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PURPOSE: Increase Business Light Gate Service (DS3) MTM  
and 12-Month Term Rates

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**B7. DIGITAL NETWORK SERVICE**

**B7.4 LightGate Service (Cont'd)**

**B7.4.5 Rates and Charges**

**A. LightGate service Local Channel Systems**

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	<b>Nonrecurring Charge</b>	<b>Month to Month</b>	<b>12 Months</b>	<b>24 to 48<sup>2,3</sup> Months</b>	<b>49 to 72<sup>2</sup> Months</b>	<b>73 to 96<sup>2</sup> Months</b>	<b>USOC</b>
1. LightGate 1 Basic System <sup>1</sup>							
(a) Per System	<b>\$300.00</b>	<b>\$76,675.00(I)</b>	<b>\$2,551.00(I)</b>	<b>\$1,550.00</b>	<b>\$1,400.00</b>	<b>\$1,250.00</b>	<b>HFSC7</b>
2. LightGate STS-1 Basic System <sup>1</sup>							
(a) Per System	<b>700.00</b>	<b>2,430.00</b>	<b>2,092.00</b>	<b>\$1,550.00</b>	<b>\$1,400.00</b>	<b>\$1,250.00</b>	<b>HFST1</b>
3. LightGate OC-3 Basic System <sup>1</sup>							
(a) Per System	<b>700.00</b>	<b>4,995.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>3,100.00</b>	<b>2,800.00</b>	<b>2,500.00</b>	<b>HFSO3</b>
(b) Per System with Optical Customer Termination	<b>700.00</b>	<b>3,283.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>1,968.00</b>	<b>1,776.00</b>	<b>1,584.00</b>	<b>HFSOC</b>
(c) Per System with Optical Serving Wire Center Termination	<b>700.00</b>	<b>3,283.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>1,968.00</b>	<b>1,776.00</b>	<b>1,584.00</b>	<b>HFSOW</b>
4. LightGate OC-12 Basic System <sup>1</sup>							
(a) Per System	<b>700.00</b>	<b>7,425.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>5,100.00</b>	<b>4,600.00</b>	<b>4,150.00</b>	<b>HFS12</b>
(b) Per System with Optical Customer Termination	<b>700.00</b>	<b>5,184.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>3,504.00</b>	<b>3,200.00</b>	<b>2,880.00</b>	<b>HFS1C</b>
(c) Per System with Optical Serving Wire Center Termination	<b>700.00</b>	<b>5,184.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>3,504.00</b>	<b>3,200.00</b>	<b>2,880.00</b>	<b>HFS1W</b>
5. LightGate OC-48 Basic System <sup>1</sup>							
(a) Per System	<b>700.00</b>	<b>17,550.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>11,000.00</b>	<b>10,000.00</b>	<b>9,000.00</b>	<b>HFS48</b>
(b) Per System with Optical Customer Termination	<b>700.00</b>	<b>10,800.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>7,040.00</b>	<b>6,400.00</b>	<b>5,760.00</b>	<b>HFS4C</b>
(c) Per System with Optical Serving Wire Center Termination	<b>700.00</b>	<b>10,800.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>7,040.00</b>	<b>6,400.00</b>	<b>5,760.00</b>	<b>HFS4W</b>
6. LightGate OC-192 Basic System <sup>1</sup>							
(a) Per System	<b>700.00</b>	<b>35,100.00</b>	<b>NA</b>	<b>20,000.00</b>	<b>18,000.00</b>	<b>16,000.00</b>	<b>HFST2</b>

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**B7.4.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**A. LightGate service Local Channel Systems (Cont'd)**

