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SECTION 4 - DIGITAL DATA SERVICE

4.1 Digital Data Service – General (Cont'd.)

4.1.1 Features

Secondary Channel Capability is an optional feature which permits a primary channel to be used with customer-provided Data Service Units which can derive a lower bit rate channel for simultaneous two-way synchronous transmission of digital signals, depending on the primary channel speed between two or more customer premises.

Customers must agree to out-of-service periods required to add this feature to an existing DDS service. Customers must provide customer premises equipment which is compatible with the Secondary Channel interface requirements.

4.1.2 Service Options

- A. Two Station Service - This offering may consist of digital access lines furnished in the same digital city serving area for service between two stations, or, one two-point channel furnished between digital cities for service where one station is located in the serving area of each such city and connected to the channel by means of a digital access line.
- B. Multi-Station Service - This offering may consist of digital access lines furnished in the same digital city serving area for service among three or more stations, one two-point channel furnished between digital cities for service where more than one station is located in the serving area of one or both such cities and each station is connected to the channel by means of a digital access line, or two or more two-point channels furnished between digital cities for service where one or more stations are located in the serving area of each such city and each station is connected to the channel by means of a digital access line.

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