

BellSouth Interconnection Services

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To: Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLECs), Independent Companies (ICOs), and

Commercial Mobile Radio Services (CMRS) Providers

Subject: CLECs, ICOs, CMRS - Change in Number of Records Allowed in Carrier Access Billing

System (CABS) packs (EMI 20-20-09 headers; 20-20-10 trailers) sent through the

Centralized Message Distribution System (CMDS)

This is to advise that the Ordering and Billing Forum (OBF) Issue 2506 modified the maximum number of CABS Exchange Message Interface (EMI) records allowed in EMI 20-20-09/10 packs from 9,999 to 99,999 records. As a result of this OBF issue, the CMDS and Settlements User Group (CSUG) have agreed to increase the number of CABS records transmitted over CMDS to the new allowable maximum effective June 20, 2003.

Therefore, effective June 20, 2003, BellSouth may begin receiving CABS packs through CMDS destined for your company containing a maximum number of 99,999 records. Also, effective June 20, 2003, BellSouth will begin packing CABS detail records in packs containing up to 99,999 records.

This information should be provided to your company's message exchange contacts.

If you any have questions, please contact your BellSouth Account Team representative.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY JERRY HENDRIX

Jerry Hendrix – Assistant Vice President BellSouth Interconnection Services