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Alcatel-Lucent Shanghai Bell (ASB) has approved Advanced Relay's LayGO® PXS<sub>u</sub>, a USB to synchronous adaptor, as interface for their BSC/PC X.25 terminal, used to control Alcatel-Lucent's (ALU) cellular Base Station Controller (BSC).

The terminal uses ALU's WinBSC software, which includes Advanced Relay's X.25 software. Advanced Relay also provides suitable synchronous hardware and device driver. The LayGO/PXS<sub>u</sub> is a replacement for the current LayGO/PCMCIA version.

In recent years, a number of users reported problems using the synchronous PCMCIA cards on an increasing number of newer notebooks. According to PCMCIA card vendors, these problems are related to the notebook's BIOS failure to support these types of PCMCIA cards. A few notebooks, such as the Alcatel-Lucent selected Panasonic Toughbook or the Fujitsu Lifebook, work reliably, but are pricey (>\$2K). New and inexpensive netbooks (\$200 to \$500) don't even have the space for a PCMCIA slot.

To address these problems, Advanced Relay developed an external USB alternative. The PXS<sub>u</sub> is flexible and can be used on netbooks, notebooks and PCs. It is also more powerful and flexible than the PCMCIA version.

Current users who want to upgrade the LayGO/PCMCIA, the Eicon/PCMCIA, or the Eicon/PCI WinBSC/X.25 to the new PXS<sub>u</sub> can do so for \$750.

For those users who want to buy a new PXS<sub>u</sub>, the price is \$1200 per unit (unchanged from PCMCIA pricing).

For more information about the PXS<sub>u</sub> or any of our synchronous communication products, please see our website at [www.AdvancedRelay.com](http://www.AdvancedRelay.com).

