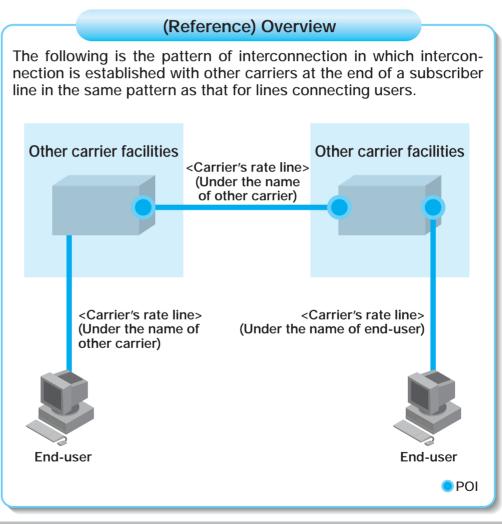


Carrier's Rate

- 1 Leased Line Carrier's Rate

Interconnection charges for subscriber line-end interconnection for leased line service have been revised from applying charges specified in the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service mutatis mutandis to applying discount charges for carriers (carrier's rate: charges for inter-terminal transmission functions, etc.) (this revision was approved on January 31, 2001), and "not including liaison/coordination work" was added to the carrier's rate menu (this addition was approved on August 1, 2002).

Carrier's Rate <Discount Rate for Inter-Terminal Transmission Functions, Etc.> Not including Including liaison/ liaison/ coordination work coordination work High-speed digital transmission service 8.6% 21.6% 35.1% 24.3% ATM leased line service 3.5% 9.5% General leased line 10.3% 15.8% service Charges = {Charge amounts specified in the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service x (1 - Discount rate for inter-terminal transmission functions, etc.)} Long-term continuous usage discounts and volume discounts can be applied to the above charges in the same way as stipulated in the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service. Figures in parentheses indicate the maximum discount rate that combines the long-term continuous usage discount (excluding general leased line service) and the volume discount.





- 2 Major Conditions for Leased Line Carrier's Rate

Item		Major Conditions		
Applicable services	High-speed digital transmission service, ATM leased line service and general leased line service <ex- cluding IP routing network interconnection leased line service, wireless leased line service, video transmission service, broadcasting usage of general leased line service, and services stipulated in Article 11 of the Supplementary Provisions of the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service> D-3 (facsimile transmission), E-1 (AM broadcasting), G-2 (facsimile transmission), I-2 (photo/facsimile transmission), 48kHz, 240kHz, 100b/s, 200b/s, 300b/s, 1200b/s, 48kb/s, 1.5Mb/s (single class)</ex- 			
Application format	Selecting "including" or "not including" liaison/coordination work per carrier (per-line and per-service selections are not accepted)			
Line format	Intra-prefecture end-to-end lines (the same format as that for lines connecting users)			
Name of contracting party for line	 The line between the end-user building and the applicant carrier building: Under the name of the end-user or the name of the telecommunications carrier The line between the applicant carrier buildings and the line between the NTT East building and the applicant carrier building: Under the name of the applicant carrier 			
Contract format	Contracts are required on a per-line basis after concluding an Interconnection Agreement and a Contract on Leased Line Service for Carriers (this contract relates to the line between the end-user building and the applicant carrier building under the name of the telecommunications carrier).			
Usage format	The usage purpose is to provide telecommunications service to end-users. (Note) The carrier's rate is not applicable to lines used by other carriers for their own usage (so-called self-use lines).			
Billing format	Charges are billed to other carriers (end-user charges are set and billed by other carriers). (Note) The carrier's rate is not applicable to service segment unit charges (so-called per-unit charges).			
	Long-term continuous usage discount and volume discount	Conditions stipulated in the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service are applied mutatis mutandis (Note) • Under the volume discount scheme, it is not possible to add charges for services provided under the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service. • It is possible to add charges for services under contracts covered by the Interconnection Agreement plus a Contract on Leased Line Service for Carriers		
Other	Minimum usage period	Conditions stipulated in the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line		
	Temporary lines	Service are applied mutatis mutandis.		
	Transfers, suspensions, etc.	Transfers, suspensions and relocations are possible. However, transfers are possible only to carriers that concluded an agreement concerning the leased line carrier's rate. (Transfers after changing to the lines covered by the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service are accepted.)		
	Retroactive and time lag settlements	Not applicable		

- 3 Contents of Liaison/Coordination Work for Leased Line Carrier's Rate

Work Description

Distributing line application forms received from other carriers to the appropriate Business Service Centers in each area, and confirming the contents with other carriers in case of any entry omissions, etc., and modifying the contents as required. Providing schedule coordination with the reception section and/or the work implementation section in case the service start date requested by other carriers is different from the date on which NTT East can make such service available. Receiving fault reports, providing progress reports on fault repairs, providing fault recovery reports, providing explanations on fault causes, etc., on a nationwide basis as required.



