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**BellSouth Interconnection Services**

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To: All BellSouth Interconnection Services Customers

Subject: All BellSouth Interconnection Services Customers – BellSouth offering Optical Managed Shared Network Service (MSNS) and corresponding BellSouth Fatal Edit for Channelized DS3s and DS1s for MSNS

Managed Shared Network Service (MSNS) is a high capacity service currently offered as Switched Access (SWA) and Special Access (SPA) for DS0, DS1 and DS3 services. In order to meet the changing business needs of its customers, BellSouth is introducing Optical MSNS. With this enhancement, MSNS is offered in the BellSouth Interstate Special Access Tariff FCC No. 1 for point-to-point services such as STS-1 Interface and optical services at all levels, OC3 through OC192. (BellSouth@SMARTRing® and BellSouth@SMARTGate® services may not be converted to MSNS).

This is also to advise that on April 30, 2003, BellSouth will implement a new fatal edit for Access Service Requests (ASRs). The fatal edit will apply to any ASR for MSNS Optical, SPA, and SWA DS1 and DS3 Channelized services. The fatal edit will disallow orders for these services if the following requirements are not met:

- The Secondary Location (SECLOC) Common Language Location Identifier (CLLI) code must match the MSNS Access /Customer/Carrier Terminal Location (ACTL) serving wire center.
- The Local Serving Office (LSO) of the ACTL (A location) and the LSO of the SECLOC (Z location) must be served by the same serving wire center.

If the fields are not populated in the above-described manner, the returned message will read:

**ICS8111E FATAL EDIT: ACTL CLLI MUST MATCH SECLOC SWC  
(SECLOC CLLI MUST MATCH MSNS ACTL SWC)**

Non-channelized Optical Circuits that extend beyond the LSO will be offered and will not be affected by this fatal edit.

Please ensure that personnel within your company who have service order responsibility are made aware of this change.

If you have any questions, please contact your BellSouth Account Team Representative.

Sincerely,

**ORIGINAL SIGNED BY JERRY HENDRIX**

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