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**Carrier Notification  
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To: Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLEC)

Subject: CLECs – (Documentation/Guides) – Introduction of the New Unbundled Loop Modification (ULM) for Copper Loops CLEC Information Package, Version 1

This is to announce the introduction of the new ULM for Copper Loops CLEC Information Package, Version 1. This package will replace the ULM CLEC Information Package, Version 6.

The new ULM package is based on Loop Conditioning as defined by the Federal Communication Commission's (FCC) Triennial Review Order (TRO). This package also includes the specific conditions under which BellSouth will remove Bridged Tap (BT).

In conjunction with the new ULM package, the following CLEC packages will be updated with new Service Inquiry (SI)/SI Instructions that reflect the BT removal standards in the ULM package:

- Unbundled ADSL/HDSL Compatible Loop
- Unbundled Copper Loop – Designed (UCL-D)
- Unbundled Copper Loop – Non-Designed (UCL-ND)

Additionally, the Unbundled ADSL/HDSL and UCL-D CLEC Information Packages will contain interim instructions for using the Interconnection CLEC Enabler (ICE) web interface when ordering BT removal. On January 15, 2004, the CLEC will need to begin using the new SIs and the interim ICE instructions for BT removal.

The new CLEC packages noted above will be available December 15, 2003, on the BellSouth Interconnection Services' Web site at:

<http://interconnection.bellsouth.com/guides/html/unec.html>

A separate announcement for the High Frequency Spectrum Unbundled Loop Modification CLEC Information Package will be available at a later date.

Please contact your BellSouth Local Support Manager with any questions.

Sincerely,

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