AMENDMENT
TO THE
AGREEMENT BETWEEN
BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
AND NEW EDGE NETWORKS, INC.
DATED SEPTEMBER 27, 1999

Pursuant to this Agreement, (the "Amendment"), New Edge Networks, Inc. ("New Edge"), and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties," hereby agree to amend that certain Interconnection Agreement between the Parties dated September 27, 1999 ("Agreement").

WHEREAS, BellSouth and New Edge entered into an Interconnection Agreement on September 27, 1999 and;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual provisions contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby covenant and agree as follows:

1. The Agreement entered into between BellSouth and New Edge is hereby amended to delete Attachment 2 in its entirety and replace it with a new Attachment 2, which contains rates for Network Elements and Other Services attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

2. The Agreement is hereby amended to include Attachment 11 in its entirety.

3. All of the other provisions of the Agreement, dated September 27, 1999 shall remain in full force and effect.

5. Either or both of the Parties is authorized to submit this Amendment to the respective state regulatory authorities for approval subject to Section 252(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Amendment to be executed by their respective duly authorized representatives on the date indicated below.

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Attachment 2

Network Elements and Other Services

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ACCESS TO NETWORK ELEMENTS AND OTHER SERVICES

1. Introduction

1.1 This Attachment sets forth the unbundled network elements and combinations of unbundled network elements that BellSouth agrees to offer to NEW EDGE NETWORKS in accordance with its obligations under Section 251(c)(3) of the Act. The specific terms and conditions that apply to the unbundled network elements are described below in this Attachment 2. The price for each unbundled network element and combination of unbundled Network Elements are set forth in Exhibit D of this Agreement.

1.2 For purposes of this Agreement**, "**Network Element**"** is defined to mean a facility or equipment provided by BellSouth on an unbundled basis as is used by the CLEC in the provision of a telecommunications service. These unbundled network elements will be consistent with the requirements of the FCC 319 rule. For purposes of this Agreement, combinations of Network Elements shall be referred to as "Combinations."

1.2.1 Except as otherwise required by law, BellSouth shall not impose limitation restrictions or requirements or request for the use of the network elements or combinations that would impair the ability of NEW EDGE NETWORKS to offer telecommunications service in the manner NEW EDGE NETWORKS intends.

1.2.2 Except upon request by NEW EDGE NETWORKS, BellSouth shall not separate requested network elements that BellSouth currently combines.

1.2.2.1 Unless otherwise ordered by an appropriate state or federal regulatory agency, currently combined Network Elements are defined as elements that are already combined within BellSouth's network to a given location.

1.3 BellSouth shall, upon request of NEW EDGE NETWORKS, and to the extent technically feasible, provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS access to its network elements for the provision of NEW EDGE NETWORKS's telecommunications service. If no rate is identified in the contract, the rate for the specific service or function will be as set forth in applicable BellSouth tariff or as negotiated by the Parties upon request by either Party.

1.4 NEW EDGE NETWORKS may purchase network elements and other services from BellSouth for the purpose of combining such network elements in any manner NEW EDGE NETWORKS chooses to provide telecommunication services to its intended users, including recreating existing BellSouth services. With the exception of the sub-loop elements which are located outside of the central office, BellSouth shall deliver the network elements purchased by NEW

EDGE NETWORKS for combining to the designated NEW EDGE NETWORKS collocation space. The network elements shall be provided as set forth in this Attachment.

1.5 BellSouth shall comply with the requirements as set forth in the technical references within Attachment 2 to the extent that they are consistent with the greater of BellSouth's actual performance or applicable industry standards.

1.6 In the event that any effective legislative, regulatory, judicial or other legal action modifies or redefines the "Network Elements" in a manner which materially affects the terms of this Attachment or the Network Elements and/or prices set forth herein, either Party may, on thirty (30) days written notice, require renegotiation of such terms, and the Parties shall renegotiate in good faith such new terms in accordance with such legislative, regulatory, judicial or other legal action. In the event such new terms are not renegotiated within ninety (90) days after the notice for renegotiation, either Party may petition the Commission for resolution of the dispute between the Parties. Each Party reserves the right to seek judicial review of any Commission ruling concerning this Attachment.

1.7 NEW EDGE NETWORKS will adopt and adhere to the standards contained in the applicable CLEC Work Center Operational Understanding Agreement regarding maintenance and installation of service.

1.8 Standards for Network Elements

1.8.1 BellSouth shall comply with the requirements set forth in the technical references, as well as any performance or other requirements identified in this Agreement, to the extent that they are consistent with the greater of BellSouth's actual performance or applicable industry standards.

1.8.2 If one or more of the requirements set forth in this Agreement are in conflict, the parties shall mutually agree on which requirement shall apply. If the parties cannot reach agreement, the dispute resolution process set forth in Section 12 of the General Terms and Conditions of this Agreement, incorporated herein by this reference, shall apply.

2. Unbundled Loops, Integrated Digital Loop Carriers, Network Interfaces Device, Unbundled Loop Concentration (ULC) System, Sub loops and Dark Fiber

All of the negotiated rates, terms and conditions set forth in this Section pertain to the provision of unbundled loops.

2.1 Unbundled Loops

2.1.1 Definition

2.1.2 The local loop network element ("Loop(s)") is defined as a transmission facility between a distribution frame (or its equivalent) in BellSouth's central office and the loop demarcation point at an end-user customer premises, including inside wire owned by BellSouth. The local loop network element includes all features, functions, and capabilities of the transmission facilities, including dark fiber and attached electronics (except those used for the provision of advanced services, such as Digital Subscriber Line Access Multiplexers) and line conditioning.

2.1.3 The provisioning of service to a CLEC's collocation space will require cross-office cabling and cross-connections within the central office to connect the loop to a local switch or to other transmission equipment . These cross-connects are a separate component, that are not considered a part of the loop, and thus, have a separate charge.

2.1.4 BellSouth Order Coordination referenced in Attachment 2 includes two types: "Order Coordination" and "Order Coordination - Time Specific."

2.1.5 "Order Coordination" refers to standard BellSouth service order coordination involving SL2 voice loops and all digital loops. Order coordination for physical conversions will be scheduled at BellSouth's discretion during normal working hours on the committed due date and NEW EDGE NETWORKS advised.

2.1.6 "Order Coordination – Time Specific" refers to service order coordination in which NEW EDGE NETWORKS requests a specific time for a service order conversion to take place. Loops on a single service order of 14 or more loops will be provisioned on a project basis. This is a chargeable option for any coordinated order and is billed in addition to the OC charge. NEW EDGE NETWORKS may specify a time between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. (location time) Monday through Friday (excluding holidays). If NEW EDGE NETWORKS specifies a time outside this window, or selects a time or quantity of loops that requires BellSouth technicians to work outside normal work hours, overtime charges will apply in addition to the OC and OC-TS charges. Overtime charges will be applied according to actual costs based on type of force group required to perform the work, overtime hours worked and any special circumstances.

2.1.7 Where facilities are available, BellSouth will install loops within the intervals as set forth in BellSouth's Interval Guide. For orders of 14 or more loops, the installation will be handled on a project basis and the intervals will be set by the BellSouth project manager for that order. Some loops require a Service Inquiry (SI) to determine if facilities are available prior to issuing the order. The interval for the SI process is separate from the installation interval. For expedite requests by NEW EDGE NETWORKS, expedite charges will apply for intervals less than 5 days. The charges outlined in BellSouth's FCC # 1 Tariff, Section 5, will apply. If NEW EDGE NETWORKS cancels an order for network elements and other

services, any costs incurred by BellSouth in conjunction with the provisioning of that order will be recovered in accordance with FCC #1 Tariff, Section 5.

2.1.8 If NEW EDGE NETWORKS modifies an order after being sent a Firm Order Confirmation (FOC) from BellSouth, any costs incurred by BellSouth to accommodate the modification will be reimbursed by NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

2.1.9 BellSouth will offer Unbundled Voice Loops (UVL) in two different service levels - Service Level One (SL1) and Service Level Two (SL2).

2.1.10 SL1 loops will be non-designed, will not have test points, and will not come with any Order Coordination (OC) or engineering information/circuit make-up data. Upon issuance of an order in the service order system, SL1 loops will be activated on the due date in the same manner and time frames that BellSouth normally activates POTS-type loops for its customers. If NEW EDGE NETWORKS requests work to be done for SL1s that requires BellSouth technicians to work outside normal work hours, overtime charges will be applied according to actual costs based on type of force group required to perform the work, overtime hours worked and any special circumstances.

2.1.11 SL2 loops shall have test points, with or without conditioning, will be designed with a design layout record provided to NEW EDGE NETWORKS, and will be provided with OC. The OC feature will allow NEW EDGE NETWORKS to coordinate the installation of the loop with the disconnect of an existing customer's service and/or number portability service. In these cases, BellSouth will perform the order conversion with standard order coordination at its discretion during normal work hours.

2.1.12 BellSouth will also offer Unbundled Digital Loops (UDL). They will be designed, will be provisioned with test points (where appropriate), and will come standard with Order Coordination and a Design Layout Record (DLR).

2.1.13 As a chargeable option on all loops except UVL-SL1 and UCL, BellSouth will offer Order Coordination - Time Specific (OC-TS). This will allow NEW EDGE NETWORKS the ability to specify the time that the coordinated conversion takes place. The OC-TS charge for orders due on the same day at the same location will be applied on a per Local Service Request (LSR) basis.

2.1.14 NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be responsible for testing and isolating troubles on the loops. Once NEW EDGE NETWORKS has isolated a trouble to the BellSouth provided loop, NEW EDGE NETWORKS will issue a trouble to BellSouth on the loop. BellSouth will take the actions necessary to repair the loop if a trouble actually exists. BellSouth will repair these loops in the same time frames that BellSouth repairs similarly situated loops to its customers.

2.1.15 If NEW EDGE NETWORKS reports a trouble on SL1 loops and no trouble actually exists, BellSouth will charge NEW EDGE NETWORKS for any dispatching and testing (both inside and outside the CO) required by BellSouth in order to confirm the loop's working status.

2.1.16 If NEW EDGE NETWORKS reports a trouble on SL2 loops and no trouble actually exists, BellSouth will charge NEW EDGE NETWORKS for any dispatching and testing, (outside the CO) required by BellSouth in order to confirm the loop's working status.

2.1.17 In addition to the UVLs and UDLs, BellSouth shall make available Unbundled Copper Loops (UCLs). The UCL will be a copper twisted pair loop that is unencumbered by any intervening equipment (e.g., filters, load coils, range extenders, digital loop carrier, or repeaters). The UCL will be offered in two versions - Short and Long. A short UCL (18 kft or less) will be provisioned according to Resistance Design parameters, may have up to 6kft of bridged tap and will have up to 1300 ohms of resistance. The long UCL (beyond 18kft) will be any dry copper pair longer than 18kft and may have up to 12kft of bridged tap and up to 2800 ohms of resistance. Unbundled Loop Modifications (ULM) may be used when a CLEC wants to condition copper loops by removing load coils and other intervening equipment. In almost every case, the UCL long will require ULM to remove load coils. BST will only ensure electrical continuity and balance relative to tip and ring on UCLs.

2.1.18 The UCL will be a designed circuit, with or without conditioning, provisioned with a test point and come standard with a DLR. OC will be offered as a chargeable option on all UCL loops. Order Coordination – Time Specific (OC-TS) will not be offered on UCLs.

2.1.19 The UCL is a dry cooper loop and is not intended to support any particular telecommunications service. NEW EDGE NETWORKS may use the UCL loop for a variety of services, including xDSL (e.g., ADSL and HDSL) services, by attaching appropriate terminal equipment of NEW EDGE NETWORKS's choosing. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will determine the type of service that will be provided over the loop.

2.1.20 Because the UCL loop shall be an unbundled loop offering that is separate and distinct from BellSouth's ADSL and HDSL capable loop offerings, CLEC agrees that BellSouth's UCL loop will not be held to the service level and performance expectations that apply to its ADSL and HDSL unbundled loop offerings. BellSouth shall only be obligated to maintain copper continuity and provide balance relative to tip and ring on UCL loops.

2.1.21 The UCL loop shall be provided to CLEC in accordance with BellSouth's Technical Reference 73600.

2.1.22 Technical Requirements

2.1.22.1 To the extent available within BellSouth's Network at a particular location, BellSouth will offer loops capable of supporting telecommunications services such as: POTS, Centrex, basic rate ISDN, analog PBX, voice grade private line, ADSL, HDSL, DS1, DS3 and digital data (up to 64 kb/s). If a requested loop type is not available, then the CLEC can use the Special Construction process to request that BellSouth place facilities or otherwise modify facilities in order to meet NEW EDGE NETWORKS's request.

2.1.22.2 NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be responsible for providing BellSouth with a Service Profile Identifier (SPID) associated with a particular ISDN-capable loop and end user. With the SPID, BellSouth will be able to adequately test the circuit and ensure that it properly supports ISDN service.

2.1.22.3 The loop will support the transmission, signaling, performance and interface requirements of the services described in 2.1.3 above. It is recognized that the requirements of different services are different, and that a number of types or grades of loops are required to support these services. Services provided over the loop by NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be consistent with industry standards and BellSouth's TR73600.

2.1.22.4 NEW EDGE NETWORKS may utilize the unbundled loops to provide any telecommunication service it wishes. However, BellSouth will only provision, maintain and repair the loops to the standards that are consistent with the type of loop ordered. For example, if NEW EDGE NETWORKS orders an ISDN-capable loop but wants to use the loop for a service other than ISDN, BellSouth will only support that the loop is capable of providing ISDN service. For non-service specific loops (e.g. UCL, loops modified by NEW EDGE NETWORKS using the Special Construction process), BellSouth will only support that the loop has copper continuity and balanced tip-and-ring.

2.1.22.5 In some instances, NEW EDGE NETWORKS will require access to a copper twisted pair loop unfettered by any intervening equipment (e.g., filters, load coils, range extenders, etc.), so that NEW EDGE NETWORKS can use the loop for a variety of services by attaching appropriate terminal equipment at the ends. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will determine the type of service that will be provided over the loop. In some cases, NEW EDGE NETWORKS may be required to pay additional charges for the removal of certain types of equipment. BellSouth's Unbundled Loop Modifications (ULM)process will be used to determine the costs and feasibility of these activities.

2.1.22.6 In those cases where NEW EDGE NETWORKS has requested that BellSouth modify a loop so that it no longer meets the technical parameters of the original loop type (e.g., voice grade, ISDN, ADSL, etc.) the resulting modified loop will be ordered and maintained as a UCL.

2.1.22.7 The loop shall be provided to NEW EDGE NETWORKS in accordance with BellSouth's TR73600 Unbundled Local Loop Technical Specification and applicable industry standard technical references.

2.2 **Unbundled Loop Modifications (Line Conditioning)**

2.2.1 Subject to applicable and effective FCC rules and orders, BellSouth shall condition loops, as requested by NEW EDGE NETWORKS, whether or not BellSouth offers advanced services to the End User on that loop.

2.2.2 Loop conditioning is defined as the removal from the loop of any devices that may diminish the capability of the loop to deliver high-speed switched wireline telecommunications capability, including xDSL service. Such devices include, but are not limited to, load coils, bridge taps, low pass filters, and range extenders.

2.2.3 The Unbundled Loop Modifications (ULM) offering provides the following elements: 1) removal of equipment on loops less than 18kft, 2) removal of equipment of loops longer than (18kft), 3) removal of bridged-taps on loops of any length.

2.2.4 BellSouth shall recover the cost of line conditioning requested by NEW EDGE NETWORKS through a recurring charge and/or nonrecurring charge(s) in accordance with the FCC's forward-looking pricing principles promulgated pursuant to Section 252 (d) (1) of the Act and in compliance with FCC Rule 52.507 (e).

2.3 **Integrated Digital Loop Carriers**

2.3.1 Where BellSouth uses Integrated Digital Loop Carrier (IDLC) systems to provide the local loop and BellSouth has a suitable alternate facility available, BellSouth will make arrangements to permit NEW EDGE NETWORKS to order a contiguous local loop. To the extent it is technically feasible, these arrangements will provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with the capability to serve end users at a level that is at parity with the level of service BellSouth provides its customers. If no alternate facility is available, BellSouth will utilize its Special Construction (SC) process to determine the additional costs required to provision the loop facilities. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will then have the option of paying the one-time SC rates to place the loop facilities or NEW EDGE NETWORKS may chose some other method of providing service to the end-user (e.g., Resale, private facilities, etc.).

2.4 **Network Interface Device**

2.4.1 Definition

The NID is defined as any means of interconnection of end-user customer inside wire to BellSouth's distribution plant, such as a cross-connect device used for that purpose. The NID is a single-line termination device or that portion of a multiple-line termination device required to terminate a single line or circuit at the premises. The NID features two independent chambers or divisions that separate the service provider's network from the End User's on-premises wiring. Each chamber or division contains the appropriate connection points or posts to which the service provider and the end user each make their connections. The NID provides a protective ground connection and is capable of terminating cables such as twisted pair cable.

2.4.2 BellSouth shall permit NEW EDGE NETWORKS to connect NEW EDGE NETWORKS's loop facilities the end-user's inside wire through the BellSouth NID or at any other technically feasible point.

