



North American Numbering Plan Planning Letter

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Subject: Automatic Number Identification Digits (ANI II) for Pay Phone Compensation

The Industry Number Committee (INC) has approved revised definitions for ANI II information digits 27, 29 and 70 to better accommodate the FCC's decision that compensation be paid to pay phone providers when those pay phones are used to make toll free calls (see FCC Docket CC 96-128). The following revised definitions replace the current definitions for these ANI II information digits as they currently appear in the Local Exchange Routing Guide (LERG).

| ANI II DIGITS | REVISED DEFINITIONS |
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| 27 | Code 27 identifies a line connected to a pay station which uses network provided coin control signaling. II 27 is used to identify this type of pay station line irrespective of whether the pay station is provided by a LEC or a non-LEC. II 27 is transmitted from the originating end office on all calls made from these lines. |
| 29 | Code 29 is used to identify lines serving a confinement/detention facility that are intended for inmate/detainee use and require outward call screening (e.g., 0+ collect only service). As per Section 276 (d) of the Telecom Act, inmate telephone service is considered to be included in the general category of payphone service. Accordingly, lines identified with ANI II 29 include both prison/inmate phones and payphones. |
| 70 | Code 70 identifies a line connected to a pay station (including both coin and coinless stations) which does not use network provided coin control signaling. II 70 is used to identify this type pay station line irrespective of whether the pay station is provided by a LEC or a non-LEC. II 70 is transmitted from the originating end office on all calls made from these lines. |

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