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	Nonrecurring Charge	Month to Month	12 Months	24 to 48 <sup>3,4</sup> Months	49 to 72 <sup>3</sup> Months	73 to 96 <sup>3</sup> Months	USOC
7. Central Office Channel Interfaces							
(a) Per DS1	\$125.00	\$16.00	\$10.00	\$8.00	\$7.00	\$6.00	1PQE8
(b) Per DS3	125.00	3,838.00(I)	163.00(I)	90.00	80.00	70.00	1PQE3
(c) Per DS3 (Asymmetrical with DS1/Flex DS1)	290.00	675.00	NA	390.00	365.00	350.00	1PQEG
(d) Per STS-1	125.00	236.00	NA	140.00	130.00	120.00	1PQE4
(e) Per OC-3 (2 Fiber)	200.00	324.00	NA	190.00	175.00	160.00	1PQE5
(f) Per OC-3 (4 Fiber)	200.00	573.00	NA	330.00	300.00	270.00	1PQE6
(g) Per OC-12 (2 Fiber)	360.00	864.00	NA	495.00	450.00	405.00	1PQEE
(h) Per OC-12 (4 Fiber)	400.00	1,728.00	NA	990.00	900.00	810.00	1PQED
(i) Per OC-48 (2 Fiber)	500.00	2,160.00	NA	1,325.00	1,215.00	1,050.00	1PQEO
(j) Per OC-48 (4 Fiber)	500.00	4,320.00	NA	2,650.00	2,430.00	2,100.00	1PQEF
(k) Per 28 DS1 Channel System	125.00	810.00	NA	490.00	465.00	450.00	MQ3CO
(l) Per DS1 on 28 DS1 Channel System	125.00	16.00	10.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	1PQEA
(m) Per STS-1 Channel System	125.00	810.00	NA	490.00	465.00	450.00	1PQE7
(n) Per OC-3 Channel System	125.00	1,788.00	NA	1,100.00	1,000.00	900.00	1PQE9
(o) Per OC-12 Channel System	125.00	3,577.00	NA	2,200.00	2,000.00	1,800.00	1PQ12
(p) Per OC-48 Channel System	125.00	7,411.00	NA	4,410.00	4,050.00	3,510.00	1PQ48
(q) Per 10 Mbps <sup>1</sup>	450.00	675.00	NA	175.00	155.00	140.00	1PQEH
(r) Per 100 Mbps (3 STS-1) – Electrical <sup>1</sup>	450.00	729.00	NA	210.00	190.00	170.00	1PQEJ
(s) Per 100 Mbps (3 STS-1) – Optical	450.00	729.00	NA	210.00	190.00	170.00	1PQDJ
(y) Per Fractional 1000 Mbps <sup>1</sup>							
- 50 Mbps – 1 STS-1	450.00	702.00	NA	190.00	170.00	150.00	1PQEM
- 150 Mbps – 3c STS-1	450.00	756.00	NA	230.00	210.00	190.00	1PQEN
- 150 Mbps – 3 STS-1	450.00	756.00	NA	230.00	210.00	190.00	1PQDN
- 300 Mbps – 6c STS-1	450.00	810.00	NA	300.00	280.00	260.00	1PQER
- 300 Mbps – 6 STS-1	450.00	810.00	NA	300.00	280.00	260.00	1PQDR
- 450 Mbps – 9c STS-1	450.00	864.00	NA	340.00	310.00	290.00	1PQES
- 450 Mbps – 9 STS-1	450.00	864.00	NA	340.00	310.00	290.00	1PQDS
- 600 Mbps – 12c STS-1	450.00	945.00	NA	380.00	340.00	320.00	1PQET
- 600 Mbps – 12 STS-1	450.00	945.00	NA	380.00	340.00	320.00	1PQDT
- 1000 Mbps – 21 STS-1 <sup>2</sup>	400.00	999.00	NA	520.00	475.00	425.00	1PQEK
- 1000 Mbps – 24c STS-1 <sup>2</sup>	400.00	999.00	NA	520.00	475.00	425.00	1PQEW
(u) Per Flex DS1	130.00	16.00	NA	8.00	7.00	6.00	1PQEQ

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8. Customer Channel Interfaces