2.4.3 Access to Network Interface Device (NID)

2.4.3.1 Due to the wide variety of NIDs utilized by BellSouth (based on subscriber size and environmental considerations), NEW EDGE NETWORKS may access the end user's wire by any of the following means: BellSouth shall allow NEW EDGE NETWORKS to connect its loops directly to BellSouth's multi-line residential NID enclosures that have additional space and are not used by BellSouth or any other telecommunications carriers to provide service to the premise. NEW EDGE NETWORKS agrees to install compatible protectors and test jacks and to maintain the protection system and equipment and to indemnify BellSouth pursuant to Section 8 of the General Terms and Conditions of this Agreement.

2.4.3.2 Where an adequate length of the end user's inside wire is present and environmental conditions permit, either Party may remove the inside wire from the other Party's NID and connect that wire to that Party's own NID; or

2.4.3.3 Enter the subscriber access chamber or "side" of "dual chamber" NID enclosures for the purpose of extending a connecterized or spliced jumper wire from the inside wiring through a suitable "punch-out" hole of such NID enclosures; or

2.4.3.4 Request BellSouth to make other rearrangements to the inside wiring terminations or terminal enclosure on a time and materials cost basis to be charged to the requesting Party (i.e., NEW EDGE NETWORKS, its agent, the building owner or the subscriber). Such charges will be billed to the requesting Party.

2.4.3.5 In no case shall either Party remove or disconnect the other Party's loop facilities from either Party's NIDs, enclosures, or protectors unless: (1) the applicable Commission has expressly permitted the same; (2) the disconnecting Party provides prior notice to the other Party, and (3) the Party disconnecting appropriately caps off and guards the other Party's loops. It will be the CLEC's

responsibility to ensure there is no safety hazard and will hold BellSouth harmless for any liability associated with the removal of the BellSouth loop from the BellSouth NID. In such cases, it shall be the responsibility of the disconnecting party, once the other Party's loop has been disconnected from the NID, to reconnect the disconnected loop to a nationally- recognized–testing-laboratory-listed station protector, which has been grounded as per Article 800 of the National Electrical Code. If CLEC does not wish to accept this responsibility, other options exist in which BellSouth installs a NID for the CLEC as a chargeable option.

2.4.3.6 In no case shall either Party remove or disconnect ground wires from BellSouth's NIDs, enclosures, or protectors.

2.4.3.7 In no case shall either Party remove or disconnect NID modules, protectors, or terminals from BellSouth's NID enclosures.

2.4.3.8 Due to the wide variety of NID enclosures and outside plant environments BellSouth will work with NEW EDGE NETWORKS to develop specific procedures to establish the most effective means of implementing this Section, 2.4.3.

2.4.4 Technical Requirements

2.4.4.1 The NID shall provide an accessible point of interconnection and shall maintain a connection to ground.

2.4.4.2 The NID shall be capable of transferring electrical analog or digital signals between the subscriber's inside wiring and the Distribution Media and/or cross connect to NEW EDGE NETWORKS's NID, consistent with the NID's function at the Effective Date of this Agreement.

2.4.4.3 Where a BellSouth NID exists, it is provided in its "as is" condition. NEW EDGE NETWORKS may request BellSouth do additional work to the NID in accordance with Section 2.4.3.8. When NEW EDGE NETWORKS deploys its own local loops with respect to multiple-line termination devices, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall specify the quantity of NIDs connections that it requires within such device.

2.4.5 Interface Requirements

2.4.5.1 The NID shall be equal to or better than all of the requirements for NIDs set forth in the applicable industry standard technical references.

2.5 **Unbundled Loop Concentration (ULC) System**

2.5.1 BellSouth will provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS Unbundled Loop Concentration (ULC). Loop concentration systems in the central office

concentrate the signals transmitted over local loops onto a digital loop carrier system. The concentration device is placed inside a BellSouth central office. BellSouth will offer ULC with a TR008 interface or a TR303 interface.

2.5.2 ULC will be offered in two sizes. System A will allow up to 96 BellSouth loops to be concentrated onto multiple DS1s. The high-speed connection from the concentrator will be at the electrical DS1 level and may connect to NEW EDGE NETWORKS at NEW EDGE NETWORKS's collocation site. System B will allow up to 192 BellSouth loops to be concentrated onto multiple DS1s. System A may be upgraded to a System B. A minimum of two DS1s is required for each system (i.e., System A requires two DS1s and System B would require an additional two DS1s or four in total). All DS1 interfaces will terminate to the CLEC's collocation space. ULC service is offered with or without concentration and with or without protection. A Line Interface element will be required for each loop that is terminated onto the ULC system. Rates for ULC are as set forth in this Attachment.

2.6 **Sub-loop Elements**

2.6.1 Where facilities permit and subject to applicable and effective FCC rules and orders, BellSouth shall offer access to its Unbundled Sub Loop (USL) and Unbundled Sub-loop Concentration (USLC) System. BellSouth shall provide non-discriminatory access, in accordance with 51.311 and Section 251(c) (3) of the Act, to the sub-loop. On an unbundled basis and pursuant to the following terms and conditions and the rates approved by the Commission and set forth in this Attachment.

2.6.2 Sub-loop components include but are not limited to the following:

2.6.2.1 Unbundled Sub-Loop Distribution;

2.6.2.2 Unbundled Sub-Loop Concentration/Multiplexing Functionality; and

2.6.2.3 Unbundled Sub-Loop Feeder.

2.7 **Unbundled Sub-Loop (distribution facilities)**

2.7.1 <u>Definition</u>

2.7.1.1 Subject to applicable and effective FCC rules and orders, the unbundled sub-loop distribution facility is dedicated transmission facility that BellSouth provides from a customer's point of demarcation to a BellSouth cross-connect device. The BellSouth cross-connect device may be located within a remote terminal (RT) or a stand-alone cross-box in the field or in the equipment room of a building. The unbundled sub-loop distribution media is a copper twisted pair that can be provisioned as a 2 Wire or 4 Wire facility. Following are the current sub-loop distribution offerings:

2.7.1.1.1 Voice grade Unbundled Sub-Loop Distribution (USL-D) is a sub-loop facility from the cross-box in the field up to and including the point of demarcation, at the end user's premises.

2.7.1.1.2 Unbundled Sub-Loop distribution facilities were originally built as part of the entire voice grade loop from the BellSouth central office to the customer network interface. Therefore, the voice grade Unbundled Sub-Loop may have load coils, which are necessary for transmission of voice grade services.

2.7.1.1.3 Unbundled Copper Sub-Loop (UCSL) is a non-loaded copper facility of any length provided from the cross-box in the field up to and including the end-user's point of demarcation.

2.7.1.1.3.1 If available, this facility will not have any intervening equipment such as load coils between the end-user and the cross-box.

2.7.2 If NEW EDGE NETWORKS requests a UCSL and a non-loaded pair is not available, NEW EDGE NETWORKS may order Unbundled Sub-Loop Modification to remove load coils and/or bridge tap from an existing sub-loop facility. If load coils are removed from an existing sub-loop, that sub-loop will be classified as a UCSL. NEW EDGE NETWORKS may order Loop Make-up to determine what loop modifications will be required.

2.7.3 Unbundled Sub-Loop distribution facilities shall support functions associated with provisioning, maintenance and testing of the Unbundled Sub-Loop. For access to Voice Grade USL-D and UCSL, NEW EDGE NETWORKS would be required to deliver a cable to the BellSouth remote terminal or cross-box in the field to provide continuity to NEW EDGE NETWORKS's feeder facilities. This cable would be connected, by a BellSouth technician, within the BellSouth RT/cross-box during the set-up process. NEW EDGE NETWORKS's cable pairs can then be connected to BellSouth's USL within the BellSouth cross-box by the BellSouth technician.

2.7.4 Unbundled Sub-Loop – Intrabuilding Network Cable (USL-INC) (a.k.a. riser cable) is the distribution facility inside a subscribers' building or between buildings on one customer's same premises (continuous property not separated by a public street or road). USL-INC includes the facility from the cross-connect device in the building equipment room up to and including the point of demarcation, at the end user's premises.2.8.5In a scenario that requires connection in a building equipment room, BellSouth will install a cross connect panel that will be installed for the purpose of accessing USL-INC pairs. The cross-connect panel will function as a single point of interconnection (SPOI) for USL-INC and will be accessible by multiple carriers as space permits. BellSouth will place cross-connect blocks in 25 pair increments for NEW EDGE NETWORKS's use on this cross-connect panel NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be responsible for connecting its facilities to the 25 pair cross-connect block(s).

2.7.5 BellSouth will provide Unbundled Sub-Loops where possible. Through the firm order Service Inquiry (SI) process, BellSouth will determine if it is feasible to place the required facilities where NEW EDGE NETWORKS has requested access to Unbundled Sub-Loops. If existing capacity is sufficient to meet the CLEC demand, then BellSouth will perform the set-up work as described in Section 2.7.6. If any work must be done to modify existing BellSouth facilities or add new facilities (other than adding the cross-connect panel in a building equipment room as noted in 2.8.6) to accommodate NEW EDGE NETWORKS's request for Unbundled Sub-Loops, NEW EDGE NETWORKS may request BellSouth's Special Construction (SC) process to determine additional costs required to provision the Unbundled Sub-Loops. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will have the option of paying the SC charges to modify the BellSouth facilities.

2.7.6 Set-up work must be completed before NEW EDGE NETWORKS can order sub-loop pairs. During the set-up in a BellSouth cross-connect box in the field, the BellSouth technician will perform the necessary work to splice the CLEC's cable into the cross-connect box. For the set-up inside a building equipment room, BellSouth will perform the necessary work to install the cross-connect panel and the connecting block(s) that will be used to provide access to the requested USLs.

2.7.6.1 Once the set-up is complete, the CLEC will request sub-loop pairs through submission of a Local Service Request (LSR) form to the Local Carrier Service Center (LCSC). Manual Order Coordination is required with USL pair provisioning and is in addition to the USL pair rate. For expedite requests by NEW EDGE NETWORKS for sub-loop pairs, expedite charges will apply for intervals less than 5 days.

2.7.6.2 Unbundled Sub-Loop shall be equal to or better than each of the applicable requirements set forth in the applicable industry standard technical references.

2.7.6.3 Unbundled Sub-Loops will be provided in accordance with technical reference TR73600.

2.8 **Unbundled Network Terminating Wire (UNTW)**

2.8.1 BellSouth agrees to offer its Unbundled Network Terminating Wire (UNTW) to NEW EDGE NETWORKS pursuant to the following terms and conditions at rates as set forth in this Attachment.

2.8.2 <u>Definition</u>

2.8.2.1 Subject to applicable and effective FCC rules and orders, UNTW is a dedicated transmission facility that BellSouth provides from the Wiring Closet /Garden Terminal (or other type of cross-connect point) at the point of termination of BellSouth's loop distribution facilities to the end user's point of demarcation. UNTW is the final portion of the loop owned by BellSouth.

2.8.3 Requirements

2.8.3.1 On a multi-unit premises where Provisioning Party owns the network terminating wire, and by request of Requesting Party, Provisioning Party will provide access to UNTW pairs on an Access Terminal that is suitable for use by multiple carriers at each Garden Terminal or Wiring Closet..

2.8.3.2 In new construction where possible, both Parties may at their option and with the property owner's agreement install their own Network Terminating Wire (NTW). In existing construction, the Provisioning Party shall not be required to install new or additional NTW beyond existing NTW to provision the services of the Requesting Party.

2.8.3.3 Upon notice from the Requesting Party to the Provisioning party that the Requesting Party desires access to the Provisioning Party's UNTW pairs in a multi-unit premises, representatives of both Parties will participate in a meeting at the site of the requested access. The purpose of the site visit will include discussion of the procedures for Access Terminal installation, location and addresses of the Access Terminals and to discuss an estimated completion date. Upon completion of site visit, the Requesting Party will submit a Service Inquiry (SI) to the person or organization designated by the Provisioning Party to receive the SI. The SI will initiate the work for the Provisioning Party to begin the Access Terminal installation. In multi-tenant unit (MTU) scenarios, Provisioning Party will provide access to UNTW pairs on an Access Terminal(s). By request of the Requesting Party, an Access Terminal will be installed either adjacent to each Provisioning Party's Garden Terminal or inside each Wiring Closet on the requested MTU. All the UNTW pairs served by a Garden Terminal/Wiring Closet will be made available on the Access Terminals. Requesting Party will deliver and connect its central office facilities to the UNTW pairs within the Access Terminal. Requesting Party may access any available pair on an Access Terminal unless the Provisioning Party or another service provider is using the pair to concurrently provide service. Prior to connecting Requesting Party's service on a pair previously used by Provisioning party, Requesting Party is responsible for ensuring the end-user is no longer using Provisioning Party's service or another CLEC's service before accessing UNTW pairs.

2.8.3.4 Provisioning Party will use best efforts to complete installation of the Access Terminals within 30 business days of the receipt by the Provisioning Party of the Service Inquiry from the Requesting Party.

2.8.3.5 Requesting Party is responsible for obtaining the property owner's permission for Provisioning Party to install an Access Terminal(s) on behalf of the Requesting Party. The submission of the SI by the Requesting Party will serve as certification by the Requesting Party that such permission has been obtained.

2.8.3.6 Requesting Party will be billed for non-recurring and recurring charges for accessing UNTW pairs at the time the Requesting Party activates the pair(s). NEW EDGE NETWORKS will report use of the UNTW pairs on a Local Service Request (LSR) form submitted to BellSouth's Local Carrier Service Center (LCSC).

2.8.3.7 Requesting Party will isolate and report repair problems to the UNE center. Requesting Party must tag the UNTW pair that requires repair. If Provisioning Party dispatches a technician on a reported trouble call and no UNTW trouble is found, Provisioning Party will charge Requesting Party for time spent on the dispatch and testing the UNTW pair(s).

2.8.3.8 If Requesting Party initiates the Access Terminal installation and the Requesting Party has not activated at least one pair on the Access Terminal installed pursuant to Requesting Party's request for an Access Terminal within 6 months of installation of the Access Terminal, Provisioning Party will bill Requesting Party a non-recurring charge equal to the actual cost of provisioning the Access Terminal.

2.8.3.9 If Provisioning Party determines that Requesting Party is using the UNTW pairs without reporting such usage to BellSouth, the following charges shall apply in addition to any fines which may be established by state commissions and any other remedies at law or in equity available to the Provisioning Party:

2.8.3.10 If Requesting Party issued a LSR to disconnect an end-user from BellSouth in order to use a UNTW pair, Requesting Party will be billed for the use of the pair back to the disconnect order date.

2.8.3.11 If Requesting Party activated a UNTW pair on which Provisioning Party was not previously providing service, Requesting Party will be billed for the use of that pair back to the date the end-user began receiving service using that pair. Upon request, Requesting Party will provide copies of its billing record to substantiate such date. If Requesting Party fails to provide such records, then Provisioning Party will bill the Requesting Party back to the date of the Access Terminal installation.

2.9 Unbundled Sub-Loop Concentration System (USLC)

2.9.1 Where facilities permit and where necessary to comply with an effective Commission order, BellSouth will provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS with the ability to concentrate its sub-loops onto multiple DS1s back to the BellSouth Central Office. The DS1s will then be terminated into NEW EDGE NETWORKS's collocation space. TR-008 and TR303 interface standards are available.

2.9.2 USLC, using the Lucent Series 5 equipment, will be offered in two different systems. System A will allow up to 96 of NEW EDGE NETWORKS's sub-loops to be concentrated onto multiple DS1s. System B will allow an additional 96 of NEW EDGE NETWORKS's sub-loops to be concentrated onto multiple DS1s. One System A may be supplemented with one System B and they both must be physically located in a single Series 5 dual channel bank. A minimum of two DS1s is required for each system (i.e., System A requires two DS1s and System B would require an additional two DS1s or four in total). The DS1 level facility that connects the RT site with the serving wire center is known as a Feeder Interface. All DS1 Feeder Interfaces will terminate to the CLEC's collocation space within the SWC that serves the RT where the CLEC's sub-loops are connected. USLC service is offered with or without concentration and with or without a protection DS1.

2.9.3 In these scenarios NEW EDGE NETWORKS would be required to place a cross-box, remote terminal (RT), or other similar device and deliver a cable to the BellSouth remote terminal. This cable would be connected, by a BellSouth technician, to a cross-connect panel within the BellSouth RT/cross-box and would allow NEW EDGE NETWORKS's sub-loops to then be placed on the ULSC and transported to their collocation space at a DS1 level.

2.10 **Unbundled Sub-Loop Feeder**

2.10.1 Definition

2.10.1.1 Unbundled Sub-Loop Feeder (USLF) provides connectivity between BellSouth's central office and its cross-box (or other access point) that serves an end user location.

2.10.2 USLF is intended to be utilized for voice traffic and can be configured as 2-wire voice (USLF-2W/V) or 4-wire voice (USLF-4W/V).

2.10.3 USLF can also to be utilized for digital traffic and can be configured as 2-wire ISDN (USLF-2W/I); 2-wire Copper (USLF-2W/C); 4-wire Copper (USLF-4W/C) facilities: 4-wire DS0 level loop (USLF-4W/D0); or 4-wire DS1 & ISDN (USLF-4W/DI).