Differences Between "Including" and "Not Including" Liaison/Coordination Work

Category	Including liaison/coordination work	Not including liaison/ coordination work
Line application	An applicant carrier submits an application to the Business Service Center via an NTT East account manager (AM).	An applicant carrier submits an application directly to the Busi- ness Service Center. Please submit to: Business Service Center (Tokyo)
Confirmation of contents	An AM confirms any entry errors or omissions in the line appli- cation form, and modifies same as required.	 After receiving an application, the Business Service Center confirms any entry errors or omissions, and notifies the applicant carrier accordingly. The applicant carrier modifies the contents in case of any errors or omis- sions in the line application form, and re-submits the application form.
When the requested service start date is different from the pos- sible service start date	An AM provides schedule coordination with the reception sec- tion and/or the work implementation section. (Note) The Business Service Center will make even	 An applicant carrier contacts the Business Service Center and notifies it of the requested service start date that comes after the possible service start date. ry effort to meet the request of an applicant carrier.
Troubleshooting	An AM will receive fault reports, provide progress reports on fault repairs, provide fault recovery reports, provide explanations	The Business Service Center will receive fault reports, provide progress re- ports on fault repairs, provide fault recovery reports, provide explanations of fault causes, etc., as required with respect to the lines under its coverage.

Regardless of whether liaison/coordination work is included or not included, consulting, visits, proposals, quotations (including completing an application form and physical attendance at the work site), etc., are not implemented by our account manager, etc., in providing the carrier's rate.

- 4 Providing Leased Line Carrier's Rate

Target Carriers, Etc.

The leased line carrier's rate is applied to telecommunications carriers that conform to the following conditions.

- Telecommunications carriers that offer basic telecommunications service as specified in the Telecommunications Business law are requested to provide NTT East with a copy of the latest Articles of Agreement for Service that were submitted to the competent Minister.
- With respect to other telecommunications carriers, one of the following items must be applicable.
 - (1) The carrier has a carrier identification code for settlements among carriers.
 - (2) Telecommunications numbers have been assigned to the carrier based on the Telecommunications Numbering Regulations.
 - (3) The carrier has received confirmation from a public utilities organization (a corporation established pursuant to the provisions of Article 34 of the Civil Law) relating to telecommunications business supervised by the competent authority (such confirmation work is handled by the Telecom Services Association).

Procedures, Etc., Necessary Before Usage Start

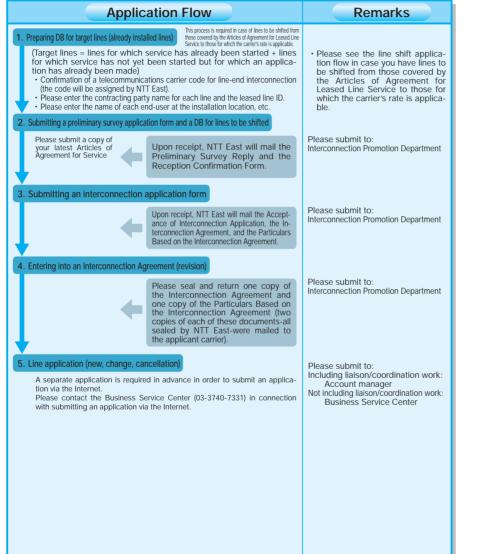
Such procedures as the "preliminary survey application," "interconnection application," and "entering into an Interconnection Agreement" are necessary before usage start.

Please submit an application to NTT East in accordance with the Leased Line Carrier's Rate Application Flow and the Line Shift Application Flow.