	Nonrecurring Charge	Month to Month	12 Months	24 to 48 <sup>3,4</sup> Months	49 to 72 <sup>3</sup> Months	73 to 96 <sup>3</sup> Months	USOC
(a) Per DS1	\$170.00	\$22.00	\$17.00	\$13.00	\$11.50	\$10.00	1PQF1
(b) Per DS3	125.00	3,838.00(I)	163.00(I)	90.00	80.00	70.00	1PQF3
(c) Per DS3 (Asymmetrical with DS1/Flex DS1)	280.00	675.00	NA	390.00	365.00	350.00	1PQFG
(d) Per STS-1	125.00	324.00	NA	195.00	185.00	175.00	1PQF4
(e) Per OC-3 (2 Fiber)	125.00	324.00	NA	190.00	175.00	160.00	1PQF5
(f) Per OC-3 (4 Fiber)	125.00	641.00	NA	380.00	350.00	320.00	1PQF6
(g) Per OC-12 (2 Fiber)	275.00	965.00	NA	570.00	525.00	480.00	1PQF8
(h) Per OC-12 (4 Fiber)	275.00	1,930.00	NA	1,140.00	1,050.00	960.00	1PQF7
(i) Per OC-48 (2 Fiber)	300.00	2,160.00	NA	1,325.00	1,215.00	1,050.00	1PQF2
(j) Per OC-48 (4 Fiber)	300.00	4,320.00	NA	2,650.00	2,430.00	2,100.00	1PQFO
(k) Per 10 Mbps <sup>1</sup>	450.00	675.00	NA	175.00	155.00	140.00	1PQFH
(l) Per 100 Mbps (3 STS-1) – Electrical <sup>1</sup>	450.00	729.00	NA	210.00	190.00	170.00	1PQFJ
(m) Per 100 Mbps (3 STS-1) – 1310 nm Single-mode <sup>1</sup>	450.00	729.00	NA	210.00	190.00	170.00	1PQ3J
(n) Per Fractional 1000 Mbps <sup>1</sup>							
- 50 Mbps 850 nm Multi-mode – 1 STS-1	450.00	702.00	NA	190.00	170.00	150.00	1PQFM
- 50 Mbps 1310 nm Single-mode – 1 STS-1	450.00	702.00	NA	190.00	170.00	150.00	1PQ3M
- 150 Mbps 850 nm Multi-mode – 3c STS-1	450.00	756.00	NA	230.00	210.00	190.00	1PQFN
- 150 Mbps 1310 nm Single-mode – 3c STS-1	450.00	756.00	NA	230.00	210.00	190.00	1PQ3N
- 150 Mbps 850 nm Multi-mode – 3 STS-1	450.00	756.00	NA	230.00	210.00	190.00	1PQJN
- 150 Mbps 1310 nm Single-mode – 3 STS-1	450.00	756.00	NA	230.00	210.00	190.00	1PQKN
- 300 Mbps 850 nm Multi-mode – 6c STS-1	450.00	810.00	NA	300.00	280.00	260.00	1PQFR
- 300 Mbps 1310 nm Single-mode – 6c STS-1	450.00	810.00	NA	300.00	280.00	260.00	1PQ3R
- 300 Mbps 850 nm Multi-mode – 6 STS-1	450.00	810.00	NA	300.00	280.00	260.00	1PQJR
- 300 Mbps 1310 nm Single-mode – 6 STS-1	450.00	810.00	NA	300.00	280.00	260.00	1PQKR
- 450 Mbps 850 nm Multi-mode – 9c STS-1	450.00	864.00	NA	340.00	310.00	290.00	1PQFS
- 450 Mbps 1310 nm Single-mode – 9c STS-1	450.00	864.00	NA	340.00	310.00	290.00	1PQ3S
- 450 Mbps 850 nm Multi-mode – 9 STS-1	450.00	864.00	NA	340.00	310.00	290.00	1PQJS
- 450 Mbps 1310 nm Single-mode – 9 STS-1	450.00	864.00	NA	340.00	310.00	290.00	1PQKS
- 600 Mbps 850 nm Multi-mode – 12c STS-1	450.00	945.00	NA	380.00	340.00	320.00	1PQFT
- 600 Mbps 1310 nm Single-mode – 12c STS-1	450.00	945.00	NA	380.00	340.00	320.00	1PQ3T
- 600 Mbps 850 nm Multi-mode – 12 STS-1	450.00	945.00	NA	380.00	340.00	320.00	1PQJT
- 600 Mbps 1310 nm Single-mode – 12 STS-1	450.00	945.00	NA	380.00	340.00	320.00	1PQKT
- 1000 Mbps 850 nm Multi-mode – 21 STS-1 <sup>2</sup>	400.00	999.00	NA	520.00	475.00	425.00	1PQFK
- 1000 Mbps 1310 nm Single-mode – 21 STS-1 <sup>2</sup>	400.00	999.00	NA	520.00	475.00	425.00	1PQ3K
- 1000 Mbps 850 nm Multi-mode – 24c STS-1 <sup>2</sup>	400.00	999.00	NA	520.00	475.00	425.00	1PQFP
- 1000 Mbps 1310 nm Single-mode – 24c STS-1 <sup>2</sup>	400.00	999.00	NA	520.00	475.00	425.00	1PQ3P
(o) Per Flex DS1	260.00	22.00	NA	13.00	11.50	10.00	1PQFQ

