

**COMMAND POST ALERTING NETWORK (COPAN)
JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF ALERTING NETWORK (JCSAN)
GENERAL DESCRIPTION**

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1.001 This addendum supplements Section 310-504-100, Issue 2.

1.002 This addendum is issued to change information on the switching of EPL circuits used on the COPAN and JCSAN. The following change applies to Part 5 of this section:

(a) 5.06 revised.

5.06 An EPL is provided on nearly all primary circuits on that portion of the circuit within the continental United States. EPLs allow a full-time make-good available between the Control

Office and the "Y" point and between the "Y" point and the distant STC. An EPL is also included between the alternate MCP STC and the "Y" point. Between the "Y" switching point office and the alternate MCP STC and between the "Y" switching point office and the RCP STC the transmit side of the regular and EPL circuits are dual fed, on a bridge basis. The receive side is switched at each office. Between the MCP STC and the "Y" switching point office both the transmit and receive sides of the regular and EPL circuits are switched. Switches located at the "Y" switching point offices connect the regular or EPL circuits as required. The Control Office will request that these switches be operated when it is necessary to switch to the EPL.