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Cellular: Blackberry Pricing Change

The Department of Central Management Services Customer Solution Center (CSC) announces purchase price reductions for Verizon Wireless Blackberry equipment. New lines or eligible upgrades can qualify for this pricing when the line is placed on the Blackberry Unlimited data plan (\$39.59 per month) and has a voice plan covering a minimum of 400 aggregated minutes per month (400 Aggregated Business Share Plan \$35.29 per month). To take advantage of this pricing, the Telecommunications Service Request (TSR) must specify the desired voice and data plans. The Blackberry purchase prices are reduced as follows:

Device:	Agency Cost:	
Blackberry 8703	\$22.00	(price good through December 31, 2007)
Blackberry 8830*	\$77.00	(price good through December 31, 2007)

Note: There is little functional difference in these two units. The more expensive model 8830 is a global device that can be used by those individuals who must travel internationally.

The CSC has numerous price package plans available for cellular and Blackberry service. We continue to encourage all Telecommunications Coordinators to review their agency's monthly call detail to determine if there are more cost-effective wireless solutions for specific users. The CSC Provisioning Team and assigned CMS Communications Systems Specialists are happy to provide consultation to discuss calling plan options and pricing. It is also beneficial to log on to our web site [click on Telecom Services and follow links to Products/Services for Wireless information] to review available package plans and associated costs.

If you have questions regarding this price offer or other telecommunications needs, please do not hesitate to contact the Customer Solution Center:

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