

BellSouth Interconnection Services

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Carrier Notification SN91084196

Date: August 6, 2004

To: Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLEC)

Subject: CLECs – Local Number Portability (LNP) Recovery Amendment

This is to advise that in May and June 2004, BellSouth sent amendment(s) to all CLECs with Interconnection Agreements and/or Services Agreements with a letter requesting a full original amendment and a duplicate signature page be returned to BellSouth. This amendment modifies the Local Number Portability (LNP) recovery charge pursuant to the Federal Communications Commission's (FCC) order in the matter of the Telephone Number Portability BellSouth Corporation Petition for Declaratory Ruling and/or Waiver, CC Docket No. 95-116, released April 13, 2004.

In order to the reduce the cost recovery charges pursuant to the tariff beginning September 15, 2004, BellSouth will need to receive your signed LNP amendment no later than August 31, 2004. If a signed amendment is not received by August 31, 2004, BellSouth will continue to charge the rate set forth in your Interconnection Agreement and/or Services Agreement and you will be responsible for such charges.

Please contact your BellSouth contract negotiator with any questions.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY KRISTEN ROWE FOR JERRY HENDRIX

Jerry Hendrix – Assistant Vice President BellSouth Interconnection Services