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To: Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLECs)/Data CLECs (DLECs)

Subject: CLECs/DLECs – **REVISED**: Update to BellSouth Business Rules for Local Ordering (BBR-LO) - Line Splitting on Multi-Line Accounts (originally posted November 4, 2002)

In association with Change Request CR919, BellSouth has identified a documentation defect in the BBR-LO relating to Line Splitting.

This letter is to advise the CLEC/DLEC customers that effective immediately, when adding Central Office (CO) Based Line Splitting to a multi-line account, and not all of the lines will have Line Splitting, the Local Service Request (LSR) must be submitted using the following:

- REQTYP of A
- TOS 2nd character of P
- ACT of "C"
- LNA of "N"

These changes will be reflected in the next update of the BBR-LO scheduled for December **30**, 2002.

The updates will be posted to the BellSouth Interconnection Services' Web site at:

<http://www.interconnection.bellsouth.com/guides/html/leo.html>

Attached is a copy of the supporting BBR-LO documentation, which will be reflective with the December **30**, 2002 release of the BBR-LO.

If you have any questions, please contact your BellSouth Local Support Manager.

Sincerely,

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Attachment

CHAPTER 3.0 - REQ TYP A - Loop Service

3.28 REQ TYP A - High Frequency Spectrum (HFS) Unbundled (CO Based) Line Splitting

3.28.1 Description

Unbundled Network Elements (UNE) CO Based Line Splitting is a UNE product consisting of the following components:

- UNE Voice Port**
- Two Cross Connects originating at a BellSouth ® Central office.**

CO based Line Splitting allows the CLEC/DLEC to deliver Line Splitting data service to end users currently receiving voice service from a CLEC utilizing an Unbundled Network Element-Platform (UNE-P), over the high frequency portion of the loop using a CLEC/DLEC Collocated Digital Subscriber Line Access Multiplexer (DSLAM) and splitter equipment.

Product Restrictions & Limitations

- End user must be served by an UNLOADED 2-WIRE COPPER LOOP.**
- CLEC meet point is the point of termination for the CLEC's cable and pair(s).**
- The Collocation area may belong to the voice CLEC or the DATA LEC.**
- Service can be provided by the CLEC or DLEC through a pre-existing agreement.**
- Limited to Plain Old Telephone Service (POTS) voice services (e.g. Non-Complex Business/Residence services)**

Local Service Request (LSR) Restrictions & Limitations

- REQ TYP A**
- When changing to Line Split in a multi line arrangement, if all of the line appearances do not convert to Line Splitting, the lines will be separated onto separate Customer Service Records (CSR) while retaining the original Q account billing arrangement.**
- The first appearance of CO Based Line Splitting on a multi-Line account is ordered using the ACT of C and the LNA of "N" when the entire account is NOT converting to Line Splitting.**
- The first appearance of CO Based Line Splitting on a multi-Line account is ordered using the ACT N, and the LNA of N when the entire account is converting to Line Splitting.**
- The ACT of "D" is used for the removal of Line Splitting from the account, and will not disconnect the voice line.**
- The ACT of "W" is the only valid ACT allowed for conversions from Line Share/or BellSouth Retail services to Line Splitting.**
- The ACT of "W" is the only valid ACT allowed for conversions from Line Splitting to Line Splitting, UNE-P to Line Splitting and Resale to Line Splitting when the voice provider is changing.**