month's duration, the customer will be required to pay a termination charge as stated in this Guidebook. The Guidebook provisions concerning termination liability for recurring charges only shall not be applicable to any state, county, or municipal governmental entity when there is in effect, as a result of action by such entity and through a duly constituted legislative, administrative, or executive body:
 1. a statute;
 2. an ordinance;
 3. a policy directive;
 4. a constitutional provision
 - which restricts or prohibits an additional contractual payment for early termination of a contract by any such entity, or agency thereof, due to an unavailability of funding. When service is being provided and funding to the governmental entity for such service becomes unavailable, the governmental entity may cancel the service without additional payment obligation. Provided, however, that if the governmental entity cancels the service for any reason other than the unavailability of funds, the termination liability provisions in the Guidebook shall apply.

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A40.10 Fast Packet Services Payment Plan (Cont'd)

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A40.10.11 Moves of Service(s) Under Fast Packet SPP

- A. Termination Liability Charges will not apply to customer requests for moves of service under Fast Packet SPP from one location to another location subject to the following:
1. The original and new premises locations must be in Company territory within the same state.
 2. The move from the original location to the new location must be completed within thirty days of the original premises disconnect date.
 3. No lapse in billing will occur for moves of service under Fast Packet SPP.
 4. Orders to disconnect the existing service and re-establish it at the new location must be related.
 5. Any rate elements - such as, Ports - from the original location that are not re-established at the new location will be subject to applicable Termination Liability Charges.
 6. Any additions made at the new location will be treated as coterminous additions in accordance with A40.10.3 preceding.
 7. All terms, conditions and charges for changes made to the service coincident to that move shall apply.
 8. All appropriate nonrecurring charges for moves of service as specified in this Guidebook will apply.
 9. Moves of service that involve a change of jurisdiction, e.g., intraLATA to intrastate, intrastate to interstate, etc., will not be treated as a disconnect of service with regard to Termination Liability Charge application. The customer must subscribe to a payment arrangement offered in the appropriate interstate tariff which is at least the minimum number of months allowable under Term Payment Plan A (as defined in the Fast Packet Transport Service's specific section) or equals/exceed the remaining contract period, whichever is greater.

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A140.9 Reserved For Future Use

A140.10 Reserved For Future Use

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