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GENERAL REGULATIONS

2.1 Undertaking of SWBT (Cont'd)

2.1.4 Provision of Services

- (A) SWBT will provide to the customer, upon reasonable notice, services offered in other applicable sections of this tariff at rates and charges specified therein, to the extent that such services are or can be made available with reasonable effort and after provisions have been made for SWBT's Telephone Exchange Service.

In the event that the customer's request cannot be fulfilled with existing facilities and equipment or the request is not consistent with SWBT's filed tariffs and technical references contained therein, alternative designs may be provided by SWBT. Additionally, SWBT will work with the customer to reach an agreeable solution.

The Company may discontinue certain Company services in geographic areas for which the Company has no customers subscribing to those services.

The Company may grandfather or discontinue Company services in certain geographic areas at its discretion, subject to any applicable regulatory approvals. All services described in this Tariff will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers in certain geographic areas in Texas. In addition, requests to move, add or change existing service will not be accepted. Existing customers may cancel features on their existing service.

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For service availability by address: <https://cpr.att.com:8443/search/csiServiceAvailability>

Effective November 4, 2025, High Capacity DS1 and High Capacity DS3 Services will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers. This action does not apply to Local Interconnections, Tandem Switched Access, SS7, or E911 selective router terminations. Requests for renewals, moves, adds, or changes to existing service arrangements will not be accepted. Following the expiration of a customer's existing term agreement, service will be provided on a month-to-month basis at the applicable monthly rates until Service is discontinued. For the avoidance of doubt, this action does not supersede any prior grandfathering or discontinuance of these Services in specific wire centers. (N)

- (B) The services provided under this tariff are provided over such routes and facilities as SWBT may elect. Requests for special facilities or routing of access service will be provided in accordance with Section 11 (Special Facilities Routing of Access Services) or Section 14 (Special Construction), as appropriate.
- (C) The services in this tariff will be provided as follows:
- (1) The service will include any entrance cable or drop wiring and wiring or cable as set forth in Part 68 of the F.C.C.'s Rules and Regulations.
 - (2) The service will be installed by SWBT to a point of demarcation.
- (D) Standard Jacks, discussed in 13.3.5 (Standard Jacks-Registration Program), are used where appropriate to terminate services. Jacks other than those used to terminate services may be provided by SWBT as specified in the General Exchange Tariff.

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GENERAL REGULATIONS

2.1 Undertaking of SWBT (Cont'd)

2.1.4 Provision of Services (Cont'd)

- (E) Except as provided for equipment and systems subject to F.C.C. Part 68 Regulation at 47 C.F.R. Section 68.110(b), SWBT may, where such action is reasonably required in the operation of its business: (M)
- (1) Substitute, change or rearrange any facilities used in providing service under this tariff, including but not limited to:
 - substitution of different metallic facilities,
 - substitution of carrier or derived facilities for metallic facilities used to provide other than metallic facilities, and
 - substitution of metallic facilities for carrier or derived facilities used to provide other than metallic facilities.
 - (2) Change minimum network protection criteria;
 - (3) Change operating or maintenance characteristics of facilities; or
 - (4) Change operations or procedures of SWBT. (M)
- (F) In case of any such substitution, change or rearrangement as described in (F) preceding, the facility parameters will be within the range as set forth in Section 6 (Switched Access Service) and Section 7 (Special Access Service). SWBT shall not be responsible if any such substitution, change or rearrangement renders any customer furnished services obsolete or requires modification or alteration thereof or otherwise affects their use or performance. If such substitution, change or rearrangement materially affects the operating characteristics of the facility, SWBT will provide reasonable notification to the customer in writing. Reasonable time will be allowed for any redesign and implementation required by the change in operating characteristics. SWBT will work cooperatively with the customer to determine reasonable notification requirements.
- (G) SWBT will provide the customer reasonable notification of service-affecting activities that may occur in normal operation of its business. Such activities may include, but are not limited to, equipment or facilities additions, removals or rearrangements, routing preventative maintenance and major switching machine change-out. Generally, such activities are not individual customer service specific, but affect many customer services. No specific advance notification period is applicable to all service activities. SWBT will work cooperatively with the customer to determine the notification requirements. In case any change is made in the type of service rendered which would adversely affect the efficiency of operation or the adjustment of the equipment of customers, all customers who may be affected shall be notified at least 60 days in advance of the change or if such notice is not possible, as early as feasible.
- (H) SWBT will work cooperatively with the customer to develop network contingency plans in order to maintain maximum network capability following natural or man-made disasters which affect telecommunications services.

