
Business Markets

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To: All Business Markets – Wholesale Customers

Subject: All Business Markets – Wholesale Customers – (Billing and Tariff) – New Service Offering for BellSouth® Virtual Metro Ethernet Service and BellSouth® Premium Metro Ethernet Service 900Mbps Connection

This is to advise that BellSouth will offer BellSouth® Virtual Metro Ethernet Service and BellSouth® Premium Metro Ethernet Service 900Mbps connection in its BellSouth Tariff FCC No. 1, General Subscriber Services Tariff (GSST), Private Line Tariff, State Access Tariff and Price List Schedule with the following effective dates:

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| - BellSouth Tariff FCC No. 1 | May 16, 2006 |
| - Alabama | June 16, 2006 |
| - Florida | June 16, 2006 |
| - Georgia | June 16, 2006 |
| - Kentucky | June 16, 2006 |
| - Louisiana (GSST and Private Line) | June 30, 2006 |
| - Louisiana (State Access) | June 16, 2006 |
| - Mississippi | July 1, 2006 |
| - North Carolina | June 16, 2006 |
| - South Carolina | June 16, 2006 |
| - Tennessee | June 22, 2006 |

A BellSouth Virtual Metro Ethernet service connection provides 10 Mbps, 20 Mbps, 50 Mbps, 80 Mbps, 100 Mbps, 200 Mbps, 300 Mbps, 450 Mbps, 600 Mbps, 750 Mbps and 900 Mbps Ethernet capabilities that are a part of a BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service network within a metropolitan area. BellSouth Virtual Metro Ethernet service provides the ability to order Ethernet service where a single customer connection can support multiple applications with varying quality of service features and classes of service.

BellSouth Virtual Metro Ethernet Service provides customer capabilities to support different classes of service, i.e., Real-Time, Interactive, Business Critical and Best Effort, over the same connection, and offers customers increased flexibility to match bandwidth to the real needs for voice/data/video applications on each connection. The customer will order the percentage of their BellSouth Virtual Metro Ethernet service connection bandwidth that will be allocated for each class of service.

A BellSouth Premium Metro Ethernet Service 900Mbps connection will be offered in addition to the existing BellSouth Premium Metro Ethernet Service connections of 10Mbps, 20Mbps, 50Mbps, 100Mbps, 250Mbps and 500Mbps. BellSouth Premium Metro Ethernet service provides customer capabilities to assure service characteristics via ordering a Committed Bandwidth, which is the minimum bandwidth across the BellSouth Metro Ethernet service network within a metropolitan area between a customer's BellSouth Premium Metro Ethernet service locations.

The services will be billed in the Carrier Access Billing System (CABS) or the Customer Record Information System (CRIS); and can be ordered via an Access Service Request (ASR), Local Service Request (LSR), or Wireless Service Request (WSR). Each request will require design assistance from your BellSouth account team.

Please contact your BellSouth account team representative with any questions.

Sincerely,

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