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EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS

(C)	-	To signify changed regulation
(D)	-	To signify discontinued rate or regulation
(I)	-	To signify increase
(L)	-	To signify matter relocated without change
(N)	-	To signify new rate or regulation
(R)	-	To signify reduction
(S)	-	To signify reissued matter
(T)	-	To signify a change in text but no change in rate or regulation
(Z)	-	To signify a correction

EXPLANATION OF ABBREVIATIONS

a.c.	-	alternating current
AIOD	-	Automatic Identification or Outward Dialed
AML	-	Actual Measured Loss
ANI	-	Automatic Number Identification
AP	-	Program Audio
ASR	-	Access Service Request
AT&T	-	American Telephone and Telegraph Company
BD	-	Business Day
BHMC	-	Busy Hour Minutes of Capacity
CAROT	-	Centralized Automatic Reporting on Trunks
CCS	-	Centium Call Seconds
CCS7	-	Common Channel Signaling System 7
CI	-	Changes Interface
CO	-	Central Office
COCTX	-	Central Office Centrex
Cont'd	-	Continued
CPE	-	Customer Provided Equipment
Ctx	-	Centrex
dB	-	decibel
dBm	-	Decibels below one milliwatt
dBm0	-	Transmission Level Referred to the Zero Transmission Level Point

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EXPLANATION OF ABBREVIATIONS (Cont'd)

dBrnC	-	Decibel Reference Noise C-Message Weighting
dBrnCO	-	Decibel Reference Noise C-Message Weighted O
dBv	-	Decibel(s) Relative to 1 Volt (Reference)
dBv1	-	Decibel(s) Relating to 1 Volt (Reference)
d.c.	-	direct current
dx	-	Duplex
EDD	-	Envelope Delay Distortion
ELEPL	-	Equal Level Echo Path Loss
EML	-	Expected Measured Loss
EPL	-	Echo Path Loss
ERL	-	Echo Return Loss
ESS	-	Electronic Switching System
ESSX	-	Electronic Switching System Exchange
f	-	frequency
FID	-	Field Identifier
FCC	-	Federal Communications Commission
FX	-	Foreign Exchange
HC	-	High Capacity
Hz	-	Hertz
IC	-	Interexchange Carrier
ICB	-	Individual Case Basis
ICL	-	Inserted Connection Loss
Kbps	-	Kilobits per second
KHZ	-	Kilohertz
LATA	-	Local Access and Transport Area
Ma	-	Milliamperes
Mbps	-	Megabits per second
MF	-	Multifrequency
MHz	-	Megahertz
MMUC	-	Minimum Monthly Usage Charge
MRC	-	Monthly Recurring Charge
MT	-	Metallic
MTS	-	Message Telecommunications Service(s)
NA	-	Not Available
NANP	-	North American Numbering Plan
NPA	-	Numbering Plan Area

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EXPLANATION OF ABBREVIATIONS (Cont'd)

NRC	-	Nonrecurring Charge
NTS	-	Non-Traffic Sensitive
NXX	-	Three-Digit Central Office Code
OTPL	-	Zero Transmission Level Point
PBX	-	Private Branch Exchange
PCM	-	Pulse Code Modulation
PLR	-	Private Line Ringdown
POT	-	Point of Termination
rms	-	root-mean-square
RSM	-	Remote Switching Modules
RSS	-	Remote Switching Systems
SRL	-	Singing Return Loss
SSN	-	Switched Service Network
SS7	-	Signaling System 7
SWC	-	Serving Wire Center
TES	-	Telephone Exchange Service(s)
TLP	-	Transmission Level Point
TSP	-	Telecommunications Service Priority
TSPS	-	Traffic Service Position System
TV	-	Television
USOC	-	Uniform Service Order Code
VG	-	Voice Grade
V & H	-	Vertical & Horizontal
WA	-	Wideband Analog
WATS	-	Wide Area Telecommunications Service(s)
WD	-	Wideband Data

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