ORDERING FOR ACCESS SERVICE

5. Ordering for Access Service (Cont'd)

5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

5.2.1 Ordering Conditions (Cont'd)

- (2) The following criteria are satisfied for each combined circuit, including each DS1⁽¹⁾ circuit, each DS1⁽¹⁾ enhanced extended link, and each DS1-equivalent⁽¹⁾ circuit on a DS3⁽¹⁾ enhanced extended link: (C)
 - (i) Each circuit to be provided to each end user customer will be assigned a local number prior to the provision of service over that circuit; (C)
 - (ii) Each DS1-equivalent⁽¹⁾ circuit on a DS3⁽¹⁾ enhanced extended link must have its own local number assignment, so that each DS3⁽¹⁾ must have at least 28 local voice numbers assigned to it; (C)
 - (iii) Each circuit to be provided to each end user customer will have 911 or E911 capability prior to the provision of service over that circuit; (C)
 - (iv) Each circuit to be provided to each end user customer will terminate in a collocation arrangement that meets the requirements detailed below; (C)
 - (v) Each circuit to be provided to each end user customer will be served by an interconnection trunk that meets the requirements detailed below; (C)
 - (vi) For each 24 DS1⁽¹⁾ enhanced extended links or other facilities having equivalent capacity, the requesting telecommunications carrier will have at least one active DS1⁽¹⁾ local service interconnection trunk that meets the requirements detailed below; and (C)
 - (vii) Each circuit to be provided to each end user customer will be served by a switch capable of switching local voice traffic. (C)

(1) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

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ORDERING FOR ACCESS SERVICE

5. Ordering for Access Service (cont'd)

5.2 Access Order (cont'd)

5.2.3 Service Provisioning Intervals (cont'd)

5.2.3.1 Negotiated Interval

SWBT will negotiate a service date interval with the customer when:

- There is no standard interval for the service, or
- The quantity of Access Services ordered exceeds the quantities specified in Section 5.3.2(C) (1), or
- The customer requests a service date beyond the applicable standard interval service date.

Standard Intervals	
Analog/Voice Grade/DS0	10 days
DS1 ⁽¹⁾	5 days

(C)

SWBT will offer a service date based on the type and quantity of Access Services the customer has requested. The negotiated interval may not exceed by more than six months the standard interval service date, or, when there is no standard interval, SWBT's offered service date.

(1) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

(N)

ORDERING FOR ACCESS SERVICE

5. Ordering for Access Service (cont'd)

5.3 Rate Regulations (cont'd)

5.3.2 Access Order Modification Charges (cont'd)

C. Expedited Order Charge

(1) Analog (Metallic, Telegraph, Video and Wideband Analog), Voice Grade, DS0 (Wideband Data and Digital Link) and DS1⁽¹⁾ Access Services (C)

If a customer desires that service be provided on a due date earlier than the standard interval, the customer may request that service be provided on an expedited service interval. To qualify for an expedited interval the customer must provide End User premises access, where needed, until 11PM (CT), Monday-Friday.

If, upon reviewing availability of equipment, facilities and scheduled workload, SBC agrees to provide service on an expedited basis and the customer accepts this proposal, an Expedite Order Charge will apply.

The maximum number of circuits, which may be expedited, is limited to twelve (12) two-point or six (6) multi-point Analog/DS0 circuits at the same location; and a limit of nine (9) DS1 circuits at the same location. When the number of access circuits exceeds the maximum threshold the interval will be negotiated and expediting will not be an option.

If SBC determines that service can be provided on an expedited basis, the following charges will apply based upon agreed upon expedited service interval. The Expedited Order Charge applies on a per order basis, regardless of the number of circuits on the order.

USOC	Analog/Voice Grade/DS0 Access Services	
	Expedited Service Intervals	Expedited Order Charge
EODXN	9 days	\$ 375.00
EODXL	8 days	425.00
EODXJ	7 days	475.00
EODXG	6 days	525.00
EODXE	5 days	575.00
EODXC	4 days	625.00
EODXA	3 days	675.00
EODWR	2 days	1,500.00
EODWQ	1 days	2,000.00
EODWP	0 days	2,500.00

(1) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

(N)

ORDERING FOR ACCESS SERVICE

5. Ordering for Access Service (cont'd)

5.3 Rate Regulations (cont'd)

5.3.2 Access Order Modification Charges (cont'd)

(C) Expedited Order Charge (cont'd)

DS1 Access Service⁽¹⁾

(C)

Expedited Service		
<u>USOC</u>	<u>Intervals</u>	<u>Expedited Order Charge</u>
EODXR	4 days	\$ 625.00
EODXP	3 days	675.00
EODWO	2 days	1,500.00
EODWN	1 days	2,000.00
EODWM	0 days	2,500.00

- (a) In addition to expedited order charges, special construction charges may apply, if SWBT determines that additional cost will be incurred.
- (b) When the request for expediting occurs subsequent to the issuance of the Access Order, a Service Date Change Charge as specified in Section 5.3.2(B) also applies.
- (c) If SWBT is subsequently unable to meet an agreed upon expedited service date, no Expedited Order Charge will apply, unless the missed service date was caused by the customer.

