# Branded Calling Tutorial for the Competitive Carriers Association

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The Problem! Caller ID Spoofing STIR/SHAKEN and what it promises PASSporTs and the Identity Header the STIR/SHAKEN Architecture Certificate Management Attestation levels Verstat or Verification Status Authentication and Enterprises and getting an 'A' Delegate Certificates & other solutions Rich Call Data International STIR/SHAKEN Out of Band STIR/SHAKEN Call Diversion

Scams and illegal Robocalls	STIR/SHAKEN
It will reach	Standards
you at some	Standards
point!	Standards

Call Analytics Robocall Mitigation Traceback and the Industry Traceback Group



#### **Guest Speakers**



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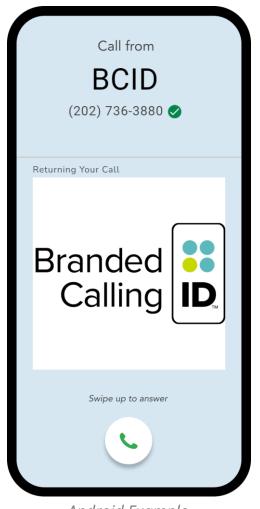
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#### **Branded Calling**



Android Example



Android Example



iphone Example



### Why Branded Calling is Important

- Business customers are paying 3 to 12 cents per call for proprietary branded calling
- The technology standard for Branded Calling is not new, but has not been trusted until now.
- What is new?
- The innovative BCID commercial trust framework:
  - 1. Leverages your existing SHAKEN infrastructure
  - 2. Makes Branded Calling a new revenue opportunity for service providers

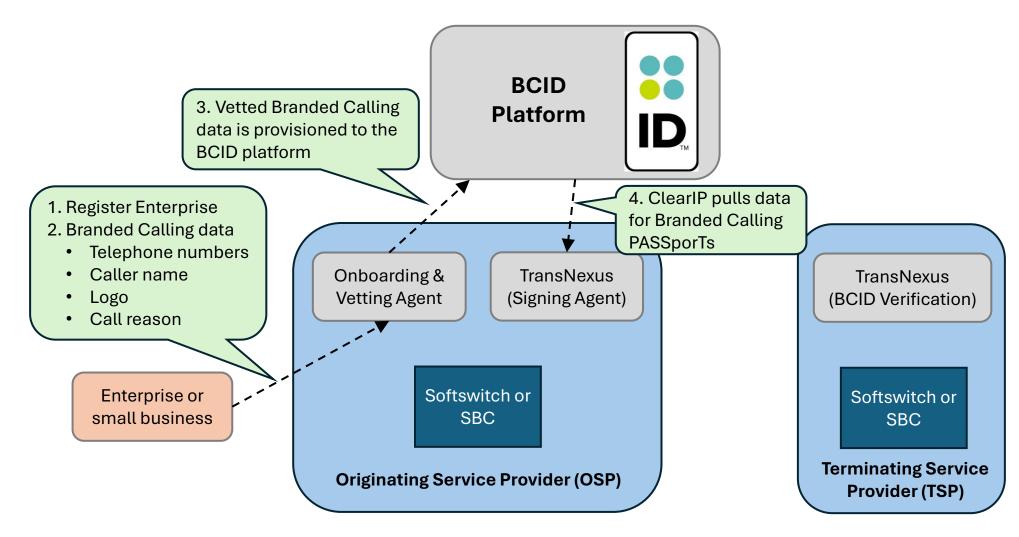


#### The Trust Ecosystem

- BCID Central authority managing the ecosystem
- Originating Service Providers (OSPs)
  - Enable Branded Calling
- Terminating Service Providers (TSPs)
  - Display call branding to the called party.
- Onboarding and Vetting Agent TIP Solutions
  - Manage provisioning and vetting of enterprises and their Branded Calling data
- Signing Agent TransNexus
  - Creates the SHAKEN PASSporT that includes Branded Calling