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<b>B.</b> LightGate service Local Channel Mileage <sup>1</sup>							
1. Mileage for all LightGate service Local Channel Systems							
(a) First one-half mile (included in system charge)	-	-	-	-	-	-	NA
(b) Each additional one-half mile	NA	\$8,313.00(I)	\$328.00(I)	\$180.00	\$165.00	\$150.00	1LPEA
<b>C.</b> Separate Alternate Facility Transport (SAFT) <sup>1</sup>							
1. SAFT Level I							
(a) Per System	\$770.00						1L8EA
(b) Per one-half air mile		236.00	NA	115.00	95.00	90.00	1L8SA
2. SAFT Level II							
(a) Per System	770.00						1L8EP
(b) Per one-half air mile		2,700.00	NA	800.00	640.00	520.00	1L8SP
<b>D.</b> Interoffice Channels (These channels are furnished between central offices. Rates are based upon airline distance between central offices.)							
1. LightGate I service <sup>1</sup>							
(a) Per DS3							
(1) 0-8 miles							
(a) Fixed	190.00	52,953.00(I)	1,776.00(I)	975.00	775.00	625.00	1LPS8
(b) Per Mile		4,766.00(I)	126.00(I)	70.00	60.00	50.00	1LPE8
(2) 9-25 miles							
(a) Fixed	190.00	59,255.00(I)	2,049.00(I)	1,125.00	925.00	775.00	1LPS9
(b) Per Mile		4,766.00(I)	126.00(I)	70.00	60.00	50.00	1LPE9
(3) Over 25 miles							
(a) Fixed	190.00	69,288.00(I)	2,413.00(I)	1,325.00	1,125.00	925.00	1LPS6
(b) Per Mile		4,766.00(I)	126.00(I)	70.00	60.00	50.00	1LPE6
2. LightGate STS-1 service <sup>1</sup>							
(a) Per STS-1							
(1) 0-8 miles							
(a) Fixed	190.00	1,930.00	1,316.00	975.00	775.00	625.00	1LPS8
(b) Per Mile		175.00	94.00	70.00	60.00	50.00	1LPE8
(2) 9-25 miles							
(a) Fixed	190.00	2,160.00	1,518.00	1,125.00	925.00	775.00	1LPS9
(b) Per Mile		175.00	94.00	70.00	60.00	50.00	1LPE9
(3) Over 25 miles							
(a) Fixed	190.00	2,524.00	1,788.00	1,325.00	1,125.00	925.00	1LPS6
(b) Per Mile		175.00	94.00	70.00	60.00	50.00	1LPE6

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6. LightGate OC-192 service <sup>1</sup>							
(a) Per OC-192							
(1) 0-8 miles							
(a) Fixed	\$190.00	\$25,650.00	NA	\$15,500.00	\$13,800.00	\$12,500.00	1LPS8
(b) Per Mile		810.00	NA	500.00	450.00	400.00	1LPE8
(2) 9-25 miles							
(a) Fixed	190.00	26,865.00	NA	15,900.00	14,200.00	12,700.00	1LPS9
(b) Per Mile		810.00	NA	500.00	450.00	400.00	1LPE9
(3) Over 25 miles							
(a) Fixed	190.00	29,700.00	NA	17,700.00	15,800.00	14,100.00	1LPS6
(b) Per Mile		810.00	NA	500.00	450.00	400.00	1LPE6
7. Central Office Channel Interfaces							
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(j) Per 28 DS1 Channel System	125.00	810.00	NA	490.00	465.00	450.00	MQ3CO
(k) Per DS1 on 28 DS1 Channel System	125.00	16.00	10.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	1PQEA
(l) Per STS-1 Channel System	125.00	810.00	NA	490.00	465.00	450.00	1PQE7
(m) Per OC-3 Channel System	125.00	1,788.00	NA	1,100.00	1,000.00	900.00	1PQE9
(n) Per OC-12 Channel System	125.00	3,577.00	NA	2,200.00	2,000.00	1,800.00	1PQ12
(o) Per OC-48 Channel System	125.00	7,411.00	NA	4,410.00	4,050.00	3,510.00	1PQ48

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