

## PROPOSAL

### NOTIS PACLOAN for DALNET

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DALNET should make plans to license the NOTIS PACLoan module, expected to be available in 1993.

#### RATIONALE

NOTIS will make PACLoan, their interlibrary loan module, available separately from the PACSearch module. Both modules are part of their new PACLink product.

PACLoan will work between libraries sharing an online catalog. Its features include:

1. allowing patrons to request items, and photocopies, from other locations in LUIS;
2. electronic transfer of requests and status updates between DALNET libraries;
3. Staff interface to review/approve all requests;
4. support for standard borrowing/lending statuses;
5. pick up/delivery options, including to the patron's office, controlled by the library;
6. printed products to support processing;
7. statistics.

DALNET's borrowers in the shared patron file would be authorized to initiate these document delivery requests.

These capabilities were included as important requirements in DALNET's 1984 request for proposals for a computer system to facilitate resource sharing. Recent developments have increased the need for automated support for document requests, including the Macomb University Center, SEMLOL's reciprocal borrowing agreements, and the document delivery services between Wayne State and Oakland University.

DALNET needs to plan now to include the NOTIS PACLoan module in a future budget or to raise funds separately to obtain the license.

#### COSTS

The current price for the PACLoan license is \$30,000 for a base license plus up to \$30,000 more for a second license to include all of DALNET. This price includes the first year's maintenance. Maintenance for the second year is 15% of the purchase price, or These prices were quoted by Gene Adams, our NOTIS marketing representative.