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To: Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLECs)

Subject: CLECs – Update to the BellSouth Telecommunications Access Gateway (TAG) Extensible Markup Language (XML) Schema, ENCORE Release 12.0

This is to advise that BellSouth has posted an updated TAG Extensible Markup Language (XML) schema for ENCORE Release 12.0 to the TAG Secured Web site. This update corrects a Loop Reservation (Cable and Pair) defect for TAG XML, Release 12.0, eliminating any potential parsing problems for the CLEC/Vendor.

Please contact your Electronic Commerce Account Team or Software Vendor Process representative with any questions.

Sincerely,

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