(2) For all Access Services, excluding Analog, Voice Grade, DSO and DS1 Access Services

If the customer desires that service be provided on an earlier date than that which has been established for the access order or the provision of the Access Service, the customer may request that service be provided on an expedited basis. If SWBT determines that service can be provided on the requested date and that additional labor costs or extraordinary costs are required to meet the requested service date, the customer will be notified and will be provided with an estimate of the additional charges involved. The total charges to the customer for the Additional Engineering may not exceed the estimate amount by more than 10%. If the customer instructs SWBT to proceed, such additional charges will be determined and billed to the customer as follows:

To calculate the additional labor charges, SWBT will, upon authorization from the customer to incur the additional labor charges, keep track of the additional labor hours used to meet the request of the customer and will bill the customer at the applicable additional labor charges as set forth in 13.4.

(1) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

(N)

Expanded interconnection is offered under protest. Its availability is subject in all respects to the Stipulation and Agreement entered into in Docket No. 12879.

ORDERING FOR ACCESS SERVICE

5. Ordering for Access Service (cont'd)

5.3 Rate Regulations (cont'd)

5.3.2 Access Order Modification Charges (cont'd)

(C) Expedited Order Charge

(2) For all Access Services, excluding Analog, Voice Grade, DSO and DS1⁽¹⁾ Access Services (cont'd)

(C)

- (a) Extraordinary Costs:** The special construction terms and conditions specified in Section 14 will be used by SWBT to determine charges to recover the extraordinary costs, which may be involved. Authorization to incur the costs and to bill the customer will be in accordance with the terms and conditions in Section 14. Extraordinary costs for Expanded Interconnection are developed on an Individual Case Basis (ICB) as described in 25.3 (Individual Case Basis).
- (b)** When the request for expediting occurs subsequent to the issuance of the access order, a Service Date Change Charge as specified in (B) preceding also applies.
- (c)** If SWBT is subsequently unable to meet an agreed upon expedited service date, no Expedited Order Charge will apply, unless the missed service date was caused by the customer.

(D) Partial Cancellation Charge

Any decrease in the number of the following Access Services or Arrangements ordered will be treated as a partial cancellation and the charges described in 5.3.3 (Access Order Cancellation Charges) will apply.

- CCS/SS7 STP port terminations
- MicroLink II Service access terminations
- Special Access channels
- Switched Access Service lines, trunks, Switched Transport channels or Directory Transport channels

(1) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

(N)

Expanded interconnection is offered under protest. Its availability is subject in all respects to the Stipulation and Agreement entered into in Docket No. 12879.

SPECIAL ACCESS SERVICE

7.1 Service Provisioning (Cont'd)

7.1.1 Types of Service Configurations (Cont'd)

(C) Multiplexed Service (Cont'd)

(6) High Capacity (DS1)⁽²⁾ to Voice Grade (C)

An arrangement that converts a 1.544 Mbps channel to 24 channels for use with Voice Grade services⁽¹⁾. A channel of this DS1 to the hub can also be used for Digital Link⁽¹⁾ Metallic service⁽¹⁾ or WATS Access Lines⁽¹⁾.

(7) High Capacity (DS1)⁽²⁾ to DSO (C)

An arrangement that converts a 1.544 Mbps channel to 23 64.0 kbps channels using digital time division multiplexing.

(8) High Capacity DSO to Subrate⁽¹⁾

An arrangement that converts a 64.0 kbps channel to subspeeds of up to twenty 2.4 kbps, ten 4.8 kbps, or five 9.6 kbps channels using digital time division multiplexing.

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(2) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

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SPECIAL ACCESS SERVICE

7.1 Service Provisioning (cont'd)

7.1.2 Types of Channels

For the purpose of ordering, the categories (channel types) of Special Access Service are:

Metallic ⁽¹⁾

Telegraph Grade ⁽¹⁾

Voice Grade ⁽¹⁾

(Deleted)

(Deleted)

Digital Link Service ⁽¹⁾

High Capacity⁽²⁾

(C)

Detailed descriptions of each of the channel types are provided in 7.3 (Service Descriptions, Rates and Charges).