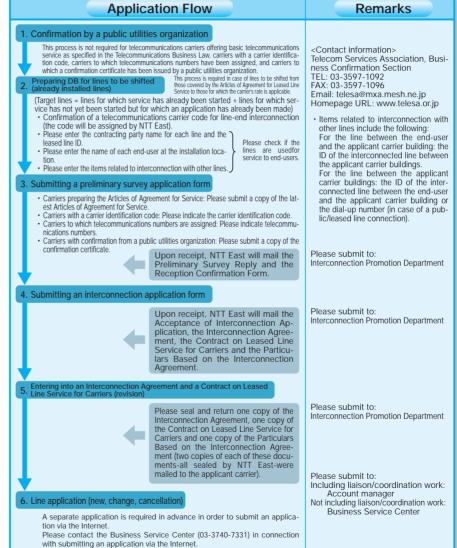
A form different from the existing application form for leased line services is used for new line applications, etc., relating to the leased line carrier's rate.

- 5 Leased Line Carrier's Rate Application Flow

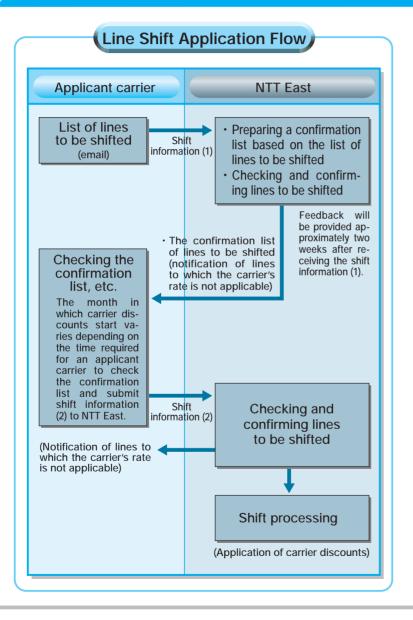
For Telecommunications Carriers Offering Basic Telecommunications Service



For Other Telecommunications Carriers



- 6 Line Shift Application Flow and Data Format



Line Shift Data Format

Shift Information (1): Please enter the company identification code, leased line ID, and line-end interconnection carrier code.

For carriers that are using subscriber line-end interconnection for leased line service, please use the same format as the following to prepare the line-end interconnection line information.

Shift Information (1)				
Company identification code Leased line ID Telecommunications carrier code for line-end interconnection				
One-digit number Nine-digit number		Seven-digit number		
1 300123456		1234567		

Please use CSV file format.

Company identification code: Distinction between NTT East and West to which a line-shift application is to be submitted.

[1]: NTT East, [2]: NTT West

Line ID: Line number of the line for which a shift application is to be submitted.

Telecommunications carrier code for line-end interconnection designated by NTT East: Code to identify the carrier

Shift Information (2): Please verify the contents of the confirmation list and enter the line-end interconnection classification code, IDs of access lines for lines between other carrier buildings, etc.

Shift Information (1)		Shift Information (2)			
Company identification	Leased line ID	Line-end interconnection	Line between other carrier buildings		
code	Leased line ID	classification code 1	Leased line ID 2	Dial-up number 3	
One-digit number	Nine-digit number	One-digit number	Nine-digit number	Ten-digit number	
1	300123456	0			
1	300123456	0			

Disclosed Information							
Review results 4	Reason code 4	Company code, etc.	Installation number	Customer name			ation address mpany name
One-digit number	Two-digit number	Seven-digit number	Three-digit number	Up to 40 Chinese characters	Up to 50	Chine	se characters
0	00	1234567	001	corporation	Sendai	•	corporation
0	00	1234567	002	corporation	Sendai	•	corporation

1 Line-end interconnection classification code:

1 = Line-end interconnection side, 0 = User side

IDs of access lines connected at both ends (please enter only in case of the line between the applicant carrier buildings).
 Dial-up number in case of a public/leased line connection (please enter only in case of the line between the applicant carrier buildings).

The review results and reason code are provided after an examination of the lines with respect to the applicability of the carrier's rate based on the shift information (1).

- 7 Entry Examples of Various Leased Line Carrier's Rate Application Forms

Preliminary Survey Application Form Entry Example 1

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PRELIMINA	RY SURVEY APPLICATION
	No. Date:
To: Executive Manager Interconnection Pro NTT East	r omotion Department
	From: Company: Name: SEA
inary Survey) of your Artic hereby submit the followi	s of Paragraph 2, Article 11 (Application for Prelir cles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection, v ng Preliminary Survey Application for the purpo- nterconnection with the NTT East networks.
Outline of interconnection to be established/changed	Usage of inter-terminal transmission functions, etc (We will set charges for your company's leased lin service section to be interconnected to our net work.)
	(We will set charges for your company's leased lin service section to be interconnected to our net
to be established/changed Specific contents for ne-	(We will set charges for your company's leased lin service section to be interconnected to our net work.)

