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- To: Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLEC)
- Subject: CLECs (OSS) CLEC Application Verification Environment (CAVE) Availability, ENCORE Release 21.0 and Local Number Portability Release 21.0

This is to advise that BellSouth will complete deployment of ENCORE Release 21.0 and Local Number Portability (LNP) Release 21.0 in CAVE on January 20, 2006. CAVE will be available for testing Release 21.0 beginning January 23, 2006. The 21.0 Telecommunications Access Gateway (TAG) Extensible Markup Language (XML) will also become available for testing at that time.

In order to effectuate the implementation of the release, the CAVE environment will be unavailable for all testing from January 17, 2006, through January 20, 2006.

CLECs who would like the opportunity to test or who have additional questions regarding ENCORE Release 21.0 and/or LNP Release 21.0 should contact their BellSouth electronic commerce account team.

Please refer to the attached table for details of the release.

Sincerely,

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Kristen E. Shore – Director BellSouth Interconnection Services

Attachment

ENCORE Release 21.0		
CAVE	January 20, 2006	
IMPLEMENTATION DATE		
PRODUCTION	March 05, 2006	
IMPLEMENTATION DATE		
SYSTEM DOWNTIMES	January 17, 2006 - January 20, 2006	
ASSOCIATED	BellSouth Business Rules posted on November 18, 2005	
DOCUMENTATION		
RELEASE SCOPE	CCP CR#	FEATURES
	CR2058	Phase 2 to Mechanize EELs Non-Switch
	CR2115	Ability to Search by REQTYP and ACT via LENS
	CR2129	Electronic Ordering of Loop Modifications
	CCP CR#	DEFECTS