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(2) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

(N)

SPECIAL ACCESS SERVICE

7.1 Service Provisioning (cont'd)

7.1.7 Acceptance Testing

Testing and test results are available at the customer's request as follows:

- A.** At no additional charge, SWBT will cooperatively test the following parameters at the time of installation:

- 1.** For Voice Grade⁽¹⁾ analog service (including WATS Access Lines⁽¹⁾, acceptance tests will include tests for loss, 3-tone slope, DC continuity, operational signaling, C-notched noise, and C-message noise when these parameters are applicable and specified in the order for service. Additionally, for Voice Grade⁽¹⁾ services, a balance test will be made if the customer has ordered the improved loss optional feature.
- 2.** For other analog services (i.e., Metallic⁽¹⁾ and Telegraph⁽¹⁾, acceptance tests will include tests for the parameters applicable to the service as specified by the customer in the order for service.
- 3.** For digital services, acceptance tests will include tests applicable to the service as specified in the appropriate Technical References for Digital Link⁽¹⁾ and High Capacity⁽²⁾ services.

(C)

- B.** In addition to the above tests, Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing for Voice Grade⁽¹⁾ and Digital services to test other parameters, as described in 13.3.7(A) (Additional Cooperative Acceptance Testing), is available.

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(2) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

(N)

SPECIAL ACCESS SERVICE

7.2 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

7.2.4 Nonrecurring Charges

Nonrecurring charges are one-time charges that apply for specific work activity (i.e., installation or change to an existing service). The types of nonrecurring charges that apply for Special Access Service are:

- Installation of Service
- Installation of Optional Features and Functions
- Service Rearrangements.

(A) Installation of Service

Nonrecurring charges apply to each service installed. These charges are set forth in 7.3 (Service Descriptions, Rates and Charges) as a nonrecurring charge for the Channel Termination rate element.

(B) Installation of Optional Features and Functions

Nonrecurring charges apply for the installation of some of the optional features and functions available with Special Access Service. The charge applies whether the feature or function is installed coincident with the initial installation of service or at any time subsequent to the installation of the service.

The optional features for which nonrecurring charges apply are:

- Voice Grade Data Capability ⁽¹⁾
- Digital Link Secondary Channel ⁽¹⁾
- High Capacity ⁽²⁾ Clear Channel Capability (C)

(C) (Reserved for Future Use)

(D) Service Rearrangements

Service Rearrangements are changes to existing (installed) services which do not result in either (1) a change in the minimum period requirements as set forth in 5.3.4 (Minimum Period Charges) or (2) a change in the physical location of the Point of Termination at a customer designated premises.

Changes which result in the establishment of new minimum period obligations are treated as disconnects and starts. Changes in the physical location of the Point of Termination are treated as moves and are described and charged for as set forth in 7.2.7 (Moves).

The charge to the customer for the service rearrangement is dependent on whether the change is administrative only in nature or involves actual physical change to the service.

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(2) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

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7.2 Rate Regulations (cont'd)

7.2.7 Moves

A move involves a change in the physical location of one of the following:

- The Point of Termination at the customer's premises
- The customer's premises

The charges are dependent on the type of move requested by the customer.

A. Moves of the Point of Termination Within the Same Customer Premises

1. Rollover

A Rollover is a customer initiated move that involves a change of a Point of Termination from an existing service to another existing service within the same customer premises. The Rollover must occur within the same SWBT location.

Rollovers may be performed at the following service levels:

- Analog*/Digital Link⁽¹⁾ Service to 1.544 Mbps High Capacity (DS1)⁽²⁾ (C)
- 1.544 Mbps High Capacity (DS1) to 1.544 Mbps High Capacity (DS1)⁽²⁾ (C)
- 1.544 Mbps High Capacity (DS1) to 44.736 Mbps High Capacity (DS3)⁽²⁾ (C)

2. Relocation

When the move of the Point of Termination is to a new location within the same customer premises, the move will be treated as an extension of access service facilities. Extension of access service facilities will be provided, at the customer's request, on a time sensitive charge basis. The labor rates which apply are set forth in 13.4 (Rates and Charges). There will be no change in minimum period requirements.

B. Moves of a Customer Premises

Moves to a different customer premises will be treated as a discontinuance and start of service and all associated nonrecurring charges will apply. New minimum period requirements will be established for the new service. The customer will also remain responsible for satisfying all outstanding minimum period charges for the discontinued service.

