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**BellSouth Interconnection Services**

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**Carrier Notification  
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Date: March 9, 2006

To: Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLEC) and Wireless Service Providers (WSP)

Subject: CLECs and WSPs – (LNP and OSS) – Local Number Portability Systems Downtime for Security Upgrades

This is to advise that, on April 9, 2006, and April 23, 2006, BellSouth will upgrade the Security Firewall hardware and software. Trouble Analysis Facilitation Interface (TAFI) and the Local Number Portability (LNP) Gateway System will be unavailable as follows:

Sunday, April 9, 2006 from 1:00 AM to 11:00 AM EDT  
Sunday, April 23, 2006 from 1:00 AM to 11:00 AM EDT

No TAFI queries, Local Service Requests (LSR) or Subscription Versions (SV) will be processed during the system downtimes.

Please contact your BellSouth electronic commerce account team with any questions.

Sincerely,

**ORIGINAL SIGNED BY PAT C. FINLEN FOR KRISTEN E. SHORE**

Kristen E. Shore – Director  
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