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

Subject: CLECs and WSPs – (OSS) – Reminder of the Retirement of Telecommunications Industry Forum 9 with the Implementation of EDI Local Mechanization Specifications Version 10

This is a second reminder regarding the retirement of Telecommunications Industry Forum 9 (TCIF 9) with the implementation of EDI Local Mechanization Specifications (ELMS) Version 10 that was announced in Carrier Notification letters **SN91085086** dated April 19, 2005, and **SN91085217** dated October 20, 2005. The implementation of ELMS 10 and the sunset of TCIF 9 will occur with the implementation of ENCORE Release 22.0 on July 9, 2006.

As previously explained, with the retirement of TCIF 9 and the implementation of ELMS 10, no Local Service Request (LSR) with TCIF 9 activity (initial, supplemental or cancel) will be allowed. Any TCIF 9 LSR received prior to July 9, 2006, that has not successfully completed through TCIF 9 will not receive further processing and will not receive an electronic notification. Therefore, the TCIF 9 LSRs that have not successfully completed must be resubmitted using either ELMS 6 or ELMS 10.

Please contact your BellSouth electronic commerce account team representative if you have questions.

Sincerely,

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