- * Analog services include: Metallic Service⁽¹⁾, Telegraph Grade Service⁽¹⁾ or Voice Grade Service⁽¹⁾.

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(2) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

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7.2 Rate Regulations (Cont'd)

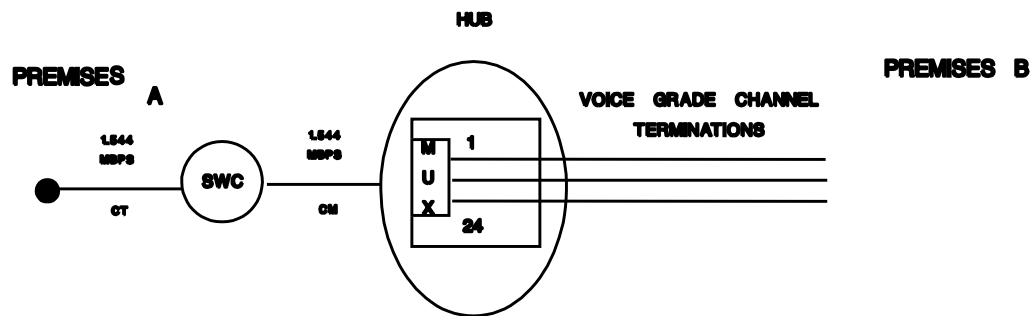
7.2.14 Multiplexed Service

The rate elements applicable to be multiplexed service are as follows:

- Channel Terminations
- Channel Mileage
- Multiplexing

In addition, the Special Access Surcharge, as set forth in 7.2.5 and a Message Station Equipment Recovery Charge, as set forth in 7.2.17 may be applicable.

Following is a example of multiplexing a 1.544 Mbps⁽²⁾ channel to 24 (C) Voice Grade⁽¹⁾ channels.



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(2) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

SPECIAL ACCESS SERVICE

7.3 Service Descriptions, Rates and Charges

7.3.1 General

The types of Special Access Service are:

Metallic (MT) ⁽¹⁾
Telegraph Grade (TG) ⁽¹⁾
Voice Grade (VG) ⁽¹⁾

Digital Link (DL) ⁽¹⁾
High Capacity (HC) ⁽²⁾

(C)

Each of the channel types has its own characteristics. All are subdivided by one or more of the following:

- Transmission specifications
- Bandwidth
- Speed (i.e., bit rate)
- Spectrum.

A. Descriptions

Each service consists of a basic channel to which the following services can be added as required to construct the service desired by the customer:

- Technical specifications packages (customized or predefined)
- Channel interface(s)
- Optional features and functions.

Paragraph (A) of 7.3.2 through 7.3.11 provides a description of the characteristics of each basic channel type and indicates whether the channel is provided between customer designated premises or between a customer designated premises and a SWBT hub where bridging or multiplexing functions are performed. Customized channels are available as specified in 7.2.16.

(1) Effective June 30, 2021, this Service will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers. In addition, requests to move, add, change, or renew existing service arrangements will not be accepted. Following the expiration of a customer's existing term agreement, service will be provided on a month-to-month basis at the applicable Monthly rates until the service is discontinued. The Company currently plans to discontinue this service on or after June 30, 2024.

(2) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

(N)

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7.3 Service Descriptions, Rates and Charges (cont'd)

7.3.1 General (cont'd)

B. Technical Specifications Packages (cont'd)

- The letter "C" following the two letter code indicates the technical specifications package for a customized service. For a customized service, the customer may select any parameters available with that category of service as long as the parameters are compatible. Customized technical specifications packages will be provided where technically feasible. If SWBT determines that the requested parameter specifications are not compatible, the customer will be advised and given the opportunity to change the order.

SWBT will maintain existing transmission specifications on services installed prior to the effective date of this tariff, except that existing services with performance specifications exceeding the standards listed in this provision will be maintained at the performance levels specified in this tariff.

All services installed after the effective date of this tariff will conform to the transmission specification standards contained in this tariff or in the following Technical References for each category of service.

Metallic ⁽¹⁾	TR-NPL-000336	
Telegraph Grade ⁽¹⁾	TR-NPL-000336	
Voice Grade ⁽¹⁾	TR-TSY-000335	
PUB	41004, Table 4	
WALS ⁽¹⁾	TR-NWT-000334	
Digital Link ⁽¹⁾	TR-NPL-000341	
PUB	62310	
High Capacity ⁽²⁾	PUB 76625	(C)
PUB	62411	
TR-INS-000342		

Customers who wish to obtain copies of these references may obtain ordering information from the User's Guide section of this tariff.

