DISTRIBUTING FRAME PROCEDURES

1. GENERAL

1.01 This addendum is issued to correctly identify the standard color coding for four wire cross connect jumpers used on distributing frames.

1.02 The color code referenced in paragraph 5.02 of CTSP 400-975-001 is not a standard, and should be crossed out. With red pencil or ink, write, "See addendum, paragraph 2.02," and file this addendum in front of the practice.

2. STANDARD FOUR WIRE JUMPER COLOR CODING AND IDENTIFICATION

2.01 Continental System Supply provides a standard color coding of white, red, blue, and black wires.

2.02 Paragraph 5.02 c. of CTSP 400-975-001 should read:

> Four conductor jumpers have white, red, blue and black wires. The white wire is the **tip** (+), the red is the **ring** (-), the blue is the control (C, S or B_1) lead and the black is the extra control (EC, HS or B_2) lead. The fourth (EC, HS or B_2) wire is used in making connections to equipment such as the distributing terminal assembly (DTA) frame and the trunk intermediate distributing frame (TIDF).

3. IDENTIFICATION OF FOUR WIRE COLOR CODES

3.01 Other color codes have been used in the field in the past and this has created problems in identification. The following paragraphs identify the various four wire jumper color codes.

3.02 Four conductor jumpers color coded white, red, blue and black (standard):

- **a.** White is the tip (+) lead.
- **b.** Red is the ring (-) lead.
- **c.** Blue is the control or sleeve (C, S, B_1) lead.
- **d.** Black is the EC, HS or B_2 lead.

3.03 Four conductor jumpers color coded white, red, blue and green:

- **a.** White is the tip (+) lead.
- **b.** Red is the ring (-) lead.
- **c.** Blue is the control or sleeve (C, S, B) lead.
- **d.** Green is the EC, HS or B_2 lead.

3.04 Four conductor jumpers color coded white, red, green and black:

- **a.** White is the tip (+) lead.
- **b.** Red is the ring (-) lead.
- **c.** Green is the control or sleeve (C, S, B) lead.
- **d.** Black is the EC, HS or B_2 lead.