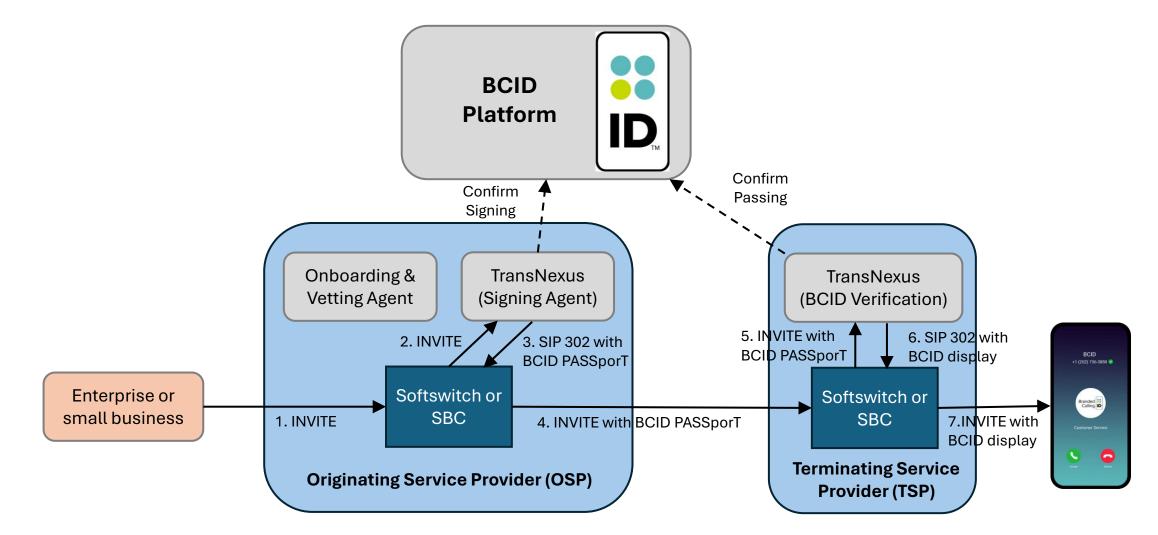
#### **BCID Data Provisioning**





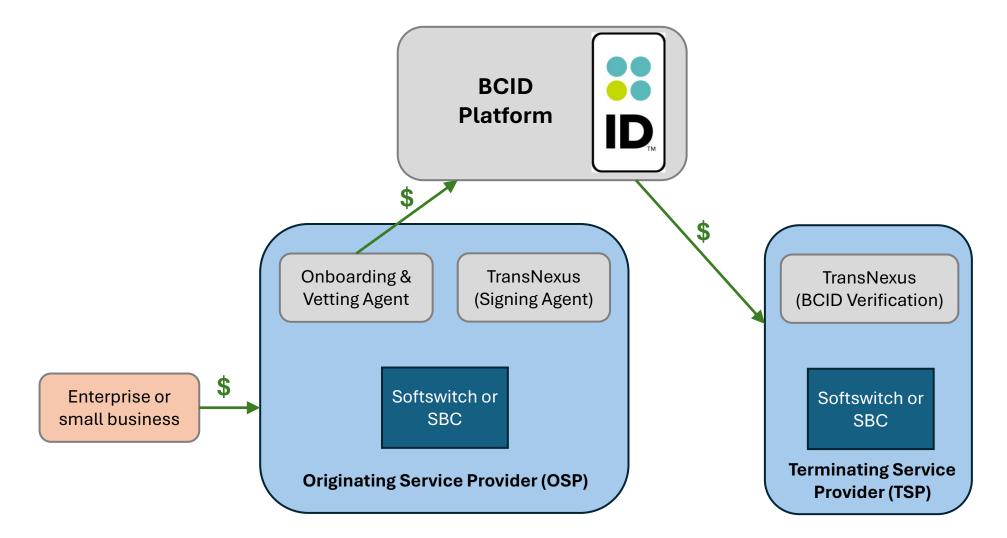


#### **BCID Call Flow**





#### **BCID Money Flow**







#### **Onboarding and Vetting Agent Services**

TIP Solutions is an Authorized Onboarding and Vetting Agent

- TIP's Onboarding Agents serve as the point of entry to BCID for enterprises interested in delivering a branded call experience.
- TIP's Onboarding Agents are required to collect and convey customer information to approved Vetting Agents and manage billing, reporting, and customer support functions.
- TIP's Vetting Agents are responsible for validating that enterprise callers are who they say they are, and have the right to use a display name, logo, and call reason.