(1) Effective June 30, 2021, this Service will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers. In addition, requests to move, add, change, or renew existing service arrangements will not be accepted. Following the expiration of a customer's existing term agreement, service will be provided on a month-to-month basis at the applicable Monthly rates until the service is discontinued. The Company currently plans to discontinue this service on or after June 30, 2024.

(2) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

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7.3 Service Descriptions, Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

7.3.10 High Capacity Service⁽⁴⁾

(C)

(A) Basic Channel Description

A High Capacity channel is a channel for the transmission of nominal 64.0 kbps^{{1}{3}}, 1.544 Mbps, or 44.736 Mbps isochronous serial digital data. The actual bit rate and framing format is a function of the channel interface selected by the customer. High Capacity channels are provided: [1] between customer designated premises; [2] between a customer designated premises and a SWBT hub; [3] between Network Reconfiguration Service (NRS) hubs; or [4] between an NRS hub and a SWBT hub.

It is the customer's responsibility to arrange for the Network Channel Terminating Equipment associated with the High Capacity channel at the customer's premises.

(B) Technical Specifications Packages

Transmission		Package HC-
<u>Parameter</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>
Error-Free Seconds		X

A channel with technical specifications package HC1 will be capable of an error-free second performance of 98.75% over a continuous 24 hour period as measured at the 1.544 Mbps rate through a Channel Service Unit equivalent which is designed, manufactured, and maintained to conform with the specifications contained in the appropriate Technical Reference for High Capacity Service.

(C) Channel Interfaces (CI)

The following channel interfaces define the bit rate that is available for a High Capacity DS1 channel:

<u>CI</u>	<u>Bit Rate</u>
DS-15{2}{3}	1.544 Mbps (DS1)

DS-44	44.736 Mbps (DS3)
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(D) Reserved for Future Use

- {1} Available only as a channel of a 1.544 Mbps facility between two SWBT Digital Link hubs. The customer must provide system and channel assignment data.
- {2} A 64.0 kbps channel is available as a channel(s) of a 1.544 Mbps facility to a SWBT hub.
- {3} Effective June 30, 2021, 64.0 Kbps will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers. In addition, requests to move, add, change, or renew existing service arrangements will not be accepted. Following the expiration of a customer's existing term agreement, service will be provided on a month-to-month basis at the applicable Monthly rates until the service is discontinued. The Company currently plans to discontinue this service on or after June 30, 2024.
- {4} See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

(N)

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7.3 Service Descriptions, Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

7.3.10 High Capacity Service⁽²⁾ (Cont'd) (C)

(E) Optional Features and Functions

	Package HC-		
	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>
Central Office Multiplexing			
DS0 to Subrate* ⁽¹⁾	X		
DS1 to DS0		X	
DS1 to Voice		X	
DS3 to DS1			X
Clear Channel Capability		X	
Extended Superframe Format		X	

*Available only on a channel of 1.544 Mbps facility to a SWBT hub or on a DS0 channel⁽¹⁾ that connects to a customer's Network Reconfiguration Service (NRS) network which contains a DS1 channel.

(1)

(2) Central Office Multiplexing

(a) DS0 to Subrate⁽¹⁾

An arrangement that converts a 64.0 Kbps channel to subspeeds of up to twenty 2.4 Kbps, ten 4.8 Kbps, or five 9.6 Kbps channels using digital time division multiplexing.

(b) DS1 to DS0

An arrangement that converts a 1.544 Mbps channel to 23 64.0 Kbps channels utilizing digital time division multiplexing.

(c) DS1 to Voice

An arrangement that converts a 1.544 Mbps channel to 24 channels for use with Voice Grade⁽¹⁾ Services. A channel of this DS1 to the hub can also be used for Digital Link⁽¹⁾ for Metallic Service.⁽¹⁾

(1) Effective June 30, 2021, this Service will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers. In addition, requests to move, add, change, or renew existing service arrangements will not be accepted. Following the expiration of a customer's existing term agreement, service will be provided on a month-to-month basis at the applicable Monthly rates until the service is discontinued. The Company currently plans to discontinue this service on or after June 30, 2024.

(2) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

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7.3 Service Descriptions, Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

7.3.10 High Capacity Service⁽¹⁾ (Cont'd) (C)

(E) Optional Features and Functions

(2) Central Office Multiplexing

(d) DS3 to DS1

An arrangement that converts a 44.736 Mbps channel to 28 DS1 channels using digital time division multiplexing.

