    Upon initial installation of a Cisco switch or router, the network administrator typically conﬁgures the networking devices from a                                                           .

**a.**CD-ROM

**b.**TFTP server

**c.**console terminal

**d.**modem connection

Step 1: Answer

console terminal

Step 2: Explanation

Before being used, a router needs to be setup with specified settings. Not configured are new routers. The console port must be used to initially configure them.

The console terminal, which is connected via the console port, is where networking devices are initially configured.

To configure a cisco device through the console port, you will require the following item:

RJ45 to RJ45 rollover cable Personal computer, or something comparable, with "terminal" communication software set up as follows:

speed: 9600 bps

data bits: 8

parity: none

stop bit: 1

flowcontrol: None