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Vetting fee per enterprise per year	Ask TIP Solutions about their Onboarding and Vetting services	
Onboarding fee		



### BCID Cost of Goods Sold (COGS)

#### **Cost Assumptions**

- All fees associated with BCID
- List price, no volume discounts
- 1 Brand & number per enterprise

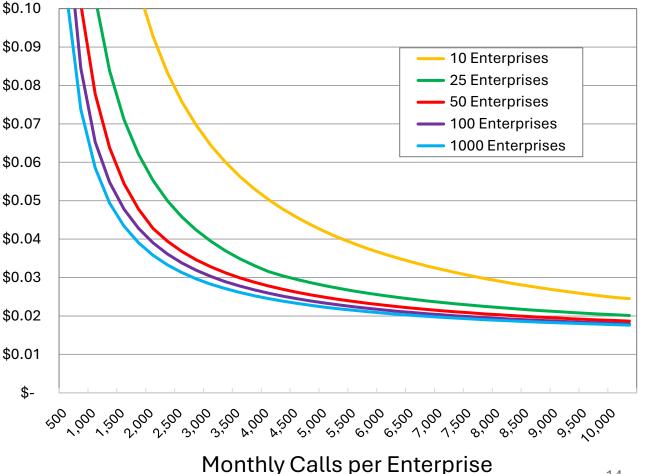
#### Conclusions

- Can be competitive with a few dozen customers
- Package calls for profit Mngt

Calls/month	COGS/call	Price/call	Package price
3,000	\$0.03	\$0.06	\$180/month
7,250	\$0.02	\$0.04	\$290/month

This table assumes COGS averaged over 100 enterprise customers

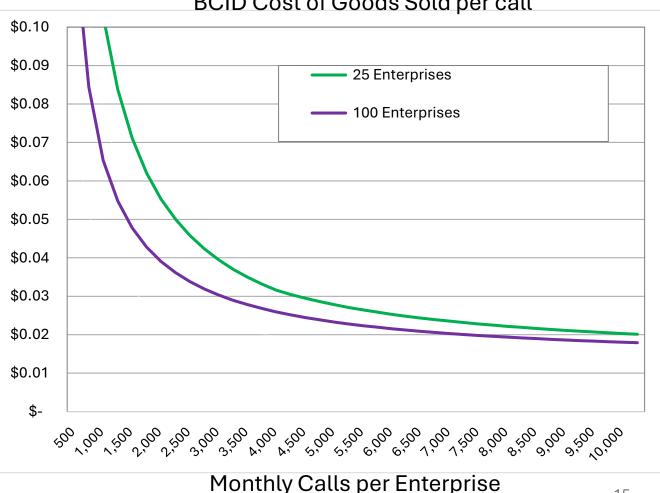
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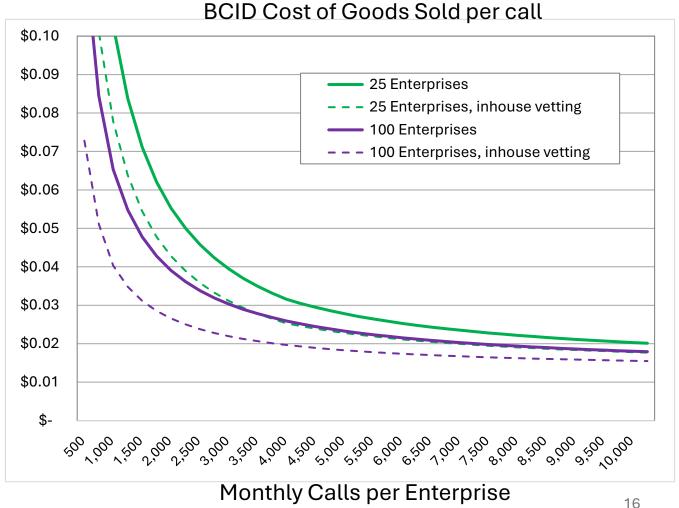


