FINAL TRUNK GROUP BLOCKING

(Reported when a final trunk group does not meet standard)

Objective Service Level: EAS = 99% , Toll = 99.5%, and E9-1-1 = 99%

(completion of all dialed calls during the average busy season busy hour without blocking)

ORIGINATING WIRE CENTER	ORIGINATING FINAL TRUNK ID	TERMINATING WIRE CENTER	TERMINATING FINAL TRUNK ID	OWNER (ACNA)	EAS/ Toll/E911	MONTH/ YEAR	BUSY HOUR	% PEAK BLOCK	ACTION TAKEN TO RELIEVE BLOCKAGE
						Jan-08			objective met
						Feb-08			objective met
						Mar-08			objective met
						Apr-08			objective met

Note: Solutions Field Service Managers (FSM's) contact Connecting Companies with quality of service issues and recommendations.

Interoffice facilities. Blocking performance during average busy-hour for ninety-nine percent of trunk groups for any month must be less than one-half of one percent for intertoll and intertandem facilities and less than one percent for local and EAS interoffice trunk facilities. The blocking standard for E911 dedicated interoffice trunk facilities must be less than one percent during average busy-hour of the average busy season. Two consecutive months is the maximum that a single trunk group may be below the applicable standard.

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