

Attachment 4-A

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The Simple Port Service Request (SPSR) will no longer be supported. A decision was made to consolidate all number portability only ordering under REQTYP=C.

For those fields that are optional in the LSOG for REQTYP=C, all companies will accept the fields where the data provided will not be used for processing. If the data is sent, the data must conform to the LSOG data characteristics and Valid Entries. Content in fields without specific Valid Entries will not be validated.

Directory listings must be retained or deleted for orders involving directory listings in order to be considered for simple port processing. Orders involving change(s) to directory listing(s) will not be considered for simple port processing. The Directory Listing (DL) form is not permitted for a simple port.

Service currently provided via interim number portability is not eligible for simple port processing.

The SUP would require a full refresh of the original request. All necessary fields need to be re-sent.

If an error is being returned for those fields required on the LSR, EU and NP forms, it is understood that any missing data can not be returned on the response if not provided on the request.

If the industry requires a 4 hour response for all orders submitted with a 1 to 2 day due date, either an FOC or a standard error message will be returned for those orders which fall outside of simple port parameters (Not a simple port - send supplement).

The LSOG standard REQTYP "C" LSR, EU, NP and LR(s) will be utilized by all parties (wireline and wireless, wholesale and retail) across the industry, for wireline-to-wireline and bi-directional intermodal porting.

Wireless-to-Wireless porting will continue to be accomplished utilizing the WICIS documentation and processes.

For manual ordering, the LSOG industry standard LSR, EU, NP and LR form templates are available for use when ordering REQTYP=C (Number Portability) only. When any other form (e.g. HGI or DL) is required, the company proprietary LSR, EU, NP and LR must be used instead of the LSOG industry standard form template.

Industry standard ordering templates will be available via the LSR, EU, NP and LR practices of the ATIS/OBF LSOG.

No logo will be permitted on the LSOG industry standard LSR, EU, NP and LR form templates for REQTYP=C.

ATIS will provide the LSR, EU, NP and LR practices to the industry at no charge as a result of the FCC mandate.

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