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STA is pleased to announce the DCS Release 2 feature package. Enclosed in this announcement package are the following items:

a. DCS Release 2 Overview (1)
b. Updated eight page brochure (20)
c. New two page DCS keyset brochure (20)
d. Updated *General Description* booklet (5)
e. Updated *Keyset User Guide (5)*
f. Updated *System Administration and Special Features Guide (5)*
g. Updated *Standard Telephone User Guide (5)*
h. Complete replacement for all *DCS Technical Manuals* you have previously purchased
i. Caller ID Overview (5)

For your internal reference, we are calling the new release "DCS Release 2." This improved version of the DCS includes many new interface cards, new optional feature cards and the new LCD 12B keyset. The combination of new hardware and new software increases the current capacity from 160 ports to 196 ports without increasing the cost per station.

Please notice that none of the product literature refers to DCS Release 2. The reason is that we do not want to date the product with terminology such as Release 1 or Release 2. We will market the product as the DCS.

Effective early September, all DCS systems will ship with Release 2 software. It will replace the current version 1.9 as our basic software package. We will, however, separate the software from the hardware commencing with Release 2. It is necessary because in the future you may order a DCS system with different software versions. For example:

a. Basic software package—available now
b. Caller ID software package—available now
c. CTI software package—future
d. ISDN software package—future

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The new DCS price list reflects this change.

System Ordering Guide

It is very important that your order department and personnel become familiar with the new "a la carte" DCS price list. A "New System Ordering Guide" has been enclosed in this announcement kit. This guide is intended to serve as a reminder or checklist for each item that needs to be ordered. Also, we have enclosed some guidelines for expanding a DCS and upgrading the software on a DCS.

Automated Attendant and UCD

The AA (auto attendant) card and UCD features are intended to be part of the DCS Release 2 feature package. However, the AA card ***is not yet ready*** for release. We need approximately two months to finalize the AA and UCD features. We expect to make AA and UCD available in late October or early November. Systems shipping after that time will include the necessary software. You will notice that some of the new programs (MMCs) make reference to AA and UCD. Please disregard them as they will have no effect on system operation. The *General Description* booklet and brochure include AA and UCD features so they will not have to be reprinted when the software and AA card are made available later this year.