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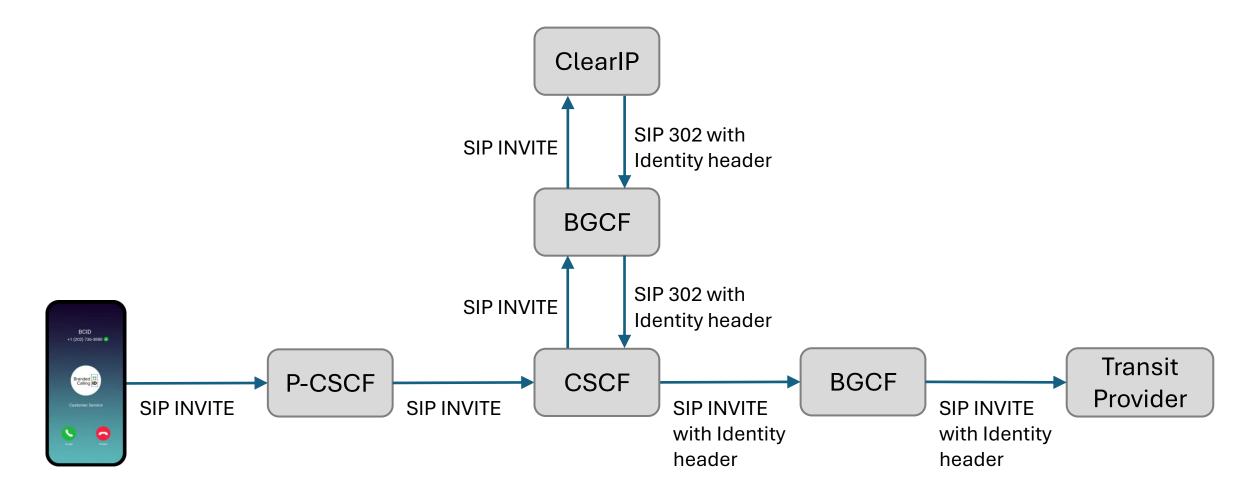
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- Inhouse vetting may offer significant savings.



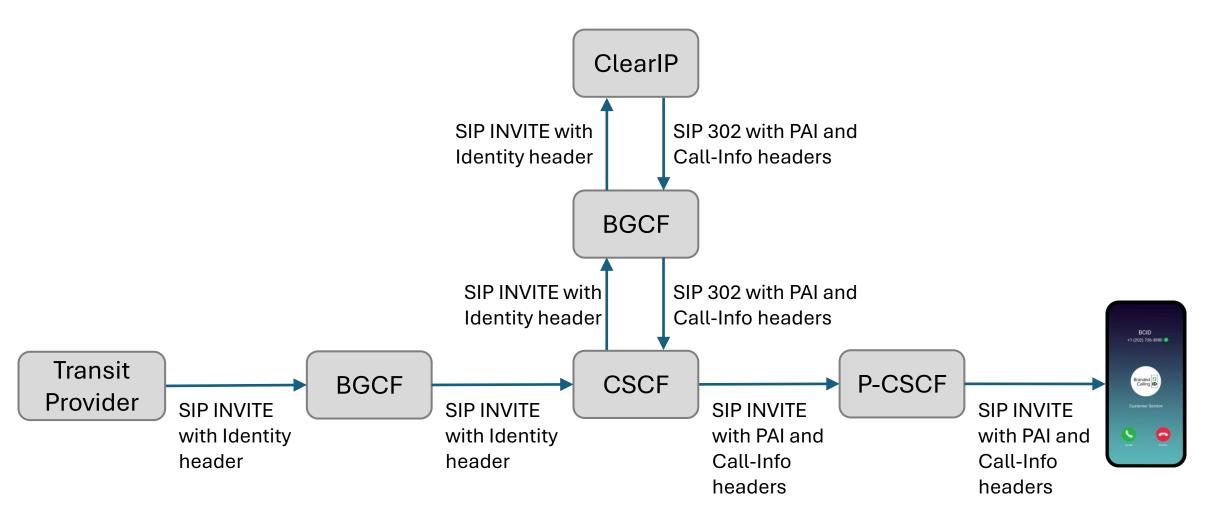


#### **BCID** Authentication





#### **BCID** Verification





#### Next Steps Wireless Providers

- 1. Tell your customers you will offer Branded Calling soon.
- 2. Join the BCID ecosystem. There is no cost to join.
  - Contact TransNexus for DocuSign link.
- 3. Ask your wireless handset provider to support Branded Calling.
- 4. Implement Branded Calling enabled SHAKEN Authentication.
  - Branded Calling will not interfere with your existing SHAKEN deployment.
  - We can help with your IMS integration questions.
- 5. Start by Onboarding and Vetting your business as a BCID Enterprise.
  - Ask your TransNexus representative for an introduction to TIP Solutions.
  - Brand your outbound corporate calls to prepare your market launch.
- 6. Market launch

## Q & A

- <u>CTIA Branded Calling website</u>
- Branded Calling Best Practices
- <u>TransNexus</u> BCID Signing Agent tools and services
- <u>TIP Solutions</u> BCID Onboarding and Vetting Agent services
- Contact <u>Jim.Dalton@TransNexus.com</u> with your questions.