2.10.4 USLF will provide the facilities needed to provision a 2W or 4W communications pathway from the BellSouth central office to the BellSouth cross-box. This element will allow for the connection of the NEW EDGE NETWORKSs loop distribution elements onto BellSouth's feeder system.

2.10.5 Requirements

2.10.5.1 NEW EDGE NETWORKS will extend its compatible cable to BellSouth's cross-box. The cable will then be connected to a panel inside the BellSouth cross-box to the requested level of feeder element. In those cases when there is no room in the

BellSouth cross-box to accommodate the additional cross-connect panels mentioned above, BellSouth will utilize its Special Construction process to determine the costs to provide the sub-loop feeder element to NEW EDGE NETWORKS. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will then have the option of paying the special construction charges or canceling the order.

2.10.5.2 USLF will be a designed circuit and BellSouth will provide a Design Layout Record (DLR) for this element.

2.10.5.3 BellSouth will provide USLF elements in accordance with applicable industry standards for these types of facilities. Where industry standards do not exist, BellSouth's TR73600 will be used to determine performance parameters.

2.11 **Dark Fiber**

2.11.1 Definition

2.11.1.1 Dark Fiber is optical transmission facilities without attached signal regeneration, multiplexing, aggregation or other electronics that connects two points within BellSouth's network. Dark Fiber is unused strands of optical fiber. It may be strands of optical fiber existing in aerial or underground structure. No line terminating elements terminated to such strands to operationalize its transmission capabilities will be available..

2.11.2 Requirements

2.11.2.1 BellSouth shall make available Dark Fiber where it exists in BellSouth's network and where, as a result of future building or deployment, it becomes available. If BellSouth has plans to use the fiber within a two –year planning period, there is no requirement to provide said fiber to NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

2.11.2.2 If the requested dark fiber has any lightwave repeater equipment interspliced to it, BellSouth will remove such equipment at NEW EDGE NETWORKS's request subject to time and materials charges.

2.11.2.3 NEW EDGE NETWORKS may test the quality of the Dark Fiber to confirm its usability and performance specifications.

2.11.2.4 BellSouth shall use its best efforts to provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS information regarding the location, availability and performance of Dark Fiber within ten (10) business days for a records based answer and twenty (20) business days for a field based answer, after receiving a request from NEW EDGE NETWORKS ("Request"). Within such time period, BellSouth shall send written confirmation of availability of the Dark Fiber ("Confirmation"). From the time of the Request to forty-five (45) days after Confirmation, BellSouth shall hold such requested Dark Fiber for NEW EDGE NETWORKS's use and may not allow any other party to use such media, including BellSouth.

2.11.2.5 BellSouth shall use its best efforts to make Dark Fiber available to NEW EDGE NETWORKS within thirty (30) business days after it receives written confirmation from NEW EDGE NETWORKS that the Dark Fiber previously deemed available by BellSouth is wanted for use by NEW EDGE NETWORKS. This includes identification of appropriate connection points (e.g., Light Guide Interconnection (LGX) or splice points) to enable NEW EDGE NETWORKS to connect or splice NEW EDGE NETWORKS provided transmission media (e.g., optical fiber) or equipment to the Dark Fiber.

2.11.2.6 Dark Fiber shall meet the manufacturer's design specifications.

2.11.2.7 NEW EDGE NETWORKS may splice and test Dark Fiber obtained from BellSouth using NEW EDGE NETWORKS or NEW EDGE NETWORKS designated personnel. BellSouth shall provide appropriate interfaces to allow splicing and testing of Dark Fiber. BellSouth shall provide an excess cable length of 25 feet minimum (for fiber in underground conduit) to allow the uncoiled fiber to reach from the manhole to a splicing van.

2.12 **Rates**

The prices that NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay to BellSouth for Network Elements and Other Services are set forth in Exhibit D to this Attachment.

2.13 **Operational Support Systems (OSS)**

2.13.1 BellSouth has developed and made available the following electronic interfaces by which NEW EDGE NETWORKS may submit LSRs electronically.

LENS	Local Exchange Navigation System
EDI	Electronic Data Interchange
TAG	Telecommunications Access Gateway

2.13.2 LSRs submitted by means of one of these electronic interfaces will incur an OSS electronic ordering charge as specified in the table below. An individual LSR will be identified for billing purposes by its Purchase Order Number (PON). LSRs submitted by means other than one of these interactive interfaces (mail, fax, courier, etc.) will incur a manual order charge as specified in the table below:

OPERATIONAL SUPPORT SYSTEMS	**AL, GA, LA, MS, NC, SC**	**FL, KY, TN**
OSS LSR charge, per LSR received from the CLEC by one of the OSS interactive interfaces	$3.50 SOMEC	$3.50 SOMEC

Incremental charge per LSR received from the CLEC by means other than one of the OSS interactive interfaces	See applicable rate element	$19.99 SOMAN

2.13.3 Denial/Restoral OSS Charge

2.13.3.1 In the event NEW EDGE NETWORKS provides a list of customers to be denied and restored, rather than an LSR, each location on the list will require a separate PON and, therefore will be billed as one LSR per location.

2.13.4 Cancellation OSS Charge

2.13.4.1 NEW EDGE NETWORKS will incur an OSS charge for an accepted LSR that is later canceled by NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

Note: Supplements or clarifications to a previously billed LSR will not incur another OSS charge.

2.13.5 Network Elements and Other Services Manual Additive

2.13.5.1 The Commissions in some states have ordered per-element manual additive non-recurring charges (NRC) for Network Elements and Other Services ordered by means other than one of the interactive interfaces. These ordered Network Elements and Other Services manual additive NRCs will apply in these states, rather than the charge per LSR. The per-element charges are listed on the Rate Tables in Exhibit D.

2.14 **Preordering Loop Makeup (LMU)**

2.14.1 Description of Service

2.14.1.1 BellSouth shall make available to NEW EDGE NETWORKS loop makeup (LMU) data for BellSouth's network facilities. This section addresses LMU as a *preordering* transaction, distinct from NEW EDGE NETWORKS ordering any other service(s). Loop Makeup *Service Inquiries (LMUSI) for preordering loop makeup* are likewise unique from other preordering functions with associated service inquiries (SI) as described in this Agreement.

2.14.1.2 BellSouth will provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with loop makeup information consisting of the composition of the loop material (copper/fiber); the existence, location and type of equipment on the loop, including but not limited to digital loop carrier or other remote concentration devises, feeder/distribution interfaces, bridge taps, load coils, pair-gain devices; the loop length; and the wire gauge. The LMUSI may be utilized by NEW EDGE NETWORKS for the purpose of determining whether the loop requested is capable of supporting DSL service or

other advanced data services. The determination shall be made solely by NEW EDGE NETWORKS and BellSouth shall not be liable in any way for the performance of the advanced data services provisioned over said loop.

2.14.1.3 BellSouth's LMU information is provided to NEW EDGE NETWORKS as it exists either in BellSouth's databases or in its hard copy facility records. BellSouth does not guarantee accuracy or reliability of the LMU information provided.

2.14.1.4 Targeted deployment of this service commences in the month of July, 2000 for manual LMU. Mechanized LMU is available for limited deployment at the end of July, 2000 to those CLECs that have effective X-Digital Subscriber Line (xDSL) Beta Test Agreements in place with BellSouth.

2.14.2 Submitting Loop Makeup Service Inquiries

2.14.2.1 NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be able to obtain LMU information by submitting a LMUSI mechanically or manually. **Mechanized** LMUSIs should be submitted through BellSouth's Operational Support Systems interfaces. After obtaining the resulting loop data from the mechanized LMUSI process, if NEW EDGE NETWORKS determines that it needs further loop data information in order to make a determination of loop service capability, NEW EDGE NETWORKS may initiate a separate manual SI for a separate nonrecurring charge as set forth in Section 2.14.3.

2.14.2.2 **Manual** LMUSIs shall be submitted on the preordering manual LMUSI form by means of fax or electronic-mail to BellSouth's Complex Resale Support Group (CRSG)/Account Team utilizing the Preordering Loop Makeup Service Inquiry form. The standard service interval for the return of a Loop Makeup Manual Service Inquiry is seven business days. This service interval is distinct from the interval applied to the subsequent service order. Manual LMUSIs are not subject to expedite requests.

2.14.3 LMUSI Types & Associated Charges

NEW EDGE NETWORKS may request LMU information by submitting LMUSIs in accordance with the rate elements in Exhibit D.

2.14.3.1 NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be assessed a nonrecurring charge for each facility queried as specified in the table above. Rates for all states are interim and subject to true-up pending approval of final rates by the respective State Commissions. True-ups will be retroactive to the effective date of this Agreement.

2.14.3.2 NEW EDGE NETWORKS may reserve facilities for up to four (4) days in connection with a LMUSI. Reserved facilities for which NEW EDGE

NETWORKS does not plan to place a UNE local service request (LSR) should be cancelled by NEW EDGE NETWORKS. Should NEW EDGE NETWORKS wish to cancel a reservation on a spare facility, the cancellation will require a facility reservation number (RESID/FRN).

2.14.3.3 The reservation holding timeframe is a maximum of four days from the time that BellSouth's LMU data is returned to NEW EDGE NETWORKS for the facility queried. During this holding time and prior to NEW EDGE NETWORKS's placing an LSR, the reserved facilities are rendered unavailable to other customers, whether for CLEC(s) or for BellSouth. Notwithstanding the foregoing, BellSouth does not guarantee that a reservation will assure NEW EDGE NETWORKS's ability to order the exact facility reserved.

2.14.3.4 If NEW EDGE NETWORKS does not submit an LSR for a UNE service order on a reserved facility within the four-day reservation timeframe, the reservation of that spare facility will become invalid and the facility will be released.

2.14.3.5 Charges for preordering LMUSI are separate from any charges associated with ordering other services from BellSouth.

2.14.4 Ordering of Other UNE Services

2.14.4.1 Whenever NEW EDGE NETWORKS has reserved a facility through BellSouth's preordering LMU service, should NEW EDGE NETWORKS seek to place a subsequent UNE LSR on a reserved facility, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall provide BellSouth the RESID/FRN of the single spare facility on the appropriate UNE LSR., NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be billed the appropriate rate element for the specific type UNE loop ordered by NEW EDGE NETWORKS as set forth in this Attachment. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will not be billed any additional Loop Makeup charges for the loop so ordered. Should NEW EDGE NETWORKS choose to place a UNE LSR having previously submitted a request for *preordering LMU without a reservation*, NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be billed the appropriate rate element for the specific UNE loop ordered as well as additional Loop Markup charges as set forth in this Attachment. Rates are provided in the UNE Rate Exhibits for Attachment 2.

2.14.4.2 Where NEW EDGE NETWORKS submits an LSR to order facilities reserved during the LMUSI process, BellSouth will use its best efforts to assign to NEW EDGE NETWORKS the facility reserved as indicated on the return of the LMU. Multi-facility reservations per single RESID/FRN as provided with the mechanized LMUSI process are less likely to result in the specific assignment requested by NEW EDGE NETWORKS. For those occasions when BellSouth's assignment system cannot assign the specific facility reserved by NEW EDGE NETWORKS during the LMU pre-ordering transaction, BellSouth will assign to NEW EDGE NETWORKS, subject to availability, a facility that meets the BellSouth technical standards of the BellSouth type loop as ordered by NEW

EDGE NETWORKS. If the ordered loop type is not available, NEW EDGE NETWORKS may utilize the Unbundled Loop Modification process or the Special Construction process, as applicable, to obtain the loop type ordered.

2.14.4.3 BellSouth offers LMU information for the sole purpose of allowing NEW EDGE NETWORKS to determine whether, in CLEC's judgment, BellSouth's loops will support the specific services that NEW EDGE NETWORKS wishes to provide over those loops. NEW EDGE NETWORKS may choose to use equipment that it deems will enable it to provide a certain type and level of service over a particular BellSouth loop; however, such configurations may not match BellSouth's or the industry's standards and specifications for the intended type and level of service. Accordingly, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall be responsible for insuring that the specific loop type (ADSL, HDSL, or otherwise) ordered on the LSR matches the LMU of the facility requested. NEW EDGE NETWORKS bears full responsibility for being knowledgeable of BellSouth's technical standards and the specifications of BellSouth's loops. NEW EDGE NETWORKS bears full responsibility for making the appropriate ordering decisions of matching BellSouth loops with NEW EDGE NETWORKS's equipment for accomplishing NEW EDGE NETWORKS's end goal for the intended service it wishes to provide its end-user(s). NEW EDGE NETWORKS is fully responsible for any of its service configurations that may differ from BellSouth's technical standard for the loop type ordered.

3. High Frequency Spectrum Network Element

3.1 General

3.1.1 BellSouth shall provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS access to the high frequency portion of the local loop as an unbundled network element ("High Frequency Spectrum") at the rates set forth in Exhibit D. BellSouth shall provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with the High Frequency Spectrum irrespective of whether BellSouth chooses to offer xDSL services on the loop.

3.1.2 The High Frequency Spectrum is defined as the frequency range above the voiceband on a copper loop facility carrying analog circuit-switched voiceband transmissions. Access to the High Frequency Spectrum is intended to allow NEW EDGE NETWORKS the ability to provide Digital Subscriber Line ("xDSL") data services to the end user for which BellSouth provides voice services. The High Frequency Spectrum shall be available for any version of xDSL presumed acceptable for deployment pursuant to 47 C.F.R. Section 51.230, including, but not limited to, ADSL, RADSL, and any other xDSL technology that is presumed to be acceptable for deployment pursuant to FCC rules. BellSouth will continue to have access to the low frequency portion of the loop spectrum (from 300 Hertz to at least 3000 Hertz, and potentially up to 3400 Hertz, depending on equipment

and facilities) for the purposes of providing voice service. NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall only use xDSL technology that is within the PSD mask parameters set forth in T1.413 or other applicable industry standards. NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall provision xDSL service on the High Frequency Spectrum in accordance with the applicable Technical Specifications and Standards.

3.1.3 The following loop requirements are necessary for NEW EDGE NETWORKS to be able to access the High Frequency Spectrum: an unconditioned, 2-wire copper loop. An unconditioned loop is a copper loop with no load coils, low-pass filters, range extenders, DAMLs, or similar devices and minimal bridged taps consistent with ANSI T1.413 and T1.601. The process of removing such devices is called "conditioning." BellSouth shall charge and NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay as interim rates, the same rates that BellSouth charges for conditioning stand-alone loops (e.g.,unbundled copper loops, ADSL loops, and HDSL loops) until permanent pricing for loop conditioning is established either by mutual agreement or by a state public utility commission. The interim costs for conditioning are subject to true up as provided in paragraph 4.0. BellSouth will condition loops to enable NEW EDGE NETWORKS to provide xDSL-based services on the same loops the incumbent is providing analog voice service, regardless of loop length. BellSouth is not required to condition a loop for shared-line xDSL if conditioning of that loop significantly degrades BellSouth's voice service. BellSouth shall charge, and NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay, for such conditioning the same rates BellSouth charges for conditioning stand-alone loops (e.g., unbundled copper loops, ADSL loops, and HDSL loops.) If NEW EDGE NETWORKS requests that BellSouth condition a loop longer than 18,000 ft. and such conditioning significantly degrades the voice services on the loop, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay for the loop to be restored to its original state.

3.1.4 NEW EDGE NETWORKS's termination point is the point of termination for NEW EDGE NETWORKS on the toll main distributing frame in the central office ("Termination Point"). BellSouth will use jumpers to connect the NEW EDGE NETWORKS's connecting block to the splitter. The splitter will route the High Frequency Spectrum on the circuit to the NEW EDGE NETWORKS's xDSL equipment in the NEW EDGE NETWORKS's collocation space.

3.1.5 NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall have access to the splitter for test purposes, irrespective of where the splitter is placed in the BellSouth premises.

3.2 Provisioning of High Frequency Spectrum and Splitter Space

3.2.1 BellSouth will provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with access to the High Frequency Spectrum as follows:

3.2.1.1 BellSouth is unable to obtain a sufficient number of splitters for placement in all central offices requested by competitive local exchange carriers ("CLECs") by

June 6, 2000. Therefore, BellSouth, NEW EDGE NETWORKS and other CLECs have developed a process for allocating the initial orders of splitters. BellSouth will install all splitters ordered on or before April 26, 2000, in accordance with the schedule set forth in Attachment 1 of this Agreement. Once all splitters ordered by all CLECs on or before April 26, 2000, have been installed, BellSouth will install splitters within forty-two (42) calendar days of NEW EDGE NETWORKS's submission of such order to the BellSouth Complex Resale Support Group; provided, however, that in the event BellSouth did not have reasonable notice that a particular central office was to have a splitter installed therein, the forty-two (42) day interval shall not apply. Collocation itself or an application for collocation will serve as reasonable notice. BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS will reevaluate this forty-two (42) day interval on or before August 1, 2000.

3.2.1.2 After June 6, 2000, once a splitter is installed on behalf of NEW EDGE NETWORKS in a central office, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall be entitled to order the High Frequency Spectrum on lines served out of that central office.

