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## **12 Explanation of Terms (cont'd)**

### **NETWORK CONTROL SIGNALING UNIT**

The terminal equipment furnished, installed and maintained by the Telephone Company for the provision of network control signaling.

### **NODE**

The location to which digital channels are routed and where access is provided to such lines and associated equipment for testing.

### **PBX**

A private branch exchange.

### **PORT**

A connection to the switching network with one or more voice grade communications channels, each with a unique network address (telephone number) dedicated to the customer. A port connects a link to the public switched network.

### **PREMISES**

The space occupied by a customer or authorized user in a building or buildings or contiguous property not separated by a public right of way.

### **PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGE SERVICE**

Service providing facilities for connecting central office trunks and tie lines to PBX stations, and for interconnecting PBX station lines by means of a switchboard or dial apparatus.

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