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## A3. BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

## A3.13 Directory Assistance Service (Cont'd)

### A3.13.2 Application Of Charges (Cont'd)

C. Surcharges as described in A3.14 apply to operator served Directory Assistance calls.

#### A3.13.3 Rates and Charges

		Charge	USOC	
A.	Request of listing information - maximum of three requests per call			
	1. Listing(s) within the caller's NPA			
	(a) Per Call	\$2.29	NA	(I)
	2. Listing(s) outside the caller's NPA <sup>1</sup>			
	(a) Per Call	2.29	NA	(I)
B.	Directory Assistance service to Payphone Providers			
	(a) Per Call	.35	NA	

## A3.14 Operator Assisted Local Calls

#### A3.14.1 Reserved For Future Use

#### A3.14.2 Application Of Charges

A. Operator Assisted Local Calls

A surcharge will apply when the caller requests operator assistance and the call is completed within the local service area. The call may be billed to the originating telephone, third number, collect or any other Company-approved identification number. The surcharge will be applied to each completed call except:

- 1. For calls to the Company for official telephone business.
- 2. For emergency calls to agency type telephone numbers such as to those agencies of the federal, state or local government which have the capability and legal authority to provide aid in emergency situations and to any emergency medical number.
- 3. When the caller identifies himself as being handicapped and unable to place the call due to his handicap.
- 4. When the caller advises he has had service trouble in reaching the terminating number.
- **B.** In addition to applicable service charge(s), each local non-sent paid call originating from a payphone service provider line and (T) utilizing the Company's operator handling service will be rated at \$.35.

#### A3.14.3 Rates and Charges

- A. For any completed message in the call classes listed following, a service charge will be applied as follows:
  - 1. Billing Surcharges

( <b>a</b> )	Station-to-station operator assisted sent paid, collect, or	Rate 1.00	USOC NA	(T)
( <b>b</b> )	third number, each Person-to-person operator assisted calls, each	5.00	NA	(T)

Note 1: No exemptions or exceptions apply. This service is available where technically feasible.