(3) Clear Channel Capability

Clear Channel Capability is an optional feature that provides the customer with an increase in usable bandwidth from 1.344 Mbps to 1.536 Mbps of an unconstrained data stream across the network. Clear Channel Capability is provided on 1.544 Mbps High Capacity service and requires the customer signal at the channel interface to conform to Bipolar with Eight Zero Substitution (B8ZS) line code format as described in the appropriate Technical Reference for High Capacity Service. Customer equipment must be compatible with this method of providing the unconstrained signal.

(4) Extended Superframe Format

Extended Superframe Format is an optional feature that passes a customer provided framing format for 1.544 Mbps High Capacity Service. Extended Superframe Format extends the customer's 1.544 Mbps framing structure from 12 to 24 frames and divides the 8 Kbps 193rd bit position into three distinct functionalities: 2 Kbps for frame synchronization, 2 Kbps for cyclic redundancy checking, and 4 Kbps used primarily to send performance monitoring information over the Facilities Data Link.

(5) (Reserved for Future Use)

(6) (Reserved for Future Use)

(7) (Reserved for Future Use)

(1) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

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7.3 Service Descriptions, Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

7.3.10 High Capacity Service⁽³⁾ (Cont'd) (C)

(F) Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

Each rate element is shown with its associated USOC, where appropriate.

(1)	<u>Channel</u> <u>Termination</u> (TMECS)	<u>Fixed</u> Monthly Rate Per Mile	<u>Nonrecurring</u> <u>Charge</u>
	Per point of termination		
	1.544 Mbps	\$ 207.00	\$ 645.00
	1.544 Mbps ⁽¹⁾	275.27	645.00
	44.736 Mbps (TWT++)	ICB	ICB
(2)	<u>Channel Mileage</u>		
	64 kbps ⁽²⁾		
	<u>Mileage Bands</u> (1L5TC)		
	0 miles	7.61	0.00
	Over 0 to 4	7.61	2.97
	Over 4 to 8	9.27	2.57
	Over 8 to 25	9.27	2.57
	Over 25 to 50	17.16	2.24
	Over 50	20.90	2.17
	1.544 Mbps		
	<u>Mileage Bands</u> (1L5XX)		
	0 miles	0.00	0.00
	Over 0	71.00	45.00
	1.544 Mbps ⁽¹⁾		
	<u>Mileage Bands</u>		
	0 miles	0.00	0.00
	Over 0 to 4	122.44	51.50
	Over 4 to 8	122.44	51.50
	Over 8 to 25	178.52	44.48
	Over 25 to 50	205.80	43.39
	Over 50	205.80	43.39
	44.736 Mbps (1LO++)		
	<u>Mileage Bands</u>		
	0 miles	0.00	0.00
	Over 0 miles	ICB	ICB

(1) Rate with service guarantee as indicated in 7.2.1(E).

(2) Effective June 30, 2021, this Service will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers. In addition, requests to move, add, change, or renew existing service arrangements will not be accepted. Following the expiration of a customer's existing term agreement, service will be provided on a month-to-month basis at the applicable Monthly rates until the service is discontinued. The Company currently plans to discontinue this service on or after June 30, 2024.

(3) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability. (N)

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7.3 Service Descriptions, Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

7.3.10 High Capacity Service⁽⁴⁾ (Cont'd) (C)

(F) Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(2) Channel Mileage (Cont'd)

	Monthly Rate <u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>
(3) (Reserved for Future Use)			
(4)			
(5) <u>Multiplexing</u>			
Per arrangement			
DS0 to Subrates ⁽³⁾			
Up to 20 2.4 kbps service (QSU24)	185.58		0.00
Up to 10 4.8 kbps service (QSU48)	361.52		0.00
Up to 5 9.6 kbps service (QSU96)	702.74		0.00
DS1 to DS0 (QMU)	232.80		0.00
DS1 to Voice ⁽²⁾ (MQ1)	232.80		0.00
DS3 to DS1 (MXB++)			
Per arrangement	ICB		0.00

- (1) An additional Channel Termination charge will apply whenever the spare line is provided as a leg to the customer premises.
- (2) A channel of this DS1 to the hub can be used for Digital Data Service.
- (3) Effective June 30, 2021, this Service will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers. In addition, requests to move, add, change, or renew existing service arrangements will not be accepted. Following the expiration of a customer's existing term agreement, service will be provided on a month-to-month basis at the applicable Monthly rates until the service is discontinued. The Company currently plans to discontinue this service on or after June 30, 2024.
- (4) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

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7.3 Service Descriptions, Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

