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ACCESS SERVICES TARIFF

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SECTION 6 - SWITCHED ACCESS SERVICE (CONT'D.)

6.3 Description of Switched Access (Cont'd.)

6.3.2 Feature Group D (FGD) (Cont'd.)

- G. Transmission Specifications - FGD is provided with either Type A, B, or Type C transmission specifications. When routed directly to the end office, either Type B or C is provided. When routed to an access tandem, only Type A is provided.
1. Types A and B are provided with interface groups 2, 6, 7 and 9. Type A is provided on the transmission path from the access tandem to the end office.
  2. Type C is provided with interface group 1
  3. Type DA data transmission parameters are provided for the transmission path between the premises and the access tandem and between the access tandem and the end office. Type DB data transmission parameters are provided with FGD for the transmission path between the customer's premises and the end office when directly routed to the end office.
- H. Testing Capabilities - FGD is provided, in terminating direction where equipment is available, with seven digit access to balance (100 type) test line, milliwatt (102 type) test line, nonsynchronous or synchronous test line, automatic transmission measuring (105 type) test line, data transmission (107type) test line, loop around test line, short circuit test line and open circuit test line.