3.2.1.3 BellSouth will select, purchase, install, and maintain a central office POTS splitter and provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS access to data ports on the splitter. In the event that BellSouth elects to use a brand of splitter other than Siecor, the Parties shall renegotiate the recurring and non-recurring rates associated with the splitter. In the event the Parties cannot agree upon such rates, the then current rates (final or interim) for the Siecor splitter shall be the interim rates for the new splitter. BellSouth will provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with a carrier notification letter at least 30 days before such change and shall work collaboratively with NEW EDGE NETWORKS to select a mutually agreeable brand of splitter for use by BellSouth. NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall thereafter purchase ports on the splitter as set forth more fully below.

3.2.1.4 BellSouth will install the splitter in (i) a common area close to the NEW EDGE NETWORKS collocation area, if possible; or (ii) in a BellSouth relay rack as close to the NEW EDGE NETWORKS DS0 termination point as possible. For purposes of this section, a common area is defined as an area in the central office in which both Parties have access to a common test access point. BellSouth will cross-connect the splitter data ports to a specified NEW EDGE NETWORKS DS0 at such time that a NEW EDGE NETWORKS end user's service is established.

3.2.1.5 The High Frequency Spectrum shall only be available on loops on which BellSouth is also providing, and continues to provide, analog voice service directly to the end user. In the event the end-user terminates its BellSouth provided voice service for any reason, and NEW EDGE NETWORKS desires to continue providing xDSL service on such loop, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall be required to purchase the full stand-alone loop unbundled network element. However, if the end user terminates service with BellSouth because it is changing voice service to a voice providing CLEC, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall only

be permitted to continue to use the loop if there is another loop physically available to the voice providing CLEC. In the event BellSouth disconnects the end-user's voice service pursuant to its tariffs or applicable law, and NEW EDGE NETWORKS desires to continue providing xDSL service on such loop, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall be permitted to continue using the line by purchasing the full stand-alone loop unbundled network element. BellSouth shall give NEW EDGE NETWORKS notice in a reasonable time prior to disconnect, which notice shall give NEW EDGE NETWORKS an adequate opportunity to notify BellSouth of its intent to purchase such loop. The Parties shall work collaboratively towards the mode of notification and the time periods for notice. In those cases in which BellSouth no longer provides voice service to the end user and NEW EDGE NETWORKS purchases the full stand-alone loop, NEW EDGE NETWORKS may elect the type of loop it will purchase. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will pay the appropriate recurring and non-recurring rates for such loop as set for in Attachment 2 of the Agreement. In the event NEW EDGE NETWORKS purchases a voice grade loop, NEW EDGE NETWORKS acknowledges that such loop may not remain xDSL compatible.

3.2.1.6 NEW EDGE NETWORKS and BellSouth shall continue to work together collaboratively to develop systems and processes for provisioning the High Frequency Spectrum in various real life scenarios. BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS agree that NEW EDGE NETWORKS is entitled to purchase the High Frequency Spectrum on a loop that is provisioned over fiber fed digital loop carrier. BellSouth will provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with access to feeder sub-loops at UNE prices. BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS will work together to establish methods and procedures for providing NEW EDGE NETWORKS access to the High Frequency Spectrum over fiber fed digital loop carriers.

3.3 Only one competitive local exchange carrier shall be permitted access to the High Frequency Spectrum of any particular loop

3.3.1 To order High Frequency Spectrum on a particular loop, NEW EDGE NETWORKS must have a DSLAM collocated in the central office that serves the end-user of such loop. BellSouth will work collaboratively with NEW EDGE NETWORKS to create a concurrent process that allows NEW EDGE NETWORKS to order splitters in central offices where NEW EDGE NETWORKS is in the process of obtaining collocation space and enables BellSouth to install such splitters before the end of NEW EDGE NETWORKS's collocation provisioning interval. While that process is being developed, NEW EDGE NETWORKS may order splitters in a central office once it has installed its Digital Subscriber Line Access Multiplexer ("DSLAM") in that central office. BellSouth will install these splitters within the interval provided in paragraph 3.2.1.1.

3.3.2 BellSouth will devise a splitter order form that allows NEW EDGE NETWORKS to order splitter ports in increments of 24 or 96 ports.

3.3.2.1 BellSouth will provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS the Local Service Request ("LSR") format to be used when ordering the High Frequency Spectrum.

3.3.3 BellSouth will initially provide access to the High Frequency Spectrum within the following intervals: Beginning on June 6, 2000, BellSouth will return a Firm Order Confirmation ("FOC") in no more than two (2) business days after receipt of a valid, error free LSR. BellSouth will provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with access to the High Frequency Spectrum as follows:

3.3.3.1 For 1-5 lines at the same address within three (3) business days from the receipt of NEW EDGE NETWORKS's FOC; 6-10 lines at same address within 5 business days from the receipt of NEW EDGE NETWORKS's FOC; and more than 10 lines at the same address is to be negotiated. BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS will re-evaluate these intervals on or before August 1, 2000.

3.3.4 NEW EDGE NETWORKS will initially use BellSouth's existing pre-qualification functionality and order processes to pre-qualify line and order the High Frequency Spectrum. NEW EDGE NETWORKS and BellSouth will continue to work together to modify these functionalities and processes to better support provisioning the High Frequency Spectrum. BellSouth will use its best efforts to make available to NEW EDGE NETWORKS, by the fourth quarter of 2000, an electronic pre-ordering, ordering, provisioning, repair and maintenance and billing functionalities for the High Frequency Spectrum.

3.4 Maintenance and Repair

3.4.1 NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall have access, for test, repair, and maintenance purposes, to any loop as to which it has access to the High Frequency Spectrum. NEW EDGE NETWORKS may access the loop at the point where the combined voice and data signal exits the central office splitter.

3.4.2 BellSouth will be responsible for repairing voice services and the physical line between the network interface device at the customer premise and the Termination Point of demarcation in the central office. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be responsible for repairing data services. Each Party will be responsible for maintaining its own equipment.

3.4.3 If the problem encountered appears to impact primarily the xDSL service, the end user should call NEW EDGE NETWORKS. If the problem impacts primarily the voice service, the end user should call BellSouth. If both services are impaired, the recipient of the call should coordinate with the other service provider(s).

3.4.4 BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS will work together to diagnose and resolve any troubles reported by the end-user and to develop a process for repair

of lines as to which NEW EDGE NETWORKS has access to the High Frequency Spectrum. The Parties will continue to work together to address customer initiated repair requests and other customer impacting maintenance issues to better support unbundling of High Frequency Spectrum.

3.4.5 The Parties will be responsible for testing and isolating troubles on its respective portion of the loop. Once a Party ("Reporting Party") has isolated a trouble to the other Party's ("Repairing Party") portion of the loop, the Reporting Party will notify the Repairing Party that the trouble is on the Repairing Party's portion of the loop. The Repairing Party will take the actions necessary to repair the loop if it determines a trouble exists in its portion of the loop.

3.4.6 If a trouble is reported on either Party's portion of the loop and no trouble actually exists, the Repairing Party may charge the Reporting Party for any dispatching and testing (both inside and outside the central office) required by the Repairing Party in order to confirm the loop's working status.

3.4.7 In the event NEW EDGE NETWORKS's deployment of xDSL on the High Frequency Spectrum significantly degrades the performance of other advanced services or of BellSouth's voice service on the same loop, BellSouth shall notify NEW EDGE NETWORKS and allow twenty-four (24) hours to cure the trouble. If NEW EDGE NETWORKS fails to resolve the trouble, BellSouth may discontinue NEW EDGE NETWORKS's access to the High Frequency Spectrum on such loop.

3.5 Pricing

3.5.1 BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS agree to the following negotiated, interim rates for the High Frequency Spectrum. All interim prices will be subject to true up based on either mutually agreed to permanent pricing or permanent pricing established in a line sharing cost proceeding conducted by state public utility commissions. In the event interim prices are established by state public utility commissions before permanent prices are established, either through arbitration or some other mechanism, the interim prices established in this Agreement will be changed to reflect the interim prices mandated by the state public utility commissions; however, no true up will be performed until mutually agreed to permanent prices are established or permanent prices are established by state public utility commissions. Once a docket in a particular state in BellSouth's region has been opened to determine permanent prices for the High Frequency Spectrum, BellSouth will provide cost studies for that state for the High Frequency Spectrum upon NEW EDGE NETWORKS's written request, within 30 days or such other date as may be ordered by a state commission. All cost related information shall be provided pursuant to a proprietary, non-disclosure agreement.

3.5.2 BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS enter into this Agreement without waiving current or future relevant legal rights and without prejudicing any

position BellSouth or NEW EDGE NETWORKS may take on relevant issues before state or federal regulatory or legislative bodies or courts of competent jurisdiction. This clause specifically contemplates but is not limited to: (a) the positions BellSouth or NEW EDGE NETWORKS may take in any cost docket related to the terms and conditions associated with access to the High Frequency Spectrum; and (b) the positions that BellSouth or NEW EDGE NETWORKS might take before the FCC or any state public utility commission related to the terms and conditions under which BellSouth must provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with access to the High Frequency Spectrum. The interim rates set forth herein were adopted as a result of a compromise between the parties and do not reflect either party's position as to final rates for access to the High Frequency Spectrum.

4. Switching

All of the negotiated rates, terms and conditions set forth in this Section pertain to the provision of local and tandem switching.

4.1 Local Switching

4.1.1 BellSouth shall provide non-discriminatory access to local circuit switching capability, and local tandem switching capability, on an unbundled basis, except as set forth below in Section 4.1.3.3 to NEW EDGE NETWORKS for the provision of a telecommunications service. BellSouth shall provide non-discriminatory access to packet switching capability on an unbundled basis to NEW EDGE NETWORKS for the provision of a telecommunications service only in the limited circumstance described below in Section 4.4.6.

4.1.2 Except as otherwise provided herein, BellSouth shall not impose any restrictions on NEW EDGE NETWORKS regarding the use of Switching Capabilities purchased from BellSouth provided such use does not result in demonstrable harm to either the BellSouth network or personnel or the use of the BellSouth network by BellSouth or any other telecommunication carrier.

4.1.3 Local Circuit Switching Capability, including Tandem Switching Capability

4.1.3.1 Definition

Local Circuit Switching Capability is defined as: (A) line-side facilities, which include, but are not limited to, the connection between a loop termination at a main distribution frame and a switch line card; (B) trunk-side facilities, which include, but are not limited to, the connection between trunk termination at a trunk-side cross-connect panel and a switch trunk card; and (C) All features, functions, and capabilities of the switch, which include, but are not limited to: (1) the basic switching function of connecting lines to lines, line to trunks, trunks to

lines, and trunks to trunks, as well as the same basic capabilities made available to BellSouth's customers, such as a telephone number, white page listings, and dial tone; and (2) all other features that the switch is capable of providing, including but not limited to customer calling, customer local area signaling service features, and Centrex, as well as any technically feasible customized routing functions provided by the switch; (D) switching provided by remote switching modules.

4.1.3.2 Notwithstanding BellSouth's general duty to unbundle local circuit switching, BellSouth shall not be required to unbundle local circuit switching for NEW EDGE NETWORKS when NEW EDGE NETWORKS serves end-users with four (4) or more voice-grade (DS-0) equivalents or lines in locations served by BellSouth's local circuit switches, which are in the following MSAs: Atlanta, GA; Miami, FL; Orlando, FL; Ft. Lauderdale, FL; Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, NC; Greensboro-Winston Salem-High Point, NC; Nashville, TN; and New Orleans, LA, and BellSouth has provided non-discriminatory cost based access to the Enhanced Extended Link (EEL) throughout Density Zone 1 as determined by NECA Tariff No. 4 as in effect on January 1, 1999.

4.1.3.3 In the event that NEW EDGE NETWORKS orders local circuit switching for a single end user account name at a single physical end user location with four (4) or more two (2) wire voice-grade loops from a BellSouth central office listed on Exhibit A, BellSouth's sole recourse shall be to charge NEW EDGE NETWORKS the market based rate in Exhibit D for use of the local circuit switching functionality for the affected facilities.

4.1.3.4 A featureless port is one that has a line port, switching facilities, and an interoffice port. A featured port is a port that includes all features then capable or a number of then capable features specifically requested by NEW EDGE NETWORKS. Any features that are not currently then capable but are technically feasible through the switch can be requested through the BFR process.

4.1.3.5 BellSouth will provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS customized routing of calls: (i) to a requested directory assistance services platform; (ii) to an operator services platform pursuant to Section 10 of Attachment 2; (iii) for NEW EDGE NETWORKS's PIC'ed toll traffic in a two (2) PIC environment to an alternative OS/DA platform designated by NEW EDGE NETWORKS. NEW EDGE NETWORKS customers may use the same dialing arrangements as BellSouth customers.

4.1.3.6 Remote Switching Module functionality is included in Switching Capability. The switching capabilities used will be based on the line side features they support.

4.1.3.7 Switching Capability will also be capable of routing local, intraLATA, interLATA, and calls to international customer's preferred carrier; call features (e.g. call forwarding) and Centrex capabilities.

4.1.3.8 Where required to do so in order to comply with an effective Commission order, BellSouth will provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS purchasing local BellSouth switching and reselling BellSouth local exchange service under Attachment 1, selective routing of calls to a requested directory assistance services platform or operator services platform. NEW EDGE NETWORKS customers may use the same dialing arrangements as BellSouth customers, but obtain a NEW EDGE NETWORKS branded service.

4.1.4 Technical Requirements

4.1.4.1 The requirements set forth in this Section apply to Local Switching, but not to the Data Switching function of Local Switching.

4.1.4.2 Local Switching shall be equal to or better than the requirements for Local Switching set forth in the applicable industry standard technical references.

4.1.4.3 When applicable, BellSouth shall route calls to the appropriate trunk or lines for call origination or termination.

4.1.4.4 Subject to this section, BellSouth shall route calls on a per line or per screening class basis to (1) BellSouth platforms providing Network Elements or additional requirements (2) Operator Services platforms, (3) Directory Assistance platforms, and (4) Repair Centers. Any other routing requests by NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be made pursuant to the Bona Fide Request/ New Business Request Process as set forth in General Terms and Conditions.

4.1.4.5 BellSouth shall provide unbranded recorded announcements and call progress tones to alert callers of call progress and disposition.

4.1.4.6 BellSouth shall activate service for an NEW EDGE NETWORKS customer or network interconnection on any of the Local Switching interfaces. This includes provisioning changes to change a customer from BellSouth's services to NEW EDGE NETWORKS's services without loss of switch feature functionality as defined in this Agreement.

4.1.4.7 BellSouth shall perform routine testing (e.g., Mechanized Loop Tests (MLT) and test calls such as 105, 107 and 108 type calls) and fault isolation on a mutually agreed upon schedule.

4.1.4.8 BellSouth shall repair and restore any equipment or any other maintainable component that may adversely impact Local Switching.

4.1.4.9 BellSouth shall control congestion points such as those caused by radio station call-ins, and network routing abnormalities. All traffic shall be restricted in a non-discriminatory manner.

4.1.4.10 BellSouth shall perform manual call trace and permit customer originated call trace.

4.1.4.11 Special Services provided by BellSouth will include the following:

4.1.4.11.1 Telephone Service Prioritization;

4.1.4.11.2 Related services for handicapped;

4.1.4.11.3 Soft dial tone where required by law; and

4.1.4.11.4 Any other service required by law.

4.1.4.12 BellSouth shall provide Switching Service Point (SSP) capabilities and signaling software to interconnect the signaling links destined to the Signaling Transfer Point Switch (STPS). These capabilities shall adhere to the technical specifications set forth in the applicable industry standard technical references.

4.1.4.13 BellSouth shall provide interfaces to adjuncts through Telcordia (formerly BellCore) standard interfaces. These adjuncts can include, but are not limited to, the Service Circuit Node and Automatic Call Distributors.

4.1.4.14 BellSouth shall provide performance data regarding a customer line, traffic characteristics or other measurable elements to NEW EDGE NETWORKS, upon a reasonable request from NEW EDGE NETWORKS. CLEC will pay BellSouth for all costs incurred to provide such performance data through the Business Opportunity Request process.

4.1.4.15 BellSouth shall offer Local Switching that provides feature offerings at parity to those provided by BellSouth to itself or any other Party.

4.1.4.16 BellSouth shall offer to NEW EDGE NETWORKS all AIN triggers in connection with its SMS/SCE offering which are supported by BellSouth for offering AIN-based services

4.1.4.17 Where capacity exists, BellSouth shall assign each NEW EDGE NETWORKS customer line the class of service designated by NEW EDGE NETWORKS (e.g., using line class codes or other switch specific provisioning methods), and shall route directory assistance calls from NEW EDGE NETWORKS customers to NEW EDGE NETWORKS directory assistance operators at NEW EDGE NETWORKS's option.

4.1.4.18 Where capacity exists, BellSouth shall assign each NEW EDGE NETWORKS customer line the class of services designated by NEW EDGE NETWORKS (e.g., using line class codes or other switch specific provisioning methods) and shall route operator calls from NEW EDGE NETWORKS customers to NEW EDGE NETWORKS operators at NEW EDGE NETWORKS's option. For example,

BellSouth may translate 0- and 0+ intraLATA traffic, and route the call through appropriate trunks to an NEW EDGE NETWORKS Operator Services Position System (OSPS). Calls from Local Switching must pass the ANI-II digits unchanged.

