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**BellSouth Interconnection Services**

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**Carrier Notification****SN91083622**

Date: March 14, 2003

To: Resale Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLECs)

Subject: Resale CLECs – Billing change for BellSouth® Area Plus® Service and BellSouth® Area Plus® with Complete Choice® Service in the states of Kentucky and Louisiana

This is to advise that beginning April 23, 2003, in the states of Kentucky and Louisiana, Area Plus service minutes of use terminating in Independent Company (ICO) exchanges outside the customer's basic local calling area will be accumulated each billing period. The first 1,000 minutes of usage each month will be included as part of Area Plus service at no additional charge. Such usage in excess of 1,000 minutes per month will be billed to the customer at a rate of 8 cents per minute. Call description information will appear on the customer's bill for calls that exceed the 1,000-minute allowance.

This billing will apply only for calls to ICO exchanges that are part of the customer's Local Access and Transport Area (LATA) but are not part of the customer's basic local calling area.

There will be no billing change for calling into BellSouth exchanges or for calling into ICO exchanges in the customer's basic local calling area. Area Plus service and Area Plus with Complete Choice service customers will continue to call on an unlimited basis into BellSouth exchanges and basic local calling area ICO exchanges.

Should you have any questions, please contact your BellSouth Local Contract Manager.

Sincerely,

**ORIGINAL SIGNED BY JERRY HENDRIX**

Jerry Hendrix – Assistant Vice President  
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