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CCITT Recommendation M.140 (Designations of international circuits, groups, group and line links, digital blocks, digital paths, data transmission systems and related information) specifies a scheme for the designation of international routes.

The designation scheme is based on a layered approach with:

- layer 1-a unique identification providing limited information;
- layer 2 additional information that must be known at both termination of the route; and
- layer 3 (optional) bilateral information not the subject of international standardization.

Recommendation F.104 precises the way in which Recommendation M.140 is applicable to customer international circuit designations.

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