4.1.4.19 Local Switching shall be offered in accordance with the technical specifications set forth in the applicable industry standard references.

4.1.5 Interface Requirements BellSouth shall provide the following interfaces to loops:

4.1.5.1 Standard Tip/Ring interface including loopstart or groundstart, on-hook signaling (e.g., for calling number, calling name and message waiting lamp);

4.1.5.2 Coin phone signaling;

4.1.5.3 Basic Rate Interface ISDN adhering to appropriate Telcordia (formerly BellCore) Technical Requirements;

4.1.5.4 Two-wire analog interface to PBX;

4.1.5.5 Four-wire analog interface to PBX;

4.1.5.6 Four-wire DS1 interface to PBX or customer provided equipment (e.g. computers and voice response systems);

4.1.5.7 Primary Rate ISDN to PBX adhering to ANSI standards Q.931, Q.932 and appropriate Telcordia (formerly BellCore) Technical Requirements;

4.1.5.8 Switched Fractional DS1 with capabilities to configure Nx64 channels (where N = 1 to 24); and

4.1.5.9 Loops adhering to Telcordia (formerly BellCore) TR-NWT-08 and TR-NWT-303 specifications to interconnect Digital Loop Carriers.

4.1.6 BellSouth shall provide access to the following but not limited to:

4.1.6.1 SS7 Signaling Network or Multi-Frequency trunking if requested by NEW EDGE NETWORKS;

4.1.6.2 Interface to NEW EDGE NETWORKS operator services systems or Operator Services through appropriate trunk interconnections for the system; and

4.1.6.3 Interface to NEW EDGE NETWORKS Directory Assistance Services through the NEW EDGE NETWORKS switched network or to Directory Assistance Services through the appropriate trunk interconnections for the system; and 950 access or other NEW EDGE NETWORKS required access to interexchange carriers as requested through appropriate trunk interfaces.

4.2 **Tandem Switching**

4.2.1 Definition

Tandem Switching is the function that establishes a communications path between two switching offices through a third switching office (the Tandem switch).

4.2.2 Technical Requirements

Tandem Switching shall have the same capabilities or equivalent capabilities as those described in Bell Communications Research TR-TSY-000540 Issue 2R2, Tandem Supplement, 6/1/90. The requirements for Tandem Switching include, but are not limited to the following:

4.2.2.1 Tandem Switching shall provide signaling to establish a tandem connection;

4.2.2.2 Tandem Switching will provide screening as jointly agreed to by NEW EDGE NETWORKS and BellSouth;

4.2.2.3 Tandem Switching shall provide Advanced Intelligent Network triggers supporting AIN features where such routing is not available from the originating end office switch, to the extent such Tandem switch has such capability;

4.2.2.4 Tandem Switching shall provide access to Toll Free number portability database as designated by NEW EDGE NETWORKS;

4.2.2.5 Tandem Switching shall provide all trunk interconnections discussed under the "Network Interconnection" section (e.g., SS7, MF, DTMF, DialPulse, PRI-ISDN, DID, and CAMA-ANI (if appropriate for 911));

4.2.2.6 Tandem Switching shall provide connectivity to PSAPs where 911 solutions are deployed and the tandem is used for 911; and

4.2.2.7 Where appropriate, Tandem Switching shall provide connectivity to transit traffic to and from other carriers.

4.2.3 Tandem Switching shall accept connections (including the necessary signaling and trunking interconnections) between end offices, other tandems, IXCs, ICOs, CAPs and CLEC switches.

4.2.4 Tandem Switching shall provide local tandeming functionality between two end offices including two offices belonging to different CLEC's (e.g., between a CLEC end office and the end office of another CLEC).

4.2.5 Tandem Switching shall preserve CLASS/LASS features and Caller ID as traffic is processed.

4.2.6 Tandem Switching shall record billable events and send them to the area billing centers designated by NEW EDGE NETWORKS. Tandem Switching will provide recording of all billable events as jointly agreed to by NEW EDGE NETWORKS and BellSouth.

4.2.7 Upon a reasonable request from NEW EDGE NETWORKS, BellSouth shall perform routine testing and fault isolation on the underlying switch that is providing Tandem Switching and all its interconnections. The results and reports of the testing shall be made immediately available to NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

4.2.8 BellSouth shall maintain NEW EDGE NETWORKS's trunks and interconnections associated with Tandem Switching at least at parity to its own trunks and interconnections.

4.2.9 BellSouth shall control congestion points and network abnormalities. All traffic will be restricted in a non-discriminatory manner.

4.2.10 Selective Call Routing through the use of line class codes is not available through the use of tandem switching. Selective Call Routing through the use of line class codes is an end office capability only. Detailed primary and overflow routing plans for all interfaces available within BellSouth's switching network shall be mutually agreed to by NEW EDGE NETWORKS and BellSouth.

4.2.11 Tandem Switching shall process originating toll-free traffic received from NEW EDGE NETWORKS's local switch.

4.2.12 In support of AIN triggers and features, Tandem Switching shall provide SSP capabilities when these capabilities are not available from the Local Switching Network Element, to the extent such Tandem Switch has such capability.

4.2.13 Interface Requirements

4.2.13.1 Tandem Switching shall provide interconnection to the E911 PSAP where the underlying Tandem is acting as the E911 Tandem.

4.2.13.2 Tandem Switching shall interconnect, with direct trunks, to all carriers with which BellSouth interconnects.

4.2.13.3 BellSouth shall provide all signaling necessary to provide Tandem Switching with no loss of feature functionality.

4.2.13.4 Tandem Switching shall interconnect with NEW EDGE NETWORKS's switch, using two-way trunks, for traffic that is transiting via BellSouth's network to interLATA or intraLATA carriers. At NEW EDGE NETWORKS's request, Tandem Switching shall record and keep records of traffic for billing.

4.2.13.5 Tandem Switching shall provide an alternate final routing pattern for NEW EDGE NETWORKS's traffic overflowing from direct end office high usage trunk groups.

4.2.13.6 Tandem Switching shall be equal or better than the requirements for Tandem Switching set forth in the applicable technical references.

4.3 **AIN Selective Carrier Routing for Operator Services, Directory Assistance and Repair Centers**

4.3.1 BellSouth will provide AIN Selective Carrier Routing at the request of NEW EDGE NETWORKS. AIN Selective Carrier Routing will provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with the capability of routing operator calls, 0+ and 0- and 0+ NPA (LNPA) 555-1212 directory assistance, 1+411 directory assistance and 611 repair center calls to pre-selected destinations.

4.3.2 NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall order AIN Selective Carrier Routing through its Account Team. AIN Selective Carrier Routing must first be established regionally and then on a per central office, per state basis.

4.3.3 AIN Selective Carrier Routing is not available in DMS 10 switches.

4.3.4 Where AIN Selective Carrier Routing is utilized by NEW EDGE NETWORKS, the routing of NEW EDGE NETWORKS's end user calls shall be pursuant to information provided by NEW EDGE NETWORKS and stored in BellSouth's AIN Selective Carrier Routing Service Control Point database. AIN Selective Carrier Routing shall utilize a set of Line Class Codes (LCCs) unique to a basic class of service assigned on an 'as needed basis. The same LCCs will be assigned in each central office where AIN Selective Carrier Routing is established.

4.3.5 Upon ordering of AIN Selective Carrier Routing Regional Service, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall remit to BellSouth the Regional Service Order non-recurring charges set forth in Exhibit D of this Attachment. There shall be a non-recurring End Office Establishment Charge per office due at the addition of each central office where AIN Selective Carrier Routing will be utilized. Said non-recurring charge shall be as set forth in Exhibit D of this Attachment. For each NEW EDGE NETWORKS end user activated, there shall be a non-recurring End User Establishment charge as set forth in Exhibit D of this Attachment, payable to BellSouth pursuant to the terms of the General Terms and Conditions, incorporated herein by this reference. NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay the AIN Selective Carrier Routing Per Query Charge set forth in Exhibit D of this Attachment.

4.3.6 This Regional Service Order non-recurring charge will be non-refundable and will be paid with 1/2 coming up-front with the submission of all fully completed required forms, including: Regional Selective Carrier Routing (SCR) Order

Request-Form A, Central Office AIN Selective Carrier Routing (SCR) Order Request - Form B, AIN_SCR Central Office Identification Form - Form C, AIN_SCR Routing Options Selection Form - Form D, and Routing Combinations Table - Form E. BellSouth has 30 days to respond to the client's fully completed firm order as a Regional Service Order. With the delivery of this firm order response to the client, BellSouth considers that the delivery schedule of this service commences. The remaining 1/2 of the Regional Service Order payment must be paid when at least 90% of the Central Offices listed on the original order have been turned up for the service.

4.3.7 The non-recurring End Office Establishment Charge will be billed to the client following our normal monthly billing cycle for this type of order.

4.3.8 End-User Establishment Orders will not be turned-up until the 2nd payment is received for the Regional Service Order. The non-recurring End-User Establishment Charges will be billed to the client following our normal monthly billing cycle for this type of order.

4.3.9 Additionally, the AIN Selective Carrier Routing Per Query Charge will be billed to the client following the normal billing cycle for per query charges.

4.3.10 All other network components needed, for example, unbundled switching and unbundled local transport, etc, will be billed according per contracted rates.

4.4 **Packet Switching Capability**

4.4.1 Definition

Packet Switching Capability. The packet switching capability network element is defined as the basic packet switching function of routing or forwarding packets, frames, cells or other data units based on address or other routing information contained in the packets, frames, cells or other data units, and the functions that are performed by Digital Subscriber Line Access Mulitplexers, including but not limited to:

4.4.2 The ability to terminate copper customer loops (which includes both a low band voice channel and a high-band data channel, or solely a data channel);

4.4.3 The ability to forward the voice channels, if present, to a circuit switch or multiple circuit switches;

4.4.4 The ability to extract data units from the data channels on the loops, and

4.4.5 The ability to combine data units from multiple loops onto one or more trunks connecting to a packet switch or packet switches.

4.4.6 BellSouth shall be required to provide non-discriminatory access to unbundled packet switching capability only where each of the following conditions are satisfied:

4.4.6.1 BellSouth has deployed digital loop carrier systems, including but not limited to, integrated digital loop carrier or universal digital loop carrier systems; or has deployed any other system in which fiber optic facilities replace copper facilities in the distribution section (e.g., end office to remote terminal, pedestal or environmentally controlled vault);

4.4.6.2 There are no spare copper loops capable of supporting the xDSL services NEW EDGE NETWORKS seeks to offer;

4.4.6.3 BellSouth has not permitted NEW EDGE NETWORKS to deploy a Digital Subscriber Line Access Multiplexer at the remote terminal, pedestal or environmentally controlled vault or other interconnection point, nor has the NEW EDGE NETWORKS obtained a virtual collocation arrangement at these sub-loop interconnection points as defined by 47 C.F.R. § 51.319 (b); and

4.4.6.4 BellSouth has deployed packet switching capability for its own use.

4.4.7 If there is a dispute as to whether BellSouth must provide Packet Switching , such dispute will be resolved according tot the dispute resolution process set forth in Section 12 of the General Terms and Conditions of this Agreement, incorporated herein by this reference.

4.6 **Interoffice Transmission Facilities**

BellSouth shall provide nondiscriminatory access, in accordance with FCC Rule 51.311 and Section 251(c)(3) of the Act, to interoffice transmission facilities on an unbundled basis to NEW EDGE NETWORKS for the provision of a telecommunications service.

4.7 **Rates**

The prices that NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay to BellSouth for Network Elements and Other Services are set forth in Exhibit D to this Attachment.

4.8 **Operational Support Systems (OSS)**

The terms, conditions and rates for OSS are as set forth in Section 2 of this Attachment.

5. Unbundled Network Element Combinations

5.1. Unbundled Network Element Combinations shall include: 1) Enhanced Extended Links (EELs) 2) UNE Loops/Special Access Combinations 3) Loop/Port Combinations and 4) Transport Combinations.

5.2. For purposes of this Section, references to "Currently Combined" network elements shall mean that such network elements are in fact already combined by BellSouth in the BellSouth network to provide service to a particular end user at a particular location.

5.3. EELs

5.3.1 Where facilities permit and where necessary to comply with an effective FCC and/or State Commission order, or as otherwise mutually agreed by the Parties, BellSouth shall offer access to loop and transport combinations, also known as the Enhanced Extended Link ("EEL") as defined in Section 5.3.2 below.

5.3.2 Subject to Section 5.3.3 below, BellSouth will provide access to the EEL in the combinations set forth in Section 5.3.4 following. This offering is intended to provide connectivity from an end user's location through that end user's SWC to NEW EDGE NETWORKS's POP serving wire center. The circuit must be connected to NEW EDGE NETWORKS's switch for the purpose of provisioning telephone exchange service to NEW EDGE NETWORKS's end-user customers. The EEL will be connected to NEW EDGE NETWORKS's facilities in NEW EDGE NETWORKS's collocation space at the POP SWC, or NEW EDGE NETWORKS may purchase BellSouth's access facilities between NEW EDGE NETWORKS's POP and NEW EDGE NETWORKS's collocation space at the POP SWC.

5.3.3 BellSouth shall provide EEL combinations to NEW EDGE NETWORKS in Georgia regardless of whether or not such EELs are Currently Combined. In all other states, BellSouth shall make available to NEW EDGE NETWORKS those EEL combinations described in Section 5.3.4 below only to the extent such combinations are Currently Combined. Furthermore, BellSouth will make available EEL combinations to NEW EDGE NETWORKS in density Zone 1, as defined in 47 C.F.R. 69.123 as of January 1, 1999, in the Atlanta, GA; Miami, FL; Orlando, FL; Ft. Lauderdale, FL; Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, NC; Greensboro-Winston Salem-High Point, NC; Nashville, TN; and New Orleans, LA, MSAs regardless of whether or not such EELs are Currently Combined. Except as stated above, EELs will be provided to NEW EDGE NETWORKS only to the extent such network elements are Currently Combined.

5.3.4 EEL Combinations

5.3.4.1 DS1 Interoffice Channel + DS1 Channelization + 2-wire VG Local Loop

5.3.4.2 DS1 Interoffice Channel + DS1 Channelization + 4-wire VG Local Loop

5.3.4.3 DS1 Interoffice Channel + DS1 Channelization + 2-wire ISDN Local Loop

5.3.4.4 DS1 Interoffice Channel + DS1 Channelization + 4-wire 56 kbps Local Loop

5.3.4.5 DS1 Interoffice Channel + DS1 Channelization + 4-wire 64 kbps Local Loop

5.3.4.6 DS1 Interoffice Channel + DS1 Local Loop

5.3.4.7 DS3 Interoffice Channel + DS3 Local Loop

5.3.4.8 STS-1 Interoffice Channel + STS-1 Local Loop

5.3.4.9 DS3 Interoffice Channel + DS3 Channelization + DS1 Local Loop

5.3.4.10 STS-1 Interoffice Channel + DS3 Channelization + DS1 Local Loop

5.3.4.11 2-wire VG Interoffice Channel + 2-wire VG Local Loop

5.3.4.12 4wire VG Interoffice Channel + 4-wire VG Local Loop

5.3.4.13 4-wire 56 kbps Interoffice Channel + 4-wire 56 kbps Local Loop

5.3.4.14 4-wire 64 kbps Interoffice Channel + 4-wire 64 kbps Local Loop

5.3.5 EEL combinations for DS1 level and above will be available only when NEW EDGE NETWORKS provides and handles at least one third of the end user's local traffic over the facility provided. In addition, on the DS1 loop portion of the combination, at least fifty (50) percent of the activated channels must have at least five (5) percent local voice traffic individually and, for the entire DS1 facility, at least ten (10) percent of the traffic must be local voice traffic.

5.3.6 When combinations of loop and transport network elements include multiplexing, each of the individual DS1 circuits must meet the above criteria.