Preliminary Survey Application Form Entry Example 2

Attachment 1 Specific Contents for Negotiation

Points of interconnection specified in the Articles of Agreement	To be interconnected at (1), Para nection) of the Articles of Agreen	graph 1, Article 5 (Standa	rd Points of Intercon		
Points of interconnection other than those		nent Concerning Interconr	lection.		
specified in the Articles of Agreement	N/A				
2. Demarcation point for teleco	ommunications facilities				
 Requested POI installation site 	(Enter the requested PO	(Enter the requested POI installation sites)			
site	Example 1) Within our company's building (address)				
		Example 2) Within an NTT building			
		Ŭ			
2 Area subject to interconnect	tion				
3. Area subject to interconnect					
 Service area of applicant carrier subject to inter- 	(Complete this section in th East networks)	e case of new interco	nnection with NT		
connection	Example 1) Within Tokyo				
(2) Area subject to intercon-	Our network interconnection				
nection per POI	NTT East's network interconr	nection area: Example 1	I) Tokyo		
4. Technical conditions for inte	rconnection (physical ele	ctrical and logical o	conditions)		
Addition of new technical conditions	Yes No	interior and region of			
			6 A		
Interconnection based on the technical conditions specified in the Articles of Agreement.	Chapter XI (Technical Conditions) of the Articles of Agreement Con- cerning Interconnection As specified in Part_, Chapter II (Technical Conditions by Pattern) Collection of Technical Conditions.				
	Signaling network configuration	Associated network	Quasi-associated network		
	Signaling speed	4.8kb/s	4.8kb/s		
	Priority originating- user reservation Bi-directional res- ervation	Yes	No		
	Bi-directional res-	Yes	No		
	9 ervation	TeS	INO		
Interconnection based on technical conditions other than those speci- fied in the Articles of Agreement	As per technical conditions for of Agreement Concerning Inter				
5. Construction of telecommur	nications facilities				
(1) Capacity of switching and	(Complete this section or				
transmission facilities per POI	POI installation site), Item munications facilities) is "				
(2) Applicant carrier facilities	indirications racinites) is		unany.)		
to be collocated within NTT-East buildings (if any)					
Type, quantity, dimensions of facilities to be installed					
Type, quantity, dimensions					

- 7 Entry Examples of Various Leased Line Carrier's Rate Application Forms

Preliminary Survey Application Form Entry Example 3

the a betw conr Plea a loc	se enter "17-2" in this section in the case of connecting lines between the end-user building and pplicant carrier building (under the name of the end-user): "543-6" in the case of connecting lines een the applicant carrier buildings (under the name of the applicant carrier) and in the case of ection by collocating applicant carrier facilities in a local NTT building under FLET'S service. s enter "16" in the case of direct connection without the collocation of applicant carrier facilities in a INTT building. se contact us separately for other cases
the Articles of Agree-	les of Chapter VII (Patterns of li erconnection) ement No. 17-2, No. 18, or No. 543-6, 2-2, Attached Table 2
Patterns of interconnection those specified in the A Agreement	other than
7. Functions subject t	o network modification charges
Functions requested by app rier from among those subje work modification charges	icant car-
Outline of functions request plicant carrier other than tho to network modification char	se subject
8. Matters requiring o	perational cooperation
(1) Matters for which N cooperation is requ	
9. Other 9. Oth	nter the applicable number from among the following: munications carriers offering basic telecommunications services: 1 munications carriers other than 1 and with a carrier identification code: 2 munications carriers other than 1 and to which telecommunications numbers are assigned: 3 munications carriers other than 1 and with a confirmation from a public utilities organization: 4 ers falling under Classifications 2, 3 and 4, please enter the applicable number, etc. (from the carrier identification code, the telecommunications number or the public utilities tion confirmation number).
Interconnection applie conditions	Action Our company falls under Item _, Paragraph 2, Article 22 of the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection. • Carrier identification code: • Telecommunications number: • Public utilities organization confirmation ble number.
Interconnection Agree concluded with NTT E	
Liaison/coordination v	vork Yes
Responsible NTT East p to whom an applicatic leased line or a line with er line functions, etc., is so	n for a Name of person results whom a leased line application or an application for a line subscrib- tel: with subscriber line functions, etc., has been submitted.
Number of lines to be nter in case of lines under the e between the end-user build pplicant carrier building.	Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service is as follows (as of MW/DD/YY). • Lines between the end-user building and our company building:tines (Breakdown: Under our company name:lines Under out-user name:lines Under out-user name:lines Under out-user name:lines • Lines between our company buildings:lines • Lines between local NTT building and our company building:lines

