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BellSouth Interconnection Services
675 West Peachtree Street
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Carrier Notification
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Date: March 29, 2005

To: All Interconnection Services Customers

Subject: All Interconnection Services Customers – **REVISED** - Pending Sale of Milton and
               Gatewood Central Offices in North Carolina (Originally posted on February 4, 2005)

This is to advise that on December 29, 2004, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) and
Madison River Telephone Company (Madison River) filed a joint petition with the North Carolina Utilities
Commission (NCUC) in Docket Nos. P-55, Sub 1541 and P-35, Sub 101**,** requesting approval for
BellSouth to transfer to Madison River certain assets within the Milton and Gatewood, North Carolina
telephone exchange boundaries. The approval process and the transfer of the customers are expected
to be completed by the end of April 2005. Once this petition is approved, Madison River will begin
providing telephone service to the customers in these two central offices.

**Effective April 23, 2005, a service order freeze will be in effect. The following NPA NXX will be
affected:**
                        NPA: 336   NXX: 388 & 234

**When BellSouth transfers the customers to Madison River, the Interexchange Carriers (IXCs)
currently providing long distance services to those customers will receive a Customer Account
Record Exchange (CARE) Transaction Code Status Indicator (TCSI) 2213 report from BellSouth
advising that the customer has disconnected due to a transfer of service to a new provider
jurisdiction. No action is required by the IXCs. Madison River will send transactions to the
IXCs.**

Carriers providing service in the Milton and Gatewood central offices should contact Madison River
Telephone Company at (919) 563-8148 as soon as possible to make the appropriate arrangements for
any service needs it may have.

If you have any questions, please contact the Madison River Telephone Company.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY JERRY HENDRIX

Jerry Hendrix – Assistant Vice President
BellSouth Interconnection Services