5.3.7 Special Access Service Conversions

5.3.7.1 NEW EDGE NETWORKS may not convert special access services to combinations of loop and transport network elements, whether or not NEW EDGE NETWORKS self-provides its entrance facilities (or obtains entrance facilities from a third party), unless NEW EDGE NETWORKS uses the combination to provide a significant amount of local exchange service, in addition to exchange access service, to a particular customer. To the extent NEW EDGE NETWORKS requests to convert any special access services to combinations of loop and transport network elements at UNE prices, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall provide to BellSouth a letter certifying that NEW EDGE NETWORKS is providing a significant amount of local exchange service (as described in this Section) over such combinations. The certification letter shall also indicate under what local usage option NEW EDGE NETWORKS seeks to qualify for conversion

of special access circuits. NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall be deemed to be providing a significant amount of local exchange service over such combinations if one of the following options is met:

5.3.7.1.1 NEW EDGE NETWORKS certifies that it is the exclusive provider of an end user's local exchange service. The loop-transport combinations must terminate at NEW EDGE NETWORKS's collocation arrangement in at least one BellSouth central office. This option does not allow loop-transport combinations to be connected to BellSouth's tariffed services. Under this option, NEW EDGE NETWORKS is the end user's only local service provider, and thus, is providing more than a significant amount of local exchange service. NEW EDGE NETWORKS can then use the loop-transport combinations that serve the end user to carry any type of traffic, including using them to carry 100 percent interstate access traffic; or

5.3.7.1.2 NEW EDGE NETWORKS certifies that it provides local exchange and exchange access service to the end user customer's premises and handles at least one third of the end user customer's local traffic measured as a percent of total end user customer local dialtone lines; and for DS1 circuits and above, at least 50 percent of the activated channels on the loop portion of the loop-transport combination have at least 5 percent local voice traffic individually, and the entire loop facility has at least 10 percent local voice traffic. When a loop-transport combination includes multiplexing, each of the individual DS1 circuits must meet this criteria. The loop-transport combination must terminate at NEW EDGE NETWORKS's collocation arrangement in at least one BellSouth central office. This option does not allow loop-transport combinations to be connected to BellSouth tariffed services; or

5.3.7.1.3 NEW EDGE NETWORKS certifies that at least 50 percent of the activated channels on a circuit are used to provide originating and terminating local dialtone service and at least 50 percent of the traffic on each of these local dialtone channels is local voice traffic, and that the entire loop facility has at least 33 percent local voice traffic. When a loop-transport combination includes multiplexing, each of the individual DS1 circuits must meet this criteria. This option does not allow loop-transport combinations to be connected to BellSouth's tariffed services. Under this option, collocation is not required. NEW EDGE NETWORKS does not need to provide a defined portion of the end user's local service, but the active channels on any loop-transport combination, and the entire facility, must carry the amount of local exchange traffic specified in this option.

5.3.7.2 In addition, there may be extraordinary circumstances where NEW EDGE NETWORKS is providing a significant amount of local exchange service, but does not qualify under any of the three options set forth in Section 5.3.7.1. In such case, NEW EDGE NETWORKS may petition the FCC for a waiver of the local usage options set forth in the June 2, 2000 Order. If a waiver is granted, then upon NEW EDGE NETWORKS's request the Parties shall amend this

Agreement to the extent necessary to incorporate the terms of such waiver for such extraordinary circumstance.

5.3.7.3 BellSouth may at its sole discretion audit NEW EDGE NETWORKS records in order to verify the type of traffic being transmitted over combinations of loop and transport network elements. The audit shall be conducted by a third party independent auditor, and NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall be given thirty days written notice of scheduled audit. Such audit shall occur no more than one time in a calendar year, unless results of an audit find noncompliance with the significant amount of local exchange service requirement. In the event of noncompliance, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall reimburse BellSouth for the cost of the audit. If, based on its audits, BellSouth concludes that NEW EDGE NETWORKS is not providing a significant amount of local exchange traffic over the combinations of loop and transport network elements, BellSouth may file a complaint with the appropriate Commission, pursuant to the dispute resolution process as set forth in the Interconnection Agreement. In the event that BellSouth prevails, BellSouth may convert such combinations of loop and transport network elements to special access services and may seek appropriate retroactive reimbursement from NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

5.3.7.4 NEW EDGE NETWORKS may convert special access circuits to combinations of loop and transport UNEs pursuant to the terms of this Section and subject to the termination provisions in the applicable special access tariffs, if any.

5.3.8 Rates

5.3.8.1 Georgia

5.3.8.2 The non-recurring and recurring rates for the EEL Combinations of network elements set forth in 5.3.4 whether Currently Combined or new, are as set forth in Exhibit D of this Amendment.

5.3.8.3 On an interim basis, for combinations of loop and transport network elements not set forth in Section 5.3.4, where the elements are not Currently Combined but are ordinarily combined in BellSouth's network, the non-recurring and recurring charges for such UNE combinations shall be the sum of the stand-alone non-recurring and recurring charges of the network elements which make up the combination. These interim rates shall be subject to true-up based on the Commission's review of BellSouth's cost studies.

5.3.8.4 To the extent that NEW EDGE NETWORKS seeks to obtain other combinations of network elements that BellSouth ordinarily combines in its network which have not been specifically priced by the Commission when purchased in combined form, NEW EDGE NETWORKS, at its option, can request that such rates be determined pursuant to the Bona Fide Request/New Business Request (NBR) process set forth in this Agreement.

5.3.8.5 All Other States

5.3.8.5.1 Subject to Section 5.3.2 and 5.3.3 preceding, for all other states, the non-recurring and recurring rates for the Currently Combined EEL combinations set forth in Section 5.3.4 and other Currently Combined network elements will be the sum of the recurring rates for the individual network elements plus a non recurring charge set forth in Exhibit D of this Attachment.

5.3.8.6 Multiplexing

5.3.8.6.1 Where multiplexing functionality is required in connection with loop and transport combinations, such multiplexing will be provided at the rates and on the terms set forth in this Agreement.

5.4 **Other Network Element Combinations**

5.4.1.1 In the state of Georgia, BellSouth shall make available to NEW EDGE NETWORKS, in accordance with Section 5.4.2.1 below: (1) combinations of network elements other than EELs that are Currently Combined; and (2) combinations of network elements other than EELs that are not Currently Combined but that BellSouth ordinarily combines in its network. In all other states, BellSouth shall make available to NEW EDGE NETWORKS, in accordance with Section 5.4.2.2 below, combinations of network elements other than EELs only to the extent such combinations are Currently Combined.

5.4.2 Rates

5.4.2.1 Georgia

5.4.2.1.1 The non-recurring and recurring rates for Other Network Element combinations, whether Currently Combined or new, are as set forth in Exhibit D of this Attachment.

5.4.2.1.2 On an interim basis, for Other Network Element combinations where the elements are not Currently Combined but are ordinarily combined in BellSouth's network, the non-recurring and recurring charges for such UNE combinations shall be the sum of the stand-alone non-recurring and recurring charges of the network elements which make up the combination. These interim rates shall be subject to true-up based on the Commission's review of BellSouth's cost studies.

5.4.2.1.3 To the extent that NEW EDGE NETWORKS seeks to obtain other combinations of network elements that BellSouth ordinarily combines in its network which have not been specifically priced by the Commission when purchased in combined form, NEW EDGE NETWORKS, at its option, can request that such rates be determined pursuant to the Bona Fide Request/New Business Request (NBR) process set forth in this Agreement.

5.4.2.2 All Other States

5.4.2.2.1 For all other states, the non-recurring and recurring rates for the Other Network Element Combinations that are Currently Combined will be the sum of the recurring rates for the individual network elements plus a non recurring charge set forth in Exhibit D of this Attachment.

5.5 **UNE/Special Access Combinations**

5.5.1 Additionally, BellSouth shall make available to NEW EDGE NETWORKS a combination of an unbundled loop and tariffed special access interoffice facilities. To the extent NEW EDGE NETWORKS will require multiplexing functionality in connection with such combination, BellSouth will provide access to multiplexing within the central office pursuant to the terms, conditions and rates set forth in its Access Services Tariffs. The tariffed special access interoffice facilities and any associated tariffed services, including but not limited to multiplexing, shall not be eligible for conversion to UNEs as described in Section 5.3.7.

5.5.2 Rates

5.5.2.1 The non-recurring and recurring rates for UNE/Special Access Combinations will be the sum of the unbundled loop rates as set forth in Exhibit D and the interoffice transport rates and multiplexing rates as set forth in the Access Services Tariff.

5.6 **Port/Loop Combinations**

5.6.1 At NEW EDGE NETWORKS's request, BellSouth shall provide access to combinations of port and loop network elements, as set forth in Section 5.6.3 below, that are Currently Combined in BellSouth's network except as specified in Sections 5.6.1.1 and 5.6.1.2 below.

5.6.1.1 BellSouth shall not provide combinations of port and loop network elements on an unbundled basis in locations where, pursuant to FCC rules, BellSouth is not required to provide circuit switching as an unbundled network element.

5.6.1.2 In accordance with effective and applicable FCC rules, BellSouth shall not be required to provide circuit switching as an unbundled network element in density Zone 1, as defined in 47 C.F.R. 69.123 as of January 1, 1999 of the Atlanta, GA; Miami, FL; Orlando, FL; Ft. Lauderdale, FL; Charlotte-Gastonia-Rock Hill, NC; Greensboro-Winston Salem-High Point, NC; Nashville, TN; and New Orleans, LA, MSAs to NEW EDGE NETWORKS if NEW EDGE NETWORKS's customer has 4 or more DS0 equivalent lines.

5.6.2 Combinations of port and loop network elements provide local exchange service for the origination or termination of calls. BellSouth shall make available the following loop and port combinations at the terms and at the rates set forth below:

5.6.2.1 In Georgia, BellSouth shall provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKScombinations of port and loop network elements to NEW EDGE NETWORKS on an unbundled basis regardless of whether or not such combinations are Currently Combined except in those locations where BellSouth is not required to provide circuit switching, as set forth in Section 5.6.1.2 above. The rates for such combinations shall be the cost based rates set forth in Exhibit D of this Attachment.

5.6.2.2 In all other states, BellSouth shall provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS combinations of port and loop network elements on an unbundled basis if such combinations are Currently Combined, except in those locations where BellSouth is not required to provide unbundled circuit switching, as forth in Sections 5.6.1.1and 5.6.1.2 above. The rates for such combinations shall be the cost based rates set forth in Exhibit D of this Attachment.

5.6.2.3 In all states other than Georgia, except in those locations where BellSouth is not required to provide unbundled circuit switching, as set forth in Sections 5.6.1.1 and 5.6.1.2, BellSouth shall provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS combinations of port and loop network elements that are not Currently Combined. The rate for such combinations shall be negotiated by the Parties.

5.6.2.4 In those locations where BellSouth is not required to provide unbundled circuit switching, as set forth in Sections 5.6.1.1 and 5.6.1.2, BellSouth shall provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS combinations of port and loop network elements whether or not such combinations are Currently Combined. The rates for Currently Combined combinations are the market based rates as set forth in Exhibit D. The rates for not Currently Combined combinations shall be negotiated by the Parties.

5.6.3 Combination Offerings

5.6.3.1 2-wire voice grade port, voice grade loop, unbundled end office switching, unbundled end office trunk port, common transport per mile per MOU, common transport facilities termination, tandem switching, and tandem trunk port.

5.6.3.2 2-wire voice grade DID port, voice grade loop, unbundled end office switching, unbundled end office trunk port, common transport per mile per MOU, common transport facilities termination, tandem switching, and tandem trunk port.

5.6.3.3 2-wire CENTREX port, voice grade loop, unbundled end office switching, unbundled end office trunk port, common transport per mile per MOU, common transport facilities termination, tandem switching, and tandem trunk port.

5.6.3.4 2-wire ISDN Basic Rate Interface, voice grade loop, unbundled end office switching, unbundled end office trunk port, common transport per mile per MOU, common transport facilities termination, tandem switching, and tandem trunk port.

5.6.3.5 2-wire ISDN Primary Rate Interface, DS1 loop, unbundled end office switching, unbundled end office trunk port, common transport per mile per MOU, common transport facilities termination, tandem switching, and tandem trunk port.

5.6.3.6 4-wire DS1 Trunk port, DS1 Loop, unbundled end office switching, unbundled end office trunk port, common transport per mile per MOU, common transport facilities termination, tandem switching, and tandem trunk port.

6. Transport, Channelization and Dark Fiber

All of the negotiated rates, terms and conditions set forth in this Section pertain to the provision of unbundled transport and dark fiber.

6.1 Transport

6.1.1 Interoffice transmission facility network elements include:

6.1.1.1 Dedicated transport, defined as BellSouth's transmission facilities, is dedicated to a particular customer or carrier that provides telecommunications between wire centers or switches owned by BellSouth, or between wire centers and switches owned by BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

6.1.1.2 Dark Fiber transport, defined as BellSouth's optical transmission facilities without attached signal regeneration, multiplexing, aggregation or other electronics;

6.1.1.3 Common (Shared) transport, defined as transmission facilities shared by more than one carrier, including BellSouth, between end office switches, between end office switches and tandem switches, and between tandem switches, in BellSouth's network.

6.2 BellSouth shall:

6.2.1 Provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS exclusive use of interoffice transmission facilities dedicated to a particular customer or carrier, or shared use of the features, functions, and capabilities of interoffice transmission facilities shared by more than one customer or carrier;

6.2.2 Provide all technically feasible transmission facilities, features, functions, and capabilities that NEW EDGE NETWORKS could use to provide telecommunications services;

6.2.3 Permit, to the extent technically feasible, NEW EDGE NETWORKS to connect such interoffice facilities to equipment designated by NEW EDGE NETWORKS, including but not limited to, NEW EDGE NETWORKS's collocated facilities; and

6.2.4 Permit, to the extent technically feasible, NEW EDGE NETWORKS to obtain the functionality provided by BellSouth's digital cross-connect systems in the same manner that BellSouth provides such functionality to interexchange carriers.

6.3 **Common (Shared) Transport**

6.3.1 Definition of Common (Shared) Transport

6.3.1.1 Common (Shared) Transport is an interoffice transmission path between two BellSouth end-offices, BellSouth end-office and a local tandem, or between two local tandems. Where BellSouth Network Elements are connected by intra-office wiring, such wiring is provided as a part of the Network Elements and is not Common (Shared) Transport. Common (Shared) Transport consists of BellSouth inter-office transport facilities and is unbundled from local switching.

6.3.2 Technical Requirements of Common (Shared) Transport

6.3.2.1 Common (Shared) Transport provided on DS1 or VT1.5 circuits, shall, at a minimum, meet the performance, availability, jitter, and delay requirements specified for Central Office to Central Office ("CO to CO") connections in the appropriate industry standards.

6.3.2.2 Common (Shared) Transport provided on DS3 circuits, STS-1 circuits, and higher transmission bit rate circuits, shall, at a minimum, meet the performance, availability, jitter, and delay requirements specified for CO to CO connections in the appropriate industry standards.

6.3.2.3 BellSouth shall be responsible for the engineering, provisioning, and maintenance of the underlying equipment and facilities that are used to provide Common (Shared) Transport.

6.3.2.4 At a minimum, Common (Shared) Transport shall meet all of the requirements set forth in the applicable industry standard technical references.

6.4 **Dedicated Transport**

6.4.1 Definitions

6.4.2 Dedicated Transport is defined as BellSouth transmission facilities dedicated to a particular customer or carrier that provide telecommunications between wire centers owned by BellSouth or requesting telecommunications carriers, or between switches owned by BellSouth or requesting telecommunications carriers.

6.4.3 Unbundled Local Channel

6.4.4 Unbundled Local Channel is the dedicated transmission path between NEW EDGE NETWORKS's Point of Presence and the BellSouth Serving Wire Center's collocation.

6.4.5 Unbundled Interoffice Channel.

6.4.6 Unbundled Interoffice Channel is the dedicated transmission path that provides telecommunication between BellSouth's Serving Wire Centers' collocations.

6.4.7 BellSouth shall offer Dedicated Transport in each of the following ways:

6.4.7.1 As capacity on a shared UNE facility.

6.4.7.2 As a circuit (e.g., DS0, DS1, DS3) dedicated to NEW EDGE NETWORKS. This circuit shall consist of an Unbundled Local Channel or an Unbundled Interoffice Channel or both.

6.4.8 When Dedicated Transport is provided it shall include:

6.4.8.1 Transmission equipment such as, line terminating equipment, amplifiers, and regenerators;

6.4.8.2 Inter-office transmission facilities such as optical fiber, copper twisted pair, and coaxial cable.

6.4.9 Rates for Dedicated Transport are listed in this Attachment. For those states that do not contain rates in this Attachment the rates in the applicable State Access Tariff will apply as interim rates. When final rates are developed, these interim rates will be subject to true up, and the Parties will amend the Agreement to reflect the new rates.

6.4.10 Technical Requirements

6.4.10.1 This Section sets forth technical requirements for all Dedicated Transport.

6.4.10.2 When BellSouth provides Dedicated Transport, the entire designated transmission service (e.g., DS0, DS1, DS3) shall be dedicated to NEW EDGE NETWORKS designated traffic.

6.4.10.3 BellSouth shall offer Dedicated Transport in all technologies that become available including, but not limited to, (1) DS0, DS1 and DS3 transport services, and (2) SONET at available transmission bit rates.

6.4.10.4 For DS1 or VT1.5 circuits, Dedicated Transport shall, at a minimum, meet the performance, availability, jitter, and delay requirements specified for Customer Interface to Central Office ("CI to CO") connections in the appropriate industry standards.

6.4.10.5 Where applicable, for DS3, Dedicated Transport shall, at a minimum, meet the performance, availability, jitter, and delay requirements specified for CI to CO connections in the appropriate industry standards.

6.4.10.6 BellSouth shall offer the following interface transmission rates for Dedicated Transport:

6.4.10.6.1 DS0 Equivalent;

6.4.10.6.2 DS1 (Extended SuperFrame - ESF);

6.4.10.6.3 DS3 (signal must be framed);

6.4.10.6.4 SDH (Synchronous Digital Hierarchy) Standard interface rates in accordance with International Telecommunications Union (ITU) Recommendation G.707 and Plesiochronous Digital Hierarchy (PDH) rates per ITU Recommendation G.704.

