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- 5.2 <u>Description of Special Access</u> (Cont'd)
 - 5.2.2 Program Audio (Cont'd)

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Listed below are the types of Program Audio facilities that are offered under this tariff.

(A) 200 to 3500 Hz

Facilities are generally acceptable for speech quality programming and are subject to use over limited distance due to transmission factors.

(B) <u>100 to 5000 Hz</u>

Facilities are generally acceptable for music and provide good quality speech programming.

(C) 50 to 8000 Hz

Facilities for the provision of high fidelity music transmission.

(D) 50 to 15000 Hz

Facilities for the provision of high fidelity music transmission. Two such facilities may be conditioned, at applicable charges, for stereo operation.

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5. <u>SPECIAL ACCESS</u> (Cont'd)

5.2 <u>Description of Special Access</u> (Cont'd)

5.2.3 <u>Videoband</u>

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Videoband facilities are arranged and provided for the transmission of television, which is to be used other than for broadcast purposes in connection with viewing or recording. Facilities to be used in connection with broadcast video services must be ordered from the appropriate interstate tariff.

The facilities are furnished for two point transmission in one direction only of United States 525 line/60 field standard monochrome and National Television Systems Committee (NTSC) color television baseband video signals and the associated audio signals.

Videoband Services are provided on a full-time or part-time (temporary) basis. The minimum periods are in 3.2.4 and 3.2.5. The monthly rates and nonrecurring charges for full-time Videoband Service will be developed on an Individual Case Basis. The hourly rates and nonrecurring charges for temporary service are those specified in 5.6.8.

There is a maximum monthly charge that may be assessed to any temporary Videoband Service as described in 5.6.1(C).

Technician Standby is a nonoptional arrangement furnished with temporary Videoband Service only. Technician Standby provides for Telephone Company monitoring of the temporary Video broadcast to ensure satisfactory transmission. At the option of the customer, additional technicians will be made available during the temporary Video broadcast; the customer will be assessed the Technician Standby charge.

A customer may request (as an option) an active, alternate temporary Videoband transmission path for use in the event that the primary service becomes inoperative. This is referred to as a "hot standby" facility. The charge for this additional service will be the nonrecurring charges and hourly rates in 5.6.5 for Temporary Videoband Facilities. Technician Standby charges are not applicable to the "hot standby" facility.

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5. SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

- 5.2 <u>Description of Special Access</u> (Cont'd)
 - 5.2.4 Wideband Analog

These facilities are two point and are furnished between CDLs or between a CDL and a Telephone Company designated Hub Wire Center where multiplexing is offered. The three types of Wideband Analog facilities are:

- (A) Group band facilities with a bandwidth from 60 kHz to 108 kHz for the transmission of a 12 circuit frequency division multiplexer (FDM) group.
- (B) Supergroup band facilities with a bandwidth from 312 kHz to 552 kHz for the transmission of a 60 circuit FDM supergroup.
- (C) Mastergroup band facilities with a bandwidth from 564 kHz to 3084 kHz for the transmission of a 600 circuit FDM mastergroup.

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5. SPECIAL ACCESS (Cont'd)

5.2 <u>Description of Special Access</u> (Cont'd)

5.2.5 Wideband Data Service

These analog facilities are arranged and furnished for two-point simultaneous two-way transmission of high speed data between two CDLs. These facilities are normally utilized for the following data speeds: 19.2 Kbps, 50 Kbps, 56 Kbps and 230.4 Kbps.

5.2.6 <u>High Capacity Digital</u>

These facilities are two point and are furnished between CDLs or between a CDL and a Telephone Company designated Hub Wire Center where multiplexing is offered. High Capacity facilities may be used to provide Special Access Lines as described in 5.1.1(D). A High Capacity Voice Multiplexing Arrangement, as described in 5.5, is required at the Hub Wire Center.

- (A) DS1 facilities provide for the transmission of isochronous bipolar serial data at a rate of 1.544 Mbps.
- (B) DS1C facilities provide for the transmission of isochronous bipolar serial data at a rate of 3.152 Mbps.
- (C) FT1 facilities are furnished for the transmission of isochronous bipolar serial data and are available at transmission rate groupings of N x 56 Kbps or N x 64 Kbps where N equals 2, 4, or 6. FT1 channels are contiguous within the network and can be used to create a wideband circuit using customer provided equipment. When N x 64 FT1 is ordered with DS1 service for multiplexing purposes, the DS1 must have Clear Channel Capability as described in 5.8.1. FT1 Service at a rate of N x 64 Kbps will only be provided where Clear Channel Capability is available in the network. Where Clear Channel Capability is not available, N x 56 Kbps service can be provided in lieu of N x 64 Kbps. Fractional T1 is limited to those services so equipped and in service as of September 3, 1996.

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5. <u>SPECIAL ACCESS</u> (Cont'd)

- 5.2 Description of Special Access (Cont'd)
 - 5.2.6 <u>High Capacity Digital</u> (Cont'd)
 - (D) FiberConnect service facilities which are only available as an OPP, provide for the transmission of an isochronous serial data stream at a rate of 6.312 Mbps, encoded and converted to a signal suitable for optical transport. FiberConnect service is transmitted on fiber optic cable. When FiberConnect is provided with a fiber optic interface at the CDL, a single transmission channel is provided with a data rate dependent on the Telephone Company fiber optic terminal equipment used to provision the facility. When FiberConnect is provided with an electrical interface, four transmission channels of 1.544 Mbps each are provided at the interface.

Fiber Optic Interface denotes the termination of service with single mode fiber optic cable at the customer premises. When this interface is selected, it is the customer's responsibility to provide the optical line termination at his premises. This equipment must be compatible with the Telephone Company provided equipment.

FiberConnect is offered only on a protected basis between a CDL and its serving wire center. FiberConnect is not available with multipoint services. Special Transport between serving wire centers for FiberConnect must be ordered as 4 DS1s.

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5. <u>SPECIAL ACCESS</u> (Cont'd)

- 5.2 <u>Description of Special Access</u> (Cont'd)
 - 5.2.6 High Capacity Digital (Cont'd)
 - (E) DS3 facilities provide for the transmission of isochronous bipolar serial data at a rate of 44.736 Mbps. The Telephone Company will provide either an electrical or an optical interface with the service at the option of the customer. Ordering conditions are in 3.1.1(F).
 - (F) DS3C facilities provide for the transmission of isochronous bipolar serial data at a rate of 89.472 Mbps. The Telephone Company will provide an optical interface with this service unless the service is provided via microwave, in which case an electro-magnetic interface is provided, or unless the customer requests an electrical interface.

5.2.7 Digital Data Service

Facilities for DDS are furnished for the simultaneous two-way transmission of synchronous data presently utilized for the following data speeds: 2.4 Kbps, 4.8 Kbps, 9.6 Kbps, 19.2 Kbps, 56 Kbps or 64 Kbps. DDS facilities may be provided on a two-point or multipoint basis.

5.2.8 <u>Miscellaneous Special Access Services</u>

A description of each service provided under Miscellaneous Special Access Services, along with the rate is found in Section 5.8.

5.3 Description of Terminating Options

Terminating Options provide a clearly delineated interface between Telephone Company and customer facilities at the point of termination at the CDL. Terminating Options facilitate the design, isolation, and testing of the Special Access. The description of each Terminating Option defines the most effective use of the Terminating Option. The technical parameters of each type of associated interface are described in the Technical Interface Reference Manual. Although a customer is not restricted from alternate applications, except where such application is harmful to the network, the Telephone Company cannot guarantee technical performance for other than the applications stated below. Terminating Options are nonchargeable.

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