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Summary

The change is required because of an ambiguity in the original text which caused at least one manufacturer to make products incompatible with existing textphones. The new text removes the ambiguity and refers the reader to ANSI TIA/EIA-825 (2000) for the definition of operation of the existing type of textphone.

Source

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1) Clause A.1

Replace the original text as follows:

A.1 Mode of operation

The 5-bit mode is defined in ANSI TIA/EIA-825 (2000), A Frequency Shift Keyed Modem for use on the Public Switched Telephone Network.

The communication channel is half-duplex with no channel turnaround. Carrier is transmitted 150 ms before the first character is transmitted. The receiver shall be disabled for 300 ms when a character is transmitted to mitigate false detection of echoes (in non-V.18 devices, the carrier may remain for up to 1 s after the last character to provide this same function).

with:

A.1 Mode of operation

The description of 5-bit mode text telephone operation can be found in ANSI TIA/EIA-825 (2000), A Frequency Shift Keyed Modem for use on the Public Switched Telephone Network.

NOTE – To improve transmission performance when operating in the 5-bit mode, it is recommended that the first character be preceded by a 150 ms burst of 1400 Hz carrier.

2) Clause A.2

Replace the original text as follows:

A.2 Modulation

The modulation is frequency shift-keyed modulation (i.e. no carrier is present when a character is not being transmitted) using 1400 Hz (\pm 5%) for a binary 1 and 1800 Hz (\pm 5%) for a binary 0. A bit duration of either 20 or 22.00 \pm 0.40 ms is used providing either a nominal data signalling rate of 50 or 45.45 bits/s respectively.

with:

A.2 Modulation

Please refer to ANSI TIA/EIA-825.

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