Interconnection Application Form Entry Example

To: President, NTT East

INTERCONNECTION APPLICATION

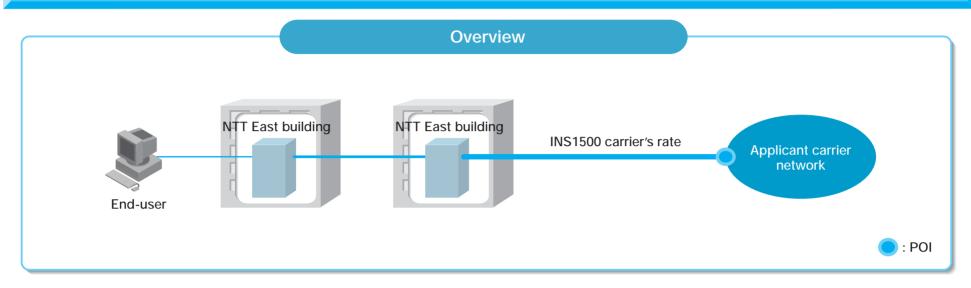
Date:

From: Postal Code: Address: Name: (Representative Director and President)

> Business Approval (Registration/Notification) No.: Business Approval (Registration/Notification) Date:

Regarding your reply dated ______ concerning our Preliminary Survey Application dated ______ (No._____), we hereby submit this Interconnection Application pursuant to the conditions specified in your reply.

- 1 Outline of INS 1500 Line Carrier's Rate



Charges

Figures in parentheses = Discount rate

Item	Charges
Not including liaison/coordination work	¥19,964 (35.6%)
Including liaison/coordination work	¥23,312 (24.8%)
Charges = {Line usage charges (basic charges) under the Articles of Agree discount rate)}	ement for ISDN Service \times (1 - ISDN subscriber line transmission function

- 2 Major Conditions for INS 1500 Line Carrier's Rate

Item	Service Conditions
Applicable services	23B+D receive-only lines (excluding 23B+D subscriber lines that are shared with 24B lines, lines to which INS1500 carrier's rate is not applicable, and 23B+D lines used under a pilot number)
Application format	Selecting "including" or "not including" liaison/coordination work per carrier (per-line selections are not accepted)
Contract format	Contracts are executed on a per-line basis after concluding an Interconnection Agreement. (Lines are contracted under the name of the applicant carrier.)
Usage format	The usage purpose is to provide telecommunications service to end-users. (Note) The carrier's rate is not applicable to so-called self-use lines that are used by other carriers for their own usage.
Temporary lines	The carrier's rate is not applicable.
Transfers, suspensions, etc.	Transfers, suspensions and relocations are possible. However, transfers are possible only to carriers that conclude an agreement concerning the INS 1500 carrier's rate. (Transfers after changing to the general INS-Net 1500 lines are accepted.)
Retroactive settlements, etc.	Retroactive and time lag settlements are not applicable.
Other	Conditions stipulated in the Articles of Agreement for ISDN Service are applied mutatis mutandis to other conditions.

- 3 Providing INS 1500 Line Carrier's Rate

Target Carriers, Etc.

The INS 1500 line carrier's rate is applied to telecommunications carriers that conform to the following conditions.

Telecommunications carriers that offer basic telecommunications service as specified in the Telecommunications Business law are requested to provide NTT East with a copy of the latest Articles of Agreement for Service that were submitted to the competent Minister.

With respect to other telecommunications carriers, one of the following items must be applicable.

- (1) The carrier has a carrier identification code for settlements among carriers.
- (2) Telecommunications numbers have been assigned to the carrier based on the Telecommunications Numbering Regulations.
- (3) The carrier has received confirmation from a public utilities organization (a corporation established pursuant to the provisions of Article 34 of the Civil Law) relating to telecommunications business supervised

Procedures, Etc., Necessary Before Usage Start

Such procedures as the "preliminary survey application," "interconnection application," and "entering into an Interconnection Agreement" are necessary before usage start.

