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To: Wireless Service Providers (WSP)

Subject: WSPs - Migration of Numbers from Type 1 Wireless Interconnection Trunks to Type 2 Wireless Interconnection Trunks

This is to advise that BellSouth Interconnection Services is implementing systems and processes to meet the requirements of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Wireless Local Number Portability (LNP) Order.

In a porting environment, Type 1 Numbers, i.e., numbers utilizing Type 1 Trunks, require complex, project managed handling. For this reason, BellSouth recommends that WSPs migrate their Type 1 numbers to Type 2 Trunks. Numbers used for paging or information services are exempt from LNP and, therefore, not subject to migration. Migration does not require the disconnection of Type 1 Trunks.

Type 2 Trunks can be arranged to deliver Signaling System 7 (SS7) information, such as Caller ID. Wireless Service Providers migrating end-users from Type 1 to Type 2 Trunks should alert customers to any new service functionality.

The National Wireless Number Portability Operations (WNPO) team recommends the following for dedicated Type 1 NXX codes:

- If **any** of the numbers within the code will be ported prior to migration, the NXX code **should be** opened in the NPAC by the wireline carrier.
- If **none** of the numbers within the code will be ported prior to migration, the NXX code **should not be** opened in the Number Portability Administration Center (NPAC) prior to migration.

In keeping with the WNPO recommendation, BellSouth will assign a BellSouth Service Provider Identifier (SPID) in the NPAC to full 10K blocks of Type 1 numbers (Dedicated NXX) that are not migrated to Type 2 Trunks by November 8, 2003. This is required to accommodate number porting.

Wireless Service Providers should contact their BellSouth Wireless Account Team for assistance in migrating Type 1 numbers (in blocks of 10K, 1K, or less-than-1K) to Type 2 Trunks.

Sincerely,

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