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## **ACCESS SERVICE**

- 6. Switched Access Service (Cont'd)
  - 6.8 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)
    - 6.8.1 Rate Elements (Cont'd)
      - (D) Local Switching (Cont'd)
        - (1) The Local Switching rate element provides for the following functions.

Common Switching - Local end office switching associated with the various feature group and basic serving arrangements switching arrangements.

Transport Termination - Line or trunk side arrangements which terminate the Local Transport facilities.

Line Termination - Terminations for the end user lines terminating in the local end office. There are two types of line terminations: Common Line terminations and WATS Access Line Service terminations.

(AT) (RT) Intercept - Termination of certain calls at a Company intercept recording. The recording tells a caller that a call, as dialed, could not be completed.

During the transition period in which Switched Access Services are provided as either feature groups or as basic serving arrangements, Local Switching is available on a bundled or unbundled basis. Bundled Local Switching rates will apply to Switched Access Services provided as feature groups. Unbundled Local Switching rates will apply to Switched Access Services provided as basic serving arrangements. When the feature groups are abolished at the end of this transitional period, Local Switching will only be provided on an unbundled basis. Bundled and Unbundled Local Switching rates are divided into two distinct categories, i.e., LS1 and LS2.

- (2) The Dedicated End Office Port provides for each dedicated line or trunk terminating in the end office port.
- (3) The Shared End Office Trunk Port rate element provides for the use of the shared end office trunk ports for termination of common transport trunks for tandem routed traffic.

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