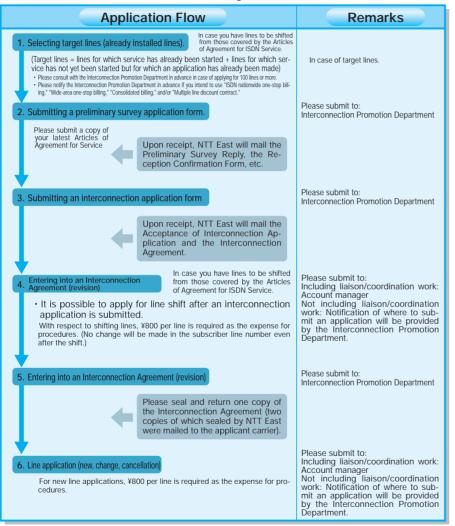
For carriers that selected "Not including liaison/coordination work," please note the following.

- (1) An applicant carrier must submit a line application form to each NTT East branch that handles the line installation.
- (2) No coordination is provided with respect to the installation date (in case the possible work date is different from the requested date).
- (3) Troubleshooting will be handled via Dial 113.

If "Including liaison/coordination work" is selected, the same work as now provided by our account manager, etc., will be continued. Regardless of the selection of including or not including liaison/coordination work, consulting, visits, proposals, quotations (including completing an application form), etc., are not implemented by our account manager, etc., in providing the carrier's rate.

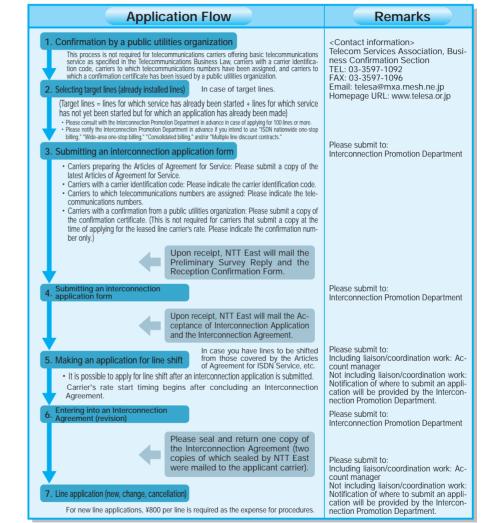
- 4 INS 1500 Line Carrier's Rate Application Flow

For Telecommunications Carriers Offering Basic Telecommunications Service



Invoice description: Including liaison/coordination work "CR line usage charges <Type 1>," Not including liaison/coordination work "CR line usage charges <Type 2>." Other invoice descriptions are the same as those for general INS-Net 1500 service.

For Other Telecommunications Carriers



Invoice description: Including liaison/coordination work "CR line usage charges <Type 1>," Not including liaison/coordination work "CR line usage charges <Type 2>." Other invoice descriptions are the same as those for general INS-Net 1500 service.

- 5 Entry Examples of Various INS 1500 Line Carrier's Rate Application Forms

Preliminary Survey Application Form Entry Example 1

PRELIMINA	RY SURVEY APPLICATION
	No. Date:
To: Executive Manage Interconnection Pr NTT East	r omotion Department
	From: Company: Name:
hereby survey) of your Artic	cles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection,
of establishing/ changing i Outline of interconnection to be established/changed	ng Preliminary Survey Application for the purpor nterconnection with the NTT East networks.
of establishing/ changing i Outline of interconnection	nterconnection with the NTT East networks.
of establishing/ changing i Outline of interconnection to be established/changed Specific contents for ne-	Iterconnection with the NTT East networks.

