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"Per FCC Order 19-66 and 19-72, services on this page are grandfathered and are not available for new purchases or resale. Current customers are allowed to keep grandfathered services until August 2, 2022 for resale".

## 6 PORTS

### 6.22 Frame Relay Service<sup>1</sup>

#### 6.22.1 General

Frame Relay Service (FRS) is a packet switched data service that connects multiple customer locations. Connections are made between various end user locations by the use of a combination of dedicated access from the end user location to the nearest port on the Frame Relay network and Permanent Virtual Circuits (PVCs) within the host Frame Relay network system. Access to FRS is provided via Fractional DS-1 Service, APLUS and DS-1 service from the end user location to the nearest Frame Relay Service Point.

End users must specify the PVC connections that they require between locations. Each PVC is provisioned as a software-defined data path associating a logical channel on one port with a logical channel on another port.

#### 6.22.2 Descriptions

Permanent Virtual Circuit (PVC) - A software-defined path connecting two separate private line facilities on the frame relay network.

Host Frame Relay Network - Consists of all of the Permanent Virtual Circuits in the Telephone Company's frame relay network.

Frame Relay Service (FRS) Port - An interface between the end user's private line facility and the host frame relay network.

Frame Relay Port Speed - Corresponds to the speed of the private line facility between the end user location and the host frame relay network.

Channelized DS-1 Frame Relay Port - Frame Relay Service Port that allows other (non-Frame Relay) services to reside on the facility between the end user location and host frame relay network.

Committed Information Rate (CIR) - Committed information rate defines the bandwidth of service that is guaranteed for a specified PVC. Traffic exceeding this CIR is discard-eligible in the event of congestion within the network.

<sup>1</sup> As of January 1, 1998, this service is grandfathered. Only customers of record as of 1/1/98 may order this service.