
BellSouth Interconnection Services

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To: Interexchange Carriers (IXC) and Wireless Service Providers (WSP)

Subject: IXCs and WSPs – (Interconnection/Contractual - Products/Services) - Automated Volume and Term (Auto V&T) Agreement

This is to advise that effective January 15, 2004, BellSouth will offer Auto V&T Agreements to Wholesale Customers purchasing products from the BellSouth Tariff FCC No.1. This will provide the customer the ability to pre-authorize BellSouth to add Transport Payment Plan (TPP) contract terms to rate elements on Access Service Requests (ASR) via an Auto V&T Agreement for the following BellSouth services:

- Special Access (SPA) DS1 Diverse service;
- BellSouth® Wavelength service;
- BellSouth® LightGate® service (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA Point to Point Network);
- BellSouth® Dedicated Ring service; and
- BellSouth Native Mode LAN Interconnection service and/or BellSouth® SMARTRing® service (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA Dedicated Ring)

Wholesale Customers will negotiate a Letter of Authorization (LOA) with their BellSouth Account Team Representative. The LOA will specify the Wholesale Customer's contact name, title, telephone number, Access Customer Name and Abbreviation (ACNA), Network Channel (NC) codes, TPP contract term, and the effective date of the agreement. The LOA TPP contract terms will be coded into the BellSouth ordering systems, which will automatically populate an ASR with the customer's desired arrangement.

Please contact your BellSouth Account Team Representative, if you have any questions regarding this new offering.

Sincerely,

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