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D. Selective Call Forwarding a.k.a. Preferred Call Forwarding (Cont'd)

If the customer also subscribes to Call Block and the same telephone number is entered on both screening lists, the Call Block feature must be deactivated to allow the call to forward.

This feature will not work if the calling line is not referenced to and originated by the main telephone number, or a Telephone Number identified number that represents all the lines in a collection of lines such as multi-line hunt groups.

E. Call Block

This feature provides the customer the ability to prevent incoming calls from up to six different telephone numbers.

A screening list is created by the customer either by adding the last number associated with the line (incoming or outgoing), or by pre-selecting the telephone numbers to be blocked. When a call is placed to the customer's number from a number on the screening list, the caller receives an announcement indicating that the party he is attempting to call does not wish to receive his call at this time.

The screening list may be edited and revised at the customer's discretion. In some locations, based on availability of facilities, during the editing process the customer will receive a computerized voice-back of telephone numbers on the list. If a number was entered on the list as a result of an incoming call and the call originated from a line where delivery of the calling number was suppressed, via per line blocking, that number will not be available for voicing-back to the Call Block customer.

If the customer also subscribes to Selective Call Forwarding and/or Personalized Ring 6 and the same telephone numbers appear on those screening lists, Call Block will take precedence.

This feature will not work if the incoming call is from a telephone number in a multi-line hunt group unless the telephone number is the main telephone number in the hunt group or is Telephone Number identified. Additionally, this feature will not block calls from coin or cellular telephones or operator assisted calls.

F. Call Tracing

Call Tracing enables the customer to initiate an automatic trace of the last call received.

Upon activation by the customer, the network automatically sends a message to the Company's Security Department indicating the calling number, the time the call was received, and the time the trace was activated. The customer using this feature would be required to contact *their local law enforcement agency* for further action. The customer is not provided the traced number. (C)

Only calls from within the same TouchStar service capable area are traceable using Call Tracing.

This feature will not work if the incoming call is from a telephone number in a multi-line hunt group, unless the telephone number is the main telephone number in the hunt group, or is Telephone Number identified.

If the customer makes or receives another call after hanging up from the annoying call, prior to activating the trace, Call Tracing will not record the correct number.

G. Caller ID - Basic (Number Delivery)¹

This feature enables the customer to view on a display unit the Directory Number (DN) of incoming telephone calls.

When Caller ID - Basic is activated on a customer's line, the Directory Numbers of incoming calls are displayed on the called CPE during the first long silent interval of the ringing cycle with the exception of numbers subject to Calling Number Delivery Blocking.

Any customer subscribing to Caller ID - Basic will be responsible for the provision of a display device which will be located on the customer's premises. The installation, repair, and technical capability of that equipment to function in conjunction with the feature specified herein will be the responsibility of the customer. The Company assumes no liability and will be held harmless for any incompatibility of this equipment to perform satisfactorily with the network features described herein.

If the incoming call is from a caller who subscribes to RingMaster service, the telephone number transmitted will always be the main number rather than the RingMaster service number.

Note 1: Effective August 1, 2017, Caller ID – Basic is no longer available for residence subscribers.