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709.1      **Service Description**

Digital Private Line Service Extension Access Service provides for a local extension connecting a Customer premise to Digital Private Line Service Extension Features. |

For existing outstanding customer agreements that were originally signed under Stentor National Service Tariff CRTC 7400, Item 305, (the Original Agreement) which include Digital Private Line Service Extension Access Service provisioned by TCI, TCI shall continue provide service pursuant to the terms of the Original Agreement until the expiry date of the Original Agreement, and in accordance with the provisions specified in TCI's Item 709. |

(For up-to-date information on rates, charges and conditions of service of former Stentor member companies other than TCI, see National Services Tariff (CRTC 7400-E) of the former Stentor member companies (the NST), NST Item 305, or the tariffs of the respective former Stentor member companies as applicable.)

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**Definitions**

*"Data Serving Unit (DSU)"* means a device which provides the digital interface between Customer station equipment and the Access.

*"Inter-exchange Access Extension Channel"* provides the digital facility between the Customer's serving wire centre and the Digital Private Line Service Extension Feature or other designated network services located in the rate centre in an adjoining exchange or Digital Private Line Serving Area. (See Item 705 for definition of "adjoining exchange".)

*"Link"* is the central office equipment which connects Customer's DSU through an Access, to a Digital Private Line Service Basic or Enhanced Service Extension Feature (ESEF)<sup>Ψ</sup>. (Ψ Effective 2004 10 06, ESEF is no longer available to new customers. This feature continues to be available to existing Customers.)

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**Terms and Conditions**

- (a) Digital Private Line Service Extension Access Service shall be provided subject to the availability of suitable equipment and facilities. |
- (b) TCI and each respective former Stentor Carrier shall determine the locations from which Digital Private Line Service Extension Access Service shall be provided. |
- (c) When it is necessary for TCI (or a former Stentor Carrier) to install special equipment or to incur an unusual expense to establish Digital Private Line Service Extension Access Service, the Customer shall pay an additional charge based on the equipment installed or the unusual expense incurred. |
- (d) A DSU is required for Digital Private Line Service Extension Access Service and must conform to the Dataphone Digital Service (DDS) transmission standard. The DSU may be provided by the Customer or TCI (or a former Stentor Carrier). |
- (e) Digital Private Line Service Extension Access Service may use either Customer or TCI (or former Stentor Carrier) provided station equipment located at the Customer's premises. |
- (f) The Customer is solely responsible for the installation, operation and maintenance of Customer-provided terminal equipment. |

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**Terms and Conditions**

- (g) Customer terminal equipment attached to TCI (or former Stentor Carriers') network must be certified or connected through a certified network protection device in accordance with Item 110, Attachments, and other former Stentor Carriers' Terminal Attachment Standards as applicable.
- (h) Multi-point or multi-drop configurations are available using DSUs. An additional charge of one multi-point feature, as specified in 709.4 (and the equivalent tariff items of other former Stentor Carriers) below, applies for each Digital Network Access in the multi-point configuration.
- (i) Terms and Conditions stated in Digital Private Line Service Extension Features (TCI Tariff CRTC 21461, Item 506) (and the equivalent tariff items of other former Stentor Carriers) shall apply in addition to this Tariff Item, if applicable.

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**Rates**

The Customer shall pay the following rates and charges for Digital Private Line Service Extension Access Service, such rates and charges being in addition to other rates and charges that may be applicable.

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Service Item	Monthly Rate	Service Charge
Access (Note 1)	Tariff Item 500.4	Tariff Item 500.4
Link (Note 1)	Tariff Item 500.4	Tariff Item 500.4
Intra-exchange Channel (Note 1)	Tariff Item 500.4	Tariff Item 500.4
Multi-point Feature, per access	\$20.00	-
Inter-exchange Access Extension Channel, each mile	Notes 2, 3 and 4	-

Note 1: Reserved for future use.

Note 2: Reserved for future use.

Note 3: Does not apply to TCI.

Note 4: Reserved for future use.