
BellSouth Interconnection Services

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Carrier Notification**SN91083261**

Date: August 30, 2002

To: Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLECs)

Subject: CLECs - Changes to Magnetic Tape Bill Format Specifications

This is to advise that effective in November 2002, revisions will be made to the Magnetic Tape Bill Format Specifications. This information may require that changes be made to your company's programs that process the BellSouth Magnetic Tape Bill data. These changes will ensure that your company experiences continued success in processing its BellSouth Magnetic Tape Bill data.

Please refer to the attachment for details.

If you have any questions, please contact Debbie Blackston with BellSouth Billing, Inc. (BBI) at 205-321-3900.

Sincerely,

ORIGINAL SIGNED BY JIM BRINKLEY FOR JERRY HENDRIX

Jerry Hendrix – Assistant Vice President
BellSouth Interconnection Services

Attachment



OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION

OF

CHANGES

TO THE

BELLSOUTH

MAGNETIC TAPE

BILL FORMAT

SPECIFICATIONS

Version 2002.1

September 2002

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

This is the only copy that will be provided to your company with notification of changes to the BellSouth Magnetic Tape Bill Format Specifications.

The information attached hereto may require changes be made to your company's programs that process BellSouth Magnetic Tape Bill Format data.

If you are not the person or persons responsible for making those program changes, please pass this document or a copy of this document on to those responsible for making changes. This will ensure that your company experiences continued success in processing its BellSouth Magnetic Tape Bill Format data.

If you are not the person responsible for handling these programming changes, and would like BellSouth to send future notifications directly to that person, please contact Debbie Blackston, Product Support for Magnetic Tape Bill Format at 205-321-3900 or email, Deborah.Blackston@bellsouth.com

The most current version of Magnetic Tape Bill Format Specifications is available via the BellSouth Internet. Please use the following URL address and procedures for downloading:

www.bellsouth.com/ebs/index.html

Click on User Guide

A drop down box will appear

Select Product-Magnetic Tape Bill Format

Click on Technical Specifications-Download Icon

CHANGE 1

Description of Change-	A new Charge Code is being added due to tariff tax changes in Georgia for a License Tax.
Effective Date-	November 1, 2002
Record(s) Impacted-	Primary 25 Primary 60, sub record 30
New Fields Added to Record-	No
Field Name-	N/A
Field Position-	N/A
New Charge Code-	1217
Other Information-	Although this change was implemented due to Georgia tariff tax changes, BellSouth is not making the new charge code state-specific.

CHANGE 2

Description of Change-	BellSouth is required by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to administer the Federal Universal Service Fund. A new Charge Code is being added which will allow BellSouth to bill Asymmetrical Digital Subscriber Line (ADSL) accounts a Federal Universal Service Charge. This charge will apply to accounts that are not identified by a Subscriber Line Charge (SLC) Universal Service Order Code (USOC).
Effective Date-	November 24, 2002
Record(s) Impacted-	Primary 25
New Fields Added to Record-	No
Field Name-	N/A
Field Position-	N/A
New Charge Code-	1901