

ATTACHMENT 4 DEFINITIONS

Following are definitions for various acronyms and system names used throughout our declaration (as interpreted by PwC):

1. **BAN (Billing Account Number)** – Unique Account number used to identify CLEC UNE-Platform, UNE-Loop, Transport and Resale Billing Accounts.
2. **BDT (Bill Data Tape)**: Format in which end user account bills are transmitted by Verizon to the CLEC/Reseller
3. **Bill Period**: Period for which charges are calculated and included on a CLEC's bill, usually a one month duration.
4. **BOS (Billing Output Specifications)**: Telcordia CABS bill format specification. For the first and second test periods, Version 36 (SR-1874) was implemented by Verizon for the Virginia footprint. For the third test period, Version 37 (SR-1874) was implemented by Verizon for the Virginia footprint.
5. **BRS (Bill Reformatting System)**: Application used in Virginia to collect information from the legacy CRIS system for creating various bills (BDT, Paper Bill, Simpleview, BARM).
6. **BTN (Billed Telephone Number)**: A working telephone number that accumulates charges for other working telephone numbers.
7. **CABS (Carrier Access Billing System) South** – Billing system used in the legacy Bell Atlantic South footprint to bill carrier access charges, including Switched Access and Special Access.
8. **Invoice Point / Component Account** – BTN sub-account level on the bill.
9. **CSR (Customer Service Record)**: The CSR contains account and service information for customer lines or WTNs.
10. **USOC (Universal Service Order Code)**: 3-5 character alphanumeric codes found only in the Service and Equipment (S&E) section of a service order and used to describe a particular product, service, or data element (e.g., the USOC "ESX" represents POTS call waiting).
11. **WTN – Working Telephone Number** – Number assigned by Verizon for a working telephone line.