6.4.10.6.5 When Dedicated Transport is provided, BellSouth shall design it according to BellSouth's network infrastructure to allow for the termination points specified by NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

6.4.11 At a minimum, Dedicated Transport shall meet each of the requirements set forth in the applicable industry technical references.

6.4.11.1 BellSouth Technical References:

6.4.11.2 TR-TSY-000191 Alarm Indication Signals Requirements and Objectives, Issue 1, May 1986.

6.4.11.3 TR 73501 LightGate®Service Interface and Performance Specifications, Issue D, June 1995.

6.4.11.4 TR 73525 MegaLink®Service, MegaLink Channel Service & MegaLink Plus Service Interface and Performance Specifications, Issue C, May 1996.

6.4.12 Provided that the facility is used to transport a significant amount of local exchange services NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall be entitled to convert existing interoffice transmission facilities (i.e., special access) to the corresponding interoffice transport network element option.

6.5 **Unbundled Channelization**

6.5.1 BellSouth agrees to offer access to Unbundled Channelization when available pursuant to following terms and conditions and at the rates set forth in the Attachment. Channelization will be offered with both the high and the low speed sides to be connected to collocation.

6.5.2 Definition

6.5.2.1 Unbundled Channelization (UC) provides the multiplexing capability that will allow a DS1 (1.544 Mbps) or DS3 (44.736 Mbps) or STS-1 Unbundled Network Element (UNE) or collocation cross-connect to be multiplexed or channelized at a BellSouth central office. This can be accomplished through the use of a stand-alone multiplexer or a digital cross-connect system at the discretion of BellSouth. Once UC has been installed, NEW EDGE NETWORKS can have channels activated on an as-needed basis by having BellSouth connect lower level UNEs via Central Office Channel Interfaces (COCIs).

6.5.3 Channelization capabilities will be as follows:

6.5.3.1 DS3 Channelization System: An element that channelizes a DS3 signal into 28 DS1s/STS-1s.

6.5.3.2 DS1 Channelization System: An element that channelizes a DS1 signal into 24 DS0s.

6.5.3.3 Central Office Channel Interfaces (COCI): Elements that can be activated on a channelization system.

6.5.4 DS1 Central Office Channel Interface elements can be activated on a DS3 Channelization System.

6.5.5 Voice Grade and Digital Data Central Office Channel Interfaces can be activated on a DS1 Channelization System.

6.5.6 AMI and B8ZS line coding with either Super Frame (SF) and Extended Super Frame (ESF) framing formats will be supported as options.

6.5.7 COCI will be billed on the lower level UNE order that is interfacing with the UC arrangement and will have to be compatible with those UNEs.

6.5.8 Technical Requirements

6.5.8.1 In order to assure proper operation with BST provided central office multiplexing functionality, the customer's channelization equipment must adhere strictly to form and protocol standards. Separate standards exist for the multiplex channel bank, for voice frequency encoding, for various signaling schemes, and for subrate digital access.

6.5.8.2 DS0 to DS1 Channelization

6.5.8.2.1 The DS1 signal must be framed utilizing the framing structure defined in ANSI T1.107, *Digital Hierarchy Formats Specifications* and ANSI T1.403.02, *DS1 Robbed-bit Signaling State Definitions*. DS0 to DS1 Channelization requirements are essential the same as defined in BellSouth Technical Reference 73525, *MegaLink® Service, MegaLink® Channel Service, MegaLink® Plus Service, and MegaLink® Light Service Interface and Performance Specification*.

6.5.8.3 DS1 to DS3 Channelization

6.5.8.3.1 The DS3 signal must be framed utilizing the framing structure define in ANSI T1.107, *Digital Hierarchy Formats Specifications*. DS1 to DS3 Channelization requirements are essentially the same as defined in BellSouth Technical Reference 73501, *LightGate® Service Interface and Performance Specifications*. The asynchronous M13 multiplex format (combination of M12 and M23 formats) is specified for terminal equipment that multiplexes 28 DS1s into a DS3.

6.5.8.4 DS1 to STS Channelization

6.5.8.4.1 The STS-1 signal must be framed utilizing the framing structure define in ANSI T1.105, *Synchronous Optical Network (SONET) – Basic Description Including Multiplex Structure, Rates and Formats* and T1.105.02, *Synchronous Optical Network (SONET) – Payload Mappings*. DS1 to STS Channelization requirements are essentially the same as defined in BellSouth Technical Reference TR 73501, *LightGate® Service Interface and Performance Specifications*

6.6 **Dark Fiber**

6.6.1 Definition

6.6.2 Dark Fiber is optical transmission facilities without attached multiplexing, aggregation or other electronics that connects two points within BellSouth's network.Dark Fiber is unused strands of optical fiber. It may be strands of optical fiber existing in aerial or underground structure. No line terminating elements terminated to such strands to operationalize its transmission capabilities will be available.

6.6.3 Requirements

6.6.3.1 BellSouth shall make available Dark Fiber where it exists in BellSouth's network and where, as a result of future building or deployment, it becomes available. If BellSouth has plans to use the fiber within a two-year period, there is no requirement to provide said fiber to NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

6.6.3.2 If the requested dark fiber has any lightwave repeater equipment interspliced to it, BellSouth will remove such equipment at NEW EDGE NETWORKS's request subject to time and materials charges.

6.6.3.3 NEW EDGE NETWORKS may test the quality of the Dark Fiber to confirm its usability and performance specifications.

6.6.3.4 BellSouth shall use its best efforts to provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS information regarding the location, availability and performance of Dark Fiber within ten (10) business days for a records based answer and twenty (20) business days for a field based answer, after receiving a request from NEW EDGE NETWORKS ("Request"). Within such time period, BellSouth shall send written confirmation of availability of the Dark Fiber ("Confirmation"). From the time of the Request to forty-five (45) days after Confirmation, BellSouth shall hold such requested Dark Fiber for NEW EDGE NETWORKS's use an may not allow any other party to use such media, including BellSouth.

6.6.3.5 BellSouth shall use its best efforts to make Dark Fiber available to NEW EDGE NETWORKS within thirty (30) business days after it receives written confirmation from NEW EDGE NETWORKS that the Dark Fiber previously deemed available by BellSouth is wanted for use by NEW EDGE NETWORKS. This includes identification of appropriate connection points (e.g., Light Guide Interconnection (LGX) or splice points) to enable NEW EDGE NETWORKS to connect or splice NEW EDGE NETWORKS provided transmission media (e.g., optical fiber) or equipment to the Dark Fiber.

6.6.3.6 Dark Fiber shall meet the manufacturer's design specifications.

6.6.3.7 NEW EDGE NETWORKS may splice and test Dark Fiber obtained from BellSouth using NEW EDGE NETWORKS or NEW EDGE NETWORKS designated personnel. BellSouth shall provide appropriate interfaces to allow splicing and testing of Dark Fiber. BellSouth shall provide an excess cable length of 25 feet minimum (for fiber in underground conduit) to allow the uncoiled fiber to reach from the manhole to a splicing van.

6.7 **Rates**

6.7.1 The prices that NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay to BellSouth for Network Elements and Other Services are set forth in Exhibit D to this Attachment.

6.8 **Operational Support Systems (OSS)**

The terms, conditions and rates for OSS are as set forth in Section 2 of this Attachment.

7. BellSouth SWA 8XX Toll Free Dialing Ten Digit Screening Service

All of the negotiated rates, terms and conditions set forth in this Section pertain to the provision of 8XX Access Ten Digit Screening Services.

7.1 BellSouth SWA 8XX Toll Free Dialing Ten Digit Screening Service database

7.1.1 The BellSouth SWA 8XX Toll Free Dialing Ten Digit Screening Service database (herein known as 8XX SCP) is a SCP that contains customer record information and functionality to provide call-handling instructions for 8XX calls. The 8XX SCP IN software stores data downloaded from the national SMS and provides the routing instructions in response to queries from the SSP or tandem. The BellSouth SWA 8XX Toll Free Dialing Ten Digit Screening Service (herein know as 8XX TFD), utilizes the 8XX SCP to provide identification and routing of the 8XX calls, based on the ten digits dialed. 8XX TFD is provided with or without POTS number delivery, dialing number delivery, and other optional complex features as selected by NEW EDGE NETWORKS. BellSouth shall provide 8XX TFD in accordance with the following:

7.1.2 Technical Requirements

7.1.2.1 BellSouth shall provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with access to the 8XX record information located in the 8XX SCP. The 8XX SCP contains current records as received from the national SMS and will provide for routing 8XX originating calls based on the dialed ten digit 8XX number.

7.1.2.2 The 8XX SCP is designated to receive and respond to queries using the American National Standard Specification of Signaling System Seven (SS7) protocol. The 8XX SCP shall determine the carrier identification based on all ten digits of the dialed number and route calls to the carrier, POTS number, dialing number and/or other optional feature selected by NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

7.1.2.3 The SCP shall also provide, at NEW EDGE NETWORKS's option, such additional feature as described in SR-TSV-002275 (BOC Notes on BellSouth Networks, SR-TSV-002275, Issue 2, (Telcordia (formerly BellCore), April 1994)) as are available to BellSouth. These may include but are not limited to:

7.1.2.3.1 Network Management;

7.1.2.3.2 Customer Sample Collection; and

7.1.2.3.3 Service Maintenance.

7.2 **Automatic Location Identification/Data Management System (ALI/DMS)**

7.2.1 The ALI/DMS Database contains end user information (including name, address, telephone information, and sometimes special information from the local service provider or end user) used to determine to which Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) to route the call. The ALI/DMS database is used to provide more routing

flexibility for E911 calls than Basic 911. BellSouth shall provide the Emergency Services Database in accordance with the following:

7.3 **Rates**

The prices that NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay to BellSouth for Network Elements and Other Services are set forth in Exhibit D to this Attachment.

8 Line Information Database (LIDB)

8.1 All of the negotiated rates, terms and conditions set forth in this Section pertain to the provision of LIDB.

8.2 BellSouth will store in its LIDB only records relating to service in the BellSouth region. The LIDB Storage Agreement is included in this Attachment.

8.2.1 Definition

8.2.2 The Line Information Database (LIDB) is a transaction-oriented database accessible through Common Channel Signaling (CCS) networks. It contains records associated with end user Line Numbers and Special Billing Numbers. LIDB accepts queries from other Network Elements and provides appropriate responses. The query originator need not be the owner of LIDB data. LIDB queries include functions such as screening billed numbers that provides the ability to accept Collect or Third Number Billing calls and validation of Telephone Line Number based non-proprietary calling cards. The interface for the LIDB functionality is the interface between BellSouth's CCS network and other CCS networks. LIDB also interfaces to administrative systems.

8.2.3 Technical Requirements

8.2.4 BellSouth will offer to NEW EDGE NETWORKS any additional capabilities that are developed for LIDB during the life of this Agreement.

8.2.4.1 BellSouth shall process NEW EDGE NETWORKS's Customer records in LIDB at least at parity with BellSouth customer records, with respect to other LIDB functions. BellSouth shall indicate to NEW EDGE NETWORKS what additional functions (if any) are performed by LIDB in the BellSouth network.

8.2.4.2 Within two (2) weeks after a request by NEW EDGE NETWORKS, BellSouth shall provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with a list of the customer data items, which NEW EDGE NETWORKS would have to provide in order to support each required LIDB function. The list shall indicate which data items are essential to LIDB function, and which are required only to support certain services. For each data item, the list shall show the data formats, the acceptable values of the data item and the meaning of those values.

8.2.4.3 BellSouth shall provide LIDB systems for which operating deficiencies that would result in calls being blocked shall not exceed 30 minutes per year.

8.2.4.4 BellSouth shall provide LIDB systems for which operating deficiencies that would not result in calls being blocked shall not exceed 12 hours per year.

8.2.4.5 BellSouth shall provide LIDB systems for which the LIDB function shall be in overload no more than 12 hours per year.

8.2.4.6 All additions, updates and deletions of NEW EDGE NETWORKS data to the LIDB shall be solely at the direction of NEW EDGE NETWORKS. Such direction from NEW EDGE NETWORKS will not be required where the addition, update or deletion is necessary to perform standard fraud control measures (e.g., calling card auto-deactivation).

8.2.4.7 BellSouth shall provide priority updates to LIDB for NEW EDGE NETWORKS data upon NEW EDGE NETWORKS's request (e.g., to support fraud detection), via password-protected telephone card, facsimile, or electronic mail within one hour of notice from the established BellSouth contact.

8.2.4.8 BellSouth shall provide LIDB systems such that no more than 0.01% of NEW EDGE NETWORKS customer records will be missing from LIDB, as measured by NEW EDGE NETWORKS audits. BellSouth will audit NEW EDGE NETWORKS records in LIDB against DBAS to identify record mismatches and provide this data to a designated NEW EDGE NETWORKS contact person to resolve the status of the records and BellSouth will update system appropriately. BellSouth will refer record of mis-matches to NEW EDGE NETWORKS within one business day of audit. Once reconciled records are received back from NEW EDGE NETWORKS, BellSouth will update LIDB the same business day if less than 500 records are received before 1:00PM Central Time. If more than 500 records are received, BellSouth will contact NEW EDGE NETWORKS to negotiate a time frame for the updates, not to exceed three business days.

8.2.4.9 BellSouth shall perform backup and recovery of all of NEW EDGE NETWORKS's data in LIDB including sending to LIDB all changes made since the date of the most recent backup copy, in at least the same time frame BellSouth performs backup and recovery of BellSouth data in LIDB for itself. Currently, BellSouth performs backups of the LIDB for itself on a weekly basis and when a new software release is scheduled, a backup is performed prior to loading the new release.

8.2.4.10 BellSouth shall provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS with LIDB reports of data, which are missing or contain errors, as well as any misrouted errors, within a reasonable time period as negotiated between NEW EDGE NETWORKS and BellSouth.

8.2.4.11 BellSouth shall prevent any access to or use of NEW EDGE NETWORKS data in LIDB by BellSouth personnel that are outside of established administrative and fraud control personnel, or by any other Party that is not authorized by NEW EDGE NETWORKS in writing.

8.2.4.12 BellSouth shall provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS performance of the LIDB Data Screening function, which allows a LIDB to completely or partially deny specific query originators access to LIDB data owned by specific data owners, for Customer Data that is part of an NPA-NXX or RAO-0/1XX wholly or partially owned by NEW EDGE NETWORKS at least at parity with BellSouth Customer Data. BellSouth shall obtain from NEW EDGE NETWORKS the screening information associated with LIDB Data Screening of NEW EDGE NETWORKS data in accordance with this requirement. BellSouth currently does not have LIDB Data Screening capabilities. When such capability is available, BellSouth shall offer it to NEW EDGE NETWORKS under the Bona Fide Request/New Business Process as set forth in General Terms and Conditions.

8.2.4.13 BellSouth shall accept queries to LIDB associated with NEW EDGE NETWORKS customer records, and shall return responses in accordance with industry standards.

8.2.4.14 BellSouth shall provide mean processing time at the LIDB within 0.50 seconds under normal conditions as defined in industry standards.

8.2.4.15 BellSouth shall provide processing time at the LIDB within 1 second for 99% of all messages under normal conditions as defined in industry standards.

8.2.5 Interface Requirements

8.2.6 BellSouth shall offer LIDB in accordance with the requirements of this subsection.

8.2.6.1 The interface to LIDB shall be in accordance with the technical references contained within.

8.2.6.2 The CCS interface to LIDB shall be the standard interface described herein.

8.2.6.3 The LIDB Data Base interpretation of the ANSI-TCAP messages shall comply with the technical reference herein. Global Title Translation shall be maintained in the signaling network in order to support signaling network routing to the LIDB.

8.3 **Rates**

The prices that NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay to BellSouth for Network Elements and Other Services are set forth in Exhibit D to this Attachment.

9. Signaling

9.1 All of the negotiated rates, terms and conditions set forth in this Section pertain to the provision of Signaling Transport Services.

9.2 BellSouth agrees to offer access to signaling and access to BellSouth's signaling databases subject to compatibility testing and at the rates set forth in this Attachment. BellSouth may provide mediated access to BellSouth signaling systems and databases. Available signaling elements include signaling links, signal transfer points and service control points. Signaling functionality will be available with both A-link and B-link connectivity.

9.3 **Signaling Link Transport**

9.3.1 Definition Signaling Link Transport is a set of two or four dedicated 56 Kbps. transmission paths between CLEC-designated Signaling Points of Interconnection (SPOI) that provides appropriate physical diversity.

9.3.2 Technical Requirements

9.3.2.1 Signaling Link Transport shall consist of full duplex mode 56 kbps transmission paths.

9.3.3 Of the various options available, Signaling Link Transport shall perform in the following two ways:

9.3.3.1 As an "A-link" which is a connection between a switch or SCP and a home Signaling Transfer Point Switch (STP) pair; and

9.3.3.2 As a "B-link" which is a connection between two STP pairs in different company networks (e.g., between two STP pairs for two Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLECs)).