Preliminary Survey Application Form Entry Example 2

Attachment Specific Contents for Negotiation 1. Points of Interconnection Points of interconnection specified in the Articles of Agreement To be interconnected at (1), Paragraph 1, Article 5 (Standard Points of Intercon nection) of the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection. Points of interconnection other than those N/A specified in the Articles of Agreement 2. Demarcation point for telecommunications facilities (1) Requested POI installation site Within our company building (address) 3. Area subject to interconnection (1) Service area of applicant (Complete this section in the case of new interconnection carrier subject to interwith NTT East networks) connection /ithin Tokyo (2) Area subject to intercon-Our network interconnection area: Our Tokyo service area nection per POI NTT East's network interconnection area: Tokyo 4. Technical conditions for interconnection (physical, electrical and logical conditions) Addition of new technical conditions Yes No Chapter XI (Technical Conditions) of the Articles of Agreement Cop Interconnection based on the cerning Interconnection As specified in Part_, Chapter II (Technical Conditions by Pattern), Collection of Technical Conditions. technical conditions specified in the Articles of Agreement. -associated Signaling network configuration Associated network 4.8kb/s 48kb/s Signaling speed Priority originating Yes No 3 Ω user reservation Bi-directional res Yes No ervation Interconnection based on technical As specified in Attachment 1 (technical conditions for cases other than those in conditions other than those speci-fied in the Articles of Agreement which the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection are not applied). 5. Construction of telecommunications facilities (1) Capacity of switching and (Complete this section only when the entry in (1) (Requested transmission facilities per POI installation site), Item 2 (Demarcation point for telecom-POI munications facilities) is "Within an NTT East building.") (2) Applicant carrier facilities to be collocated within NTT-East buildings (if any) Type, quantity, dimensions of facilities to be installed For Type I telecommunications carriers Electric power requirements please enter "6-2." For Type II telecom-Other installation conditions munications carriers, please enter "17-2." 6. Patterns of interconnection Patterns of inter- Articles of Chapter VII (Patterns of Interconnection) connection speci- Agreement As specified in No. ____, Attached Table 2-2 fied in the Articles Articles of Chapter VI (Patterns of Interconnection) of Agreement Optional As specified in No. __ ~ No. __, Attached Table 2-2 Agreemen Patterns of interconnection other As specified in Attachment 2 (Patterns of Interconnection) than those specified in the Art cles of Agreement

- 5 Entry Examples of Various INS 1500 Line Carrier's Rate Application Forms

Preliminary Survey Application Form Entry Example 3

	7. Functions subject to network modification charges Functions requested by applicant los subject No1.2.1.1 (Functions Subject to Network Modification Charges), Table 1 in the Fabres of Charges), Table 1 in the Fabres of Charges, The Articles of Agreement Concerping Interconnection Outline of functions requested by applicant carrier other than those subject to network modification charges No	
	Carrier identification code () () Domestic basic and otherational supplementary service: shared use () () Domestic basic and international supplementary service: shared use () () Domestic basic and international service: shared use () () () Please check the first row in case of "domestic basic service;" and check the second row in case of "domestic supplementary service; exclusive use" or "international supplemen- tary service; exclusive use." () ()	Please enter the applicable number from among the following: Telecommunications carriers offering basic telecommunications services: 1 Telecommunications carriers other than 1 and with a carrier identification code: 2
	10. Carrier pre-subscription function	Telecommunications carriers other than 1 and to which telecommunications numbers are assigned: 3
	Usage of carrier pre-subscription function: Yes or No Call category Local calls Intra-prefecture tell calls Inter-prefecture tell calls Inter-prefecture tell calls International calls	Telecommunications carriers other than 1 and with a confirmation from a
	Carrier pre-subscription number	public utilities organization: 4
	Service area	For carriers falling under Classifications 2, 3 and 4, please enter the applica- ble number, etc. (from among the carrier identification code, the telecommu-
	11. Other	nications number or the public utilities organization confirmation number).
	Interconnection application conditions Our company falls under Item, Paragraph 2, Article 22 of the Articles of Agreement Concerning Interconnection. • Carrier identification code: • Telecommunications number: • Public utilities organization confirmation number:	Please enter the applicable number.
	Interconnection Agreement concluded with NTT East Liaison/coordination work	Please indicate Yes or No.
	Liaison/coordination work Yes Responsible NTT East per- sonnel to whom an applica- Name of person responsible:	
Please specify the NTT East account manager, etc., to whom the application for the INS-Net1500 line has been submitted.	tion for an INS-Net 1500 line Tel: is submitted	Please enter the applicable billing cycle block(s)
Please enter the URL of your Homepage (showing a list of dial-up numbers for end-users, etc.), by which it is possible to confirm that the lines to be shifted are for service use. In case such list is not included	Number of lines to be shifted The number of lines to be shifted from those covered by the Articles of Agreement for Leased Line Service is (within NTT East area) (as of MW/DD/YY). Applicable billing cycle is Blocks and	(multiple blocks are acceptable; please confirm with the invoice issued by NTT East) from among the fol- lowing. Block A: 21st ~ 20th, Block B: 26th ~ 25th, Block C: 1st ~ end of month), Block D: 6th ~ 5th, Block E: 11th ~ 10th, Block F: 16th ~ 15th.
in the Homepage, please enclose a manual for end- users, etc., that indicates dial-up numbers.	Service-use confirmation URL: www	