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PURPOSE: Withdraw obsoleted LightGate 1 and LightGate 2 System and associated mileage components

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B107. OBSOLETE SERVICE OFFERING - DIGITAL NETWORK SERVICE

B107.4 LightGate Service (Cont'd)

B107.4.4 Rates and Charges

(Obsoleted 10/18/01, Type D) Not available for new installations or moves of service to a different premises. New channel activations must be ordered under B7.4.5. No termination liability charge will be applicable for an existing customer under a CSPP arrangement who converts to rates in B7.4.5 as long as the service is at the same location(s) for a service period equal to or greater than the time remaining on the existing CSPP arrangement. In addition, nonrecurring charges will be waived for customers converting their existing service to rates in B7.4.5. Any new features added at the time of conversion will incur standard nonrecurring charges as stated in B7.4.5.

A. Basic LightGate Service¹

1. LightGate service 1 System (One DS3 Capacity)

- a. Includes photonic common equipment and first one-half air mile of local channel fiber optic facilities. Additional specific interface equipment is required in the central office (C.O.) and customer premises, as contained in A.1.a.(2) and (3) following. Mileage charges are as contained in B. following. Channelization for individual analog and digital services is contained under MegaLink channel service in B7.3.

(1) LightGate service 1 Basic System²

	Nonrecurring Charge	Month To Month	24 to 48 Months	49 to 72 Months	73 to 96 Months	
(a) Per System	\$3,000.00	\$2,760.00	\$2,400.00	\$2,280.00	\$2,160.00	USOC HFQ4+
(2) Electrical Interface Equipment - Central Office ²						
(a) (DELETED)						
(b) Per DS1 ⁴	150.00	14.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	FQA1X
(3) Electrical Interface Equipment - Customer Premises ²						
(a) Per DS3 ³	550.00	98.00	75.00	75.00	75.00	FQB4X
(b) Per DS1 ⁴	250.00	17.00	13.00	13.00	13.00	FQB1X
(c) (DELETED)						

Note 1: Contract lengths are now flexible to allow customer choice of payment period per B2.4.9.

Note 2: Month to month rates are only available at the end of a contract rate period.

Note 3: DS3 capability is provided where the customer does not desire channelization to DS1 or DS0 channel levels. This interface should not be provided where DS1 and DS0 level signals are provided at that system's termination point. However, if a DS3 signal is extended from the LightGate service 1 System serving central office to a remote central office, a DS3/DS1 multiplexer may be ordered at the remote C.O. by a customer to derive DS1 channel levels at rates contained in B107.4.4.A.2.

Note 4: DS1 capability is only available in groups of 4 DS1s. When existing DS1 capacity is exhausted, the customer must request additional DS1 service in groups of 4 DS1 channels. Each DS1 can transport 24 DS0 channels.

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B107.4 LightGate Service (Cont'd)

B107.4.4 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

A. Basic LightGate Service¹ (Cont'd)

2. LightGate service 2 System (Three DS3 Capacity)

- a. Includes photonic common equipment and first one-half air mile of local channel fiber optic facilities. Additional specific interface equipment is required, as contained in A.2.a.(1)(b) following. Where channelization is desired to provide DS1 and DS0 channels then a DS3/DS1 multiplexer must also be utilized in the central office and/or at a customer's premises as contained in A.2.a.(2) and (3) following. Mileage charges are as contained in B. following. Channelization for individual analog and digital services is contained under MegaLink channel service in B7.3.

	Nonrecurring Charge	Month To Month	24 to 48 Months	49 to 72 Months	73 to 96 Months	USOC	
(1) (DELETED)							(D)
(2) DS3/DS1 Multiplexers - Central Office							
(a) (DELETED)							(D)
(b) Per DS1 Electrical Interface ²	150.00	14.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	FQA1X	(T)
(3) DS3/DS1 Multiplexers - Customer Premises							
(a) (DELETED)							(D)
(b) Per DS1 Electrical Interface ²	250.00	17.00	13.00	13.00	13.00	FQB1X	(T)

Note 1: Contract lengths are now flexible to allow customer choice of payment period per B2.4.9.

Note 2: DS1 capability is only available in groups of 4 DS1s. When existing DS1 capacity is exhausted, the customer must request additional DS1 service in groups of 4 DS1 channels. Each DS1 can transport 24 DS0 channels. (T)

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B107.4 LightGate Service (Cont'd)

B107.4.4 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

	Nonrecurring Charge	Month To Month	24 to 48 Months	49 to 72 Months	73 to 96 Months	USOC
B. Mileage Charges						
1. Local Channels (for LightGate service 1 and 2) ²						
(a) First one-half mile (Included in System Charge)	-	-	-	-	-	NA
(b) Each additional one-half mile	-	\$375.00	\$310.00	\$295.00	\$280.00	1LDP3

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C. Route Diversity

Customer rates and charges for physical route diversity will be negotiated on an individual case basis.

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