

**Pennsylvania Carrier Working Group
August, 2005 Public Minutes**

October Software Release

A readout was provided concerning the investigation into the breakdowns associated with the October software release. Several corrective actions were instituted and penalties were paid associated with the Performance Assurance Plans.

Data Center

A discussion of the recent data center power failure resulted in some recommendations to provide additional content in the industry notifications. An outreach program to the CLEC community was initiated. More discussion will take place during next month's meeting.

End User Migration Guidelines

Parties discussed the need to update the E/U Migration Guidelines. There is a need to carefully scrub the guidelines against the recently issued order. A party agreed to review the guidelines to update for the newer version of LSOG. Discussed the need for increased compliance with the guidelines and how that could be promoted.

Reported Performance

It was noted that the April, 2005 final report for the Performance Assurance Plan had a significant maintenance miss in the UNE-Platform Mode of Entry. A party indicated that an operational change caused the miss and that change was amended to assure compliance to the performance standard.

Directory Listings/White Pages

A party reported that the sub committee met at least two times since the last CWG meeting. The sub committee continues to work on a potential resolution of issues. There is an additional meeting scheduled prior to September CWG. An update will be provided in September.

Regulatory Updates

- Pending C2C changes – Consensus reached to delete BI-3-01, BI-3-02, and BI-3-03 from the PA Carrier-to-Carrier Guidelines with the introduction of BI-9 from New York. A party recommended to add an agenda item for the proposed deletion of PA-specific billing measures (BI-6, BI-7, and BI-8). There is consensus in the PA CWG to support the recommendation.
- Pending PAP changes – A party will issue a supplemental filing recommending that the Hot Cut changes be tabled since the NY PSC is conducting a review of the PAP (as was suggested in one party's comments on the proposed adoption of the Hot Cut changes). There is consensus in the PA CWG to support the recommendation to wait until the NY review is complete and consider both the existing changes and the prospective changes together at an appropriate time in the future.

JSC

Several changes are undergoing final review in the NY CWG and will be proposed to the NY PSC for adoption.

NY CWG

See above JSC report.

Additional Agenda items for next month:

- Update on power outage in Data Center
- Proposals related to PA-specific metric deletion (BI-6, BI-7, and BI-8).