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**BellSouth Interconnection Services**

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Date: October 12, 2004

To: Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLEC) and Interexchange Carriers (IXC)

Subject: CLECs and IXCs - (Billing) - Minutes of Use (MOU) Billing Changes

This is to advise that effective November 12, 2004, the presentation of your company's usage billing will be modified to reflect the following changes:

Beginning with the first bill cycle following the effective date of the change, the usage detail page of your bill will display the location of the tandem that recorded the usage for each end office on your Switched Access "S" Accounts where a tandem switch was used in connection with the call. If an end office has usage associated with multiple tandems, each tandem location will be displayed uniquely on the bill and rated based on the tandem.

These tandem locations are used in the calculation of the mileage for common transport for calls that are routed through a tandem and delivered to an end office. Common transport mileage is calculated for billing purposes between the recording tandem and the end office, or in the case of host/remote situations, between the tandem and the host office and the host and the end office.

These changes to the bill presentation apply to switched access Feature Group B and Feature Group D usage, local interconnection usage, operator and directory assistance usage, or any usage category that includes billing for the common transport rate element.

If you have any questions, please contact your appropriate BellSouth local contract manager or billing service representative.

Sincerely,

**ORIGINAL SIGNED BY JERRY HENDRIX**

Jerry Hendrix – Assistant Vice President  
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