

## Fee Structure for Exceptional ESN Manufacturer ID Code Assignments

There is a non-refundable administrative fee of \$18,000 USD for the first ESN Manufacturer ID Code block applied for [14-bit block of 250K or 262,144] at the time an application (Form A) is filed.

Each additional 14-bit ESN Manufacturer ID Code block included as a part of the same request is an additional \$9,000 USD. The \$18,000 USD administrative fee applies to each application that is filed.

### Examples (14-bit):

One (1) 14-bit block equivalent to 250K	= \$18,000	= \$18,000 USD
Two (2) 14-bit blocks equivalent to 500K	= \$18,000 + 9,000	= \$27,000 USD
Four (4) 14-bit blocks equivalent to 1M	= \$18,000 + 27,000	= \$45,000 USD
Eight (8) 14-bit blocks equivalent to 2M	= \$18,000 + 63,000	= \$81,000 USD

Please note, it is critical to confirm with the ESN Administrator after filing your Form A (<http://www.tiaonline.org/standards/resources/esn>) what the fee associated with your application will be. **Engineering Committee TR-45 has provided TIA as the ESN Administrator with conservation guidance and it is important to clarify what the administrative fee will be prior to finalizing payment arrangements.** Your continued understanding and cooperation is greatly appreciated and is a vital portion of ensuring a smooth migration from the legacy numbering resource of 32-bit ESNs to the next-generation numbering resource of 56-bit Mobile Equipment IDentifiers (MEIDs).

Bank wire transfer information is provided upon request and included on the preliminary invoice prepared by TIA Accounting. **NOTE: In the event a wire transfer is sent, the amount received by TIA's bank must equal the invoiced amount and be net of fees; that is, the originating (outgoing from country of origin) wire transfer fee must be paid by the originator.** If there is a shortage, TIA reserves the right to reject final processing or, add a processing fee of \$100 USD to the invoice for the next ESN MFR ID Code application. A final invoice will be prepared by TIA Accounting after payment is received reflecting application of payment and showing the assignment range.

Credit card payments are also acceptable and TIA Accounting will provide an Acrobat PDF receipt to be returned with your correspondence packet at the time your ESN Manufacturer's ID Code is assigned. TIA Accounting will assess an administrative fee of \$250 USD in the event a credit card payment for an ESN MFR ID Code assignment is later reversed after the assignment has been made.