7.3.10 High Capacity Service⁽¹⁾ (Cont'd) (C)

(F) Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

		Monthly Rate		Nonrecurring Charge	
		<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>	<u>Initial</u>	<u>Subsequent</u>
(6)	<u>Clear Channel Capability (CLR)</u>				
	Per channel termination	\$30.00		\$108.00	\$170.00
(7)	<u>Extended Superframe Format (SF1)</u>				
	Per channel termination	0.00		0.00	0.00
(8)	(Reserved for Future Use)				
(9)	(Reserved for Future Use)				
(10)	(Reserved for Future Use)				
(11)	(Reserved for Future Use)				

(1) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

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7.3 Service Descriptions Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

7.3.10 High Capacity Service⁽⁴⁾ (Cont'd) (C)

(F) Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

(12) High Capacity Term Pricing Plan (HC-TPP)

Rates effective: 03/04/96 ⁽¹⁾

	3 Year ⁽³⁾		5 Year ⁽²⁾	
(a) <u>Channel Termination</u> (TMECS)	Monthly Rate		Monthly Rate	
	<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>	<u>Fixed</u>	<u>Per Mile</u>
Per point of termination				
1.544 Mbps	\$175.00		\$165.00	
(b) <u>Channel Mileage</u> (1L5XX)				
1.544 Mbps				
0 miles	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Over 0 miles	60.00	22.00	57.00	18.00
(c) <u>Multiplexing</u>				
Per arrangement				
DS1 to DSO (QMU)	\$200.00		\$185.00	
DS1 to Voice (MQ1)	\$200.00		\$185.00	

- (1) These rates are effective March 4, 1996 pursuant to PURA 95 Sec. 3.356 and SWBT's notification thereunder.
- (2) Effective on February 16, 2019, High Capacity Term Pricing Plans are no longer available for 5 year term lengths, including for any otherwise available renewals, extensions or conversions.
- (3) Effective November 1, 2022, High Capacity Term Pricing Plans for 3-year term lengths are no longer available, including conversions. Existing Term Plan Services, as of November 1, 2022, will continue to be provided under the then-current terms, for the remainder of the applicable term.

- (4) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

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7.4 Miscellaneous Rates and Charges

(A) Rollover

A Nonrecurring Charge(s) will apply when a customer requests a Rollover of Special Access Service as described in 7.2.7(A)(1) (Rollover). The Nonrecurring Charge(s) is applied on a first and additional basis, per Access Order, as specified below.

	Nonrecurring Charge		
	First Circuit	Additional Circuit	
- Analog*/Digital Link ⁽²⁾ to 1.544 Mbps High Capacity (DS1) ⁽³⁾ - per service rolled over (NRBRA)	\$ 145.00	\$ 110.00	(C)
- 1.544 Mbps High Capacity (DS1) ⁽²⁾ to 1.544 Mbps High Capacity (DS1) ⁽²⁾ - per service rolled over (NRBRH)	160.00	120.00	(C) (C)
- 1.544 Mbps High Capacity (DS1) ⁽²⁾ to 44.736 Mbps High Capacity (DS3) ⁽²⁾ - per service rolled over (NRBR1)	160.00	120.00	(C) (C)

(B) <u>Special Access Surcharge</u> (S25)	Monthly Rate	Nonrecurring Charge First Circuit	Additional Circuit
Per equivalent voice grade channel	\$ 25.00		
(C) <u>Message Station Equipment Recovery Charge</u> (UTM) Per Special Access Surcharge assessed	7.29		
(D) <u>Access Order Charge</u>		See Section 5.4	
(E) <u>Service Rearrangement Charge</u> (NRBAC)			

- Per circuit ⁽¹⁾ on the same Access Order for one or any combination of the following changes:	\$ 9.00	\$ 5.00	
- Access Carrier Name Abbreviation (ACNA)			
- Customer Carrier Name Abbreviation (CCNA)			
- Billing Account Number (BNA)			
- Customer Circuit ID (CKR)			

* Analog Services include: Metallic Service ⁽²⁾, Telegraph Service ⁽²⁾ or Voice Grade Service ⁽²⁾.

(1) Each leg of a multipoint service will be treated as a separate circuit and charges applied as described in 7.2.4(D).

(2) Effective June 30, 2021, this Service will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers. In addition, requests to move, add, change, or renew existing service arrangements will not be accepted. Following the expiration of a customer's existing term agreement, service will be provided on a month-to-month basis at the applicable Monthly rates until the service is discontinued. The Company currently plans to discontinue this service on or after June 30, 2024.

(3) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.

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(1) See Section 2.1.4(A) for service availability.