9.3.4 Signaling Link Transport shall consist of two or more signaling link layers as follows:

9.3.4.1 An A-link layer shall consist of two links.

9.3.4.2 A B-link layer shall consist of four links.

9.3.5 A signaling link layer shall satisfy a performance objective such that:

9.3.5.1 There shall be no more than two minutes down time per year for an A-link layer; and

9.3.5.2 There shall be negligible (less than 2 seconds) down time per year for a B-link layer.

9.3.5.3 A signaling link layer shall satisfy interoffice and intraoffice diversity of facilities and equipment, such that:

9.3.5.3.1 No single failure of facilities or equipment causes the failure of both links in an A-link layer (i.e., the links should be provided on a minimum of two separate physical paths end-to-end); and

9.3.5.3.2 No two concurrent failures of facilities or equipment shall cause the failure of all four links in a B-link layer (i.e., the links should be provided on a minimum of three separate physical paths end-to-end).

9.3.5.4 Interface Requirements

9.3.5.4.1 There shall be a DS1 (1.544 Mbps) interface at the NEW EDGE NETWORKS designated SPOIs. Each 56 kbps transmission path shall appear as a DS0 channel within the DS1 interface.

9.4 Signaling Transfer Points (STPs)

9.4.1 Definition - Signaling Transfer Points is a signaling network function that includes all of the capabilities provided by the signaling transfer point switches (STPs) and their associated signaling links which enable the exchange of SS7 messages among and between switching elements, database elements and signaling transfer point switches.

9.4.2 Technical Requirements

9.4.2.1 STPs shall provide access to Network Elements connected to BellSouth SS7 network. These include:

9.4.2.1.1 BellSouth Local Switching or Tandem Switching;

9.4.2.1.2 BellSouth Service Control Points/DataBases;

9.4.2.1.3 Third-party local or tandem switching;

9.4.2.1.4 Third-party-provided STPs.

9.4.2.2 The connectivity provided by STPs shall fully support the functions of all other Network Elements connected to the BellSouth SS7 network. This explicitly includes the use of the BellSouth SS7 network to convey messages which neither originate nor terminate at a signaling end point directly connected to the BellSouth SS7 network (i.e., transient messages). When the BellSouth SS7 network is used to convey transient messages, there shall be no alteration of the

Integrated Services Digital Network User Part (ISDNUP) or Transaction Capabilities Application Part (TCAP) user data that constitutes the content of the message.

9.4.2.3 If a BellSouth tandem switch routes calling traffic, based on dialed or translated digits, on SS7 trunks between an NEW EDGE NETWORKS local switch and third party local switch, the BellSouth SS7 network shall convey the TCAP messages that are necessary to provide Call Management features (Automatic Callback, Automatic Recall, and Screening List Editing) between NEW EDGE NETWORKS local STPs and the STPs that provide connectivity with the third party local switch, even if the third party local switch is not directly connected to BellSouth STPs.

9.4.2.4 STPs shall provide all functions of the MTP as defined in the applicable industry standard technical references.

9.4.2.5 STPs shall provide all functions of the SCCP necessary for Class 0 (basic connectionless) service, as defined in Telcordia (formerly BellCore) ANSI Interconnection Requirements. In particular, this includes Global Title Translation (GTT) and SCCP Management procedures, as specified in T1.112.4. In cases where the destination signaling point is a NEW EDGE NETWORKS or third party local or tandem switching system directly connected to BellSouth SS7 network, BellSouth shall perform final GTT of messages to the destination and SCCP Subsystem Management of the destination. In all other cases, BellSouth shall perform intermediate GTT of messages to a gateway pair of STPs in an SS7 network connected with BellSouth SS7 network, and shall not perform SCCP Subsystem Management of the destination. If BellSouth performs final GTT to a NEW EDGE NETWORKS database, then NEW EDGE NETWORKS agrees to provide BellSouth with the Destination Point Code for the NEW EDGE NETWORKS database.

9.4.2.6 STPs shall provide on a non-discriminatory basis all functions of the OMAP commonly provided by STPs, as specified in the reference in Section 12 of this Attachment. All OMAP functions will be on a "where available" basis and can include:

9.4.2.6.1 MTP Routing Verification Test (MRVT); and

9.4.2.6.2 SCCP Routing Verification Test (SRVT).

9.4.2.7 In cases where the destination signaling point is a BellSouth local or tandem switching system or database, or is an NEW EDGE NETWORKS or third party local or tandem switching system directly connected to the BellSouth SS7 network, STPs shall perform MRVT and SRVT to the destination signaling point. In all other cases, STPs shall perform MRVT and SRVT to a gateway pair of STPs in an SS7 network connected with the BellSouth SS7 network. This

requirement shall be superseded by the specifications for Internetwork MRVT and SRVT if and when these become approved ANSI standards and available capabilities of BellSouth STPs, and if mutually agreed upon by NEW EDGE NETWORKS and BellSouth.

9.4.2.8 STPs shall be on parity with BellSouth.

9.4.2.9 SS7 Advanced Intelligent Network (AIN) Access

9.4.2.9.1 When technically feasible and upon request by NEW EDGE NETWORKS, SS7 Access shall be made available in association with switching. SS7 AIN Access is the provisioning of AIN 0.1 triggers in an equipped BellSouth local switch and interconnection of the BellSouth SS7 network with the NEW EDGE NETWORKS SS7 network to exchange TCAP queries and responses with an NEW EDGE NETWORKS SCP.

9.4.2.9.2 SS7 AIN Access shall provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS SCP access to BellSouth local switch in association with switching via interconnection of BellSouth SS7 and NEW EDGE NETWORKS SS7 Networks. BellSouth shall offer SS7 access through its STPs. If BellSouth requires a mediation device on any part of its network specific to this form of access, BellSouth must route its messages in the same manner. The interconnection arrangement shall result in the BellSouth local switch recognizing the NEW EDGE NETWORKS SCP as at least at parity with BellSouth's SCP's in terms of interfaces, performance and capabilities.

9.4.3 Interface Requirements

9.4.3.1 BellSouth shall provide the following STPs options to connect NEW EDGE NETWORKS or NEW EDGE NETWORKS-designated local switching systems or STPs to the BellSouth SS7 network:

9.4.3.1.1 An A-link interface from NEW EDGE NETWORKS local switching systems; and,

9.4.3.1.2 A B-link interface from NEW EDGE NETWORKS local STPs.

9.4.3.2 Each type of interface shall be provided by one or more sets (layers) of signaling links.

9.4.3.3 The Signaling Point of Interconnection (SPOI) for each link shall be located at a cross-connect element, such as a DSX-1, in the Central Office (CO) where BellSouth STP is located. There shall be a DS1 or higher rate transport interface at each of the SPOIs. Each signaling link shall appear as a DS0 channel within the DS1 or higher rate interface. BellSouth shall offer higher rate DS1 signaling for interconnecting NEW EDGE NETWORKS local switching systems or STPs with BellSouth STPs as soon as these become approved ANSI standards and

available capabilities of BellSouth STPs. BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS will work jointly to establish mutually acceptable SPOIs.

9.4.3.4 BellSouth CO shall provide intraoffice diversity between the SPOIs and BellSouth STPs, so that no single failure of intraoffice facilities or equipment shall cause the failure of both B-links in a layer connecting to a BellSouth STP. BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS will work jointly to establish mutually acceptable SPOIs.

9.4.3.5 STPs shall provide all functions of the MTP as defined in the applicable industry standard technical references.

9.4.3.6 Message Screening

9.4.3.6.1 BellSouth shall set message screening parameters so as to accept valid messages from NEW EDGE NETWORKS local or tandem switching systems destined to any signaling point within BellSouth's SS7 network where the NEW EDGE NETWORKS switching system has a legitimate signaling relation.

9.4.3.6.2 BellSouth shall set message screening parameters so as to pass valid messages from NEW EDGE NETWORKS local or tandem switching systems destined to any signaling point or network accessed through BellSouth's SS7 network where the NEW EDGE NETWORKS switching system has a legitimate signaling relation.

9.4.3.6.3 BellSouth shall set message screening parameters so as to accept and pass/send valid messages destined to and from NEW EDGE NETWORKS from any signaling point or network interconnected through BellSouth's SS7 network where the NEW EDGE NETWORKS SCP has a legitimate signaling relation.

9.4.4 STPs shall be equal to or better than all of the requirements for STPs set forth in the applicable industry standard technical references.

9.5 **Service Control Points/Databases**

9.5.1 Definition

9.5.1.1 Databases are the Network Elements that provide the functionality for storage of, access to, and manipulation of information required to offer a particular service and/or capability. Databases include, but are not limited to: Local Number Portability, LIDB, Toll Free Number Database, Automatic Location Identification/Data Management System, Calling Name Database, access to Service Creation Environment and Service Management System (SCE/SMS) application databases and Directory Assistance.

9.5.2 A Service Control Point (SCP) is a specific type of Database functionality deployed in a Signaling System 7 (SS7) network that executes service application

logic in response to SS7 queries sent to it by a switching system also connected to the SS7 network. Service Management Systems provide operational interfaces to allow for provisioning, administration and maintenance of subscriber data and service application data stored in SCPs.

9.5.3 Technical Requirements for SCPs/Databases

9.5.3.1 Requirements for SCPs/Databases within this section address storage of information, access to information (e.g. signaling protocols, response times), and administration of information (e.g., provisioning, administration, and maintenance). All SCPs/Databases shall be provided to NEW EDGE NETWORKS in accordance with the following requirements.

9.5.3.2 BellSouth shall provide physical access to SCPs through the SS7 network and protocols with TCAP as the application layer protocol.

9.5.3.3 BellSouth shall provide physical interconnection to databases via industry standard interfaces and protocols (e.g. SS7, ISDN and X.25).

9.5.3.4 The reliability of interconnection options shall be consistent with requirements for diversity and survivability.

9.5.4 Database Availability

9.5.4.1 Call processing databases shall have a maximum unscheduled availability of 30 minutes per year. Unavailability due to software and hardware upgrades shall be scheduled during minimal usage periods and only be undertaken upon proper notification to providers, which might be impacted. Any downtime associated with the provision of call processing related databases will impact all service providers, including BellSouth, equally.

9.5.4.2 The operational interface provided by BellSouth shall complete Database transactions (i.e., add, modify, delete) for NEW EDGE NETWORKS customer records stored in BellSouth databases within 3 days, or sooner where BellSouth provisions its own customer records within a shorter interval.

9.6 **Local Number Portability Database**

9.6.1 Definition

9.6.2 The Permanent Number Portability (PNP) database supplies routing numbers for calls involving numbers that have been ported from one local service provider to another. PNP is currently being worked in industry forums. The results of these forums will dictate the industry direction of PNP. BellSouth agrees to provide access to the PNP database at rates, terms and conditions as set forth by BellSouth and in accordance with an effective FCC or Commission directive.

9.7 **SS7 Network Interconnection**

9.7.1 Definition.

9.7.2 SS7 Network Interconnection is the interconnection of NEW EDGE NETWORKS local Signaling Transfer Point Switches (STP) and NEW EDGE NETWORKS local or tandem switching systems with BellSouth STPs. This interconnection provides connectivity that enables the exchange of SS7 messages among BellSouth switching systems and databases (DBs), NEW EDGE NETWORKS local or tandem switching systems, and other third-party switching systems directly connected to the BellSouth SS7 network.

9.7.3 Technical Requirements

9.7.3.1 SS7 Network Interconnection shall provide connectivity to all components of the BellSouth SS7 network. These include:

9.7.3.1.1 BellSouth local or tandem switching systems;

9.7.3.1.2 BellSouth DBs; and

9.7.3.1.3 Other third-party local or tandem switching systems.

9.7.4 The connectivity provided by SS7 Network Interconnection shall fully support the functions of BellSouth switching systems and DBs and NEW EDGE NETWORKS or other third-party switching systems with A-link access to the BellSouth SS7 network.

9.7.5 If traffic is routed based on dialed or translated digits between an NEW EDGE NETWORKS local switching system and a BellSouth or other third-party local switching system, either directly or via a BellSouth tandem switching system, then it is a requirement that the BellSouth SS7 network convey via SS7 Network Interconnection the TCAP messages that are necessary to provide Call Management services (Automatic Callback, Automatic Recall, and Screening List Editing) between the NEW EDGE NETWORKS local STPs and BellSouth or other third-party local switch.

9.7.6 When the capability to route messages based on Intermediate Signaling Network Identifier (ISNI) is generally available on BellSouth STPs, the BellSouth SS7 Network shall also convey TCAP messages using SS7 Network Interconnection in similar circumstances where the BellSouth switch routes traffic based on a Carrier Identification Code (CIC).

9.7.7 SS7 Network Interconnection shall provide all functions of the MTP as specified in ANSI T1.111. This includes:

9.7.7.1 Signaling Data Link functions, as specified in ANSI T1.111.2;

9.7.7.2 Signaling Link functions, as specified in ANSI T1.111.3; and

9.7.7.3 Signaling Network Management functions, as specified in ANSI T1.111.4.

9.7.8 SS7 Network Interconnection shall provide all functions of the SCCP necessary for Class 0 (basic connectionless) service, as specified in ANSI T1.112. In particular, this includes Global Title Translation (GTT) and SCCP Management procedures, as specified in T1.112.4. Where the destination signaling point is a BellSouth switching system or DB, or is another third-party local or tandem switching system directly connected to the BellSouth SS7 network, SS7 Network Interconnection shall include final GTT of messages to the destination and SCCP Subsystem Management of the destination. Where the destination signaling point is an NEW EDGE NETWORKS local or tandem switching system, SS7 Network Interconnection shall include intermediate GTT of messages to a gateway pair of NEW EDGE NETWORKS local STPs, and shall not include SCCP Subsystem Management of the destination.

9.7.9 SS7 Network Interconnection shall provide all functions of the Integrated Services Digital Network User Part (ISDNUP), as specified in ANSI T1.113.

9.7.10 SS7 Network Interconnection shall provide all functions of the TCAP, as specified in ANSI T1.114.

9.7.11 If and when Internetwork MTP Routing Verification Test (MRVT) and SCCP Routing Verification Test (SRVT) become approved ANSI standards and available capabilities of BellSouth STPs, SS7 Network Interconnection shall provide these functions of the OMAP.

9.7.12 SS7 Network Interconnection shall be equal to or better than the following performance requirements:

9.7.12.1 MTP Performance, as specified in ANSI T1.111.6;

9.7.12.2 SCCP Performance, as specified in ANSI T1.112.5; and

9.7.12.3 ISDNUP Performance, as specified in ANSI T1.113.5.

9.7.13 Interface Requirements

9.7.13.1 BellSouth shall offer the following SS7 Network Interconnection options to connect NEW EDGE NETWORKS or NEW EDGE NETWORKS-designated local or tandem switching systems or STPs to the BellSouth SS7 network:

9.7.13.1.1 A-link interface from NEW EDGE NETWORKS local or tandem switching systems; and

9.7.13.1.2 B-link interface from NEW EDGE NETWORKS STPs.

9.7.13.2 The Signaling Point of Interconnection (SPOI) for each link shall be located at a cross-connect element, such as a DSX-1, in the Central Office (CO) where the BellSouth STP is located. There shall be a DS1 or higher rate transport interface at each of the SPOIs. Each signaling link shall appear as a DS0 channel within the DS1 or higher rate interface. BellSouth shall offer higher rate DS1 signaling links for interconnecting NEW EDGE NETWORKS local switching systems or STPs with BellSouth STPs as soon as these become approved ANSI standards and available capabilities of BellSouth STPs. BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS will work jointly to establish mutually acceptable SPOI.

9.7.13.3 BellSouth CO shall provide intraoffice diversity between the SPOIs and the BellSouth STP, so that no single failure of intraoffice facilities or equipment shall cause the failure of both B-links in a layer connecting to a BellSouth STP. BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS will work jointly to establish mutually acceptable SPOI.

9.7.13.4 The protocol interface requirements for SS7 Network Interconnection include the MTP, ISDNUP, SCCP, and TCAP. These protocol interfaces shall conform to the applicable industry standard technical references.

9.7.13.5 BellSouth shall set message screening parameters to accept messages from NEW EDGE NETWORKS local or tandem switching systems destined to any signaling point in the BellSouth SS7 network with which the NEW EDGE NETWORKS switching system has a legitimate signaling relation.

9.7.13.6 SS7 Network Interconnection shall be equal to or better than all of the requirements for SS7 Network Interconnection set forth in the applicable industry standard technical references.

9.8 **Rates**

The prices that NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay to BellSouth for Network Elements and Other Services are set forth in Exhibit D to this Attachment.

10. Operator Call Processing, Inward Operator Services and Directory Assistance Services

10.1 All of the negotiated rates, terms and conditions set forth in this Section pertain to the provision of Operator Call Processing, Inward Operator Services and Directory Assistance Services.

10.2 **Operator Systems**

10.2.1 Definition. Operator Systems is the Network Element that provides operator and automated call handling and billing, special services, end user telephone listings and optional call completion services. The Operator Systems, Network Element

provides two types of functions: Operator Service functions and Directory Assistance Service functions, each of which are described in detail below.

10.3 **Operator Service**

10.3.1 Definition. Operator Service provides: (1) operator handling for call completion (for example, collect, third number billing, and manual credit card calls), (2) operator or automated assistance for billing after the end user has dialed the called number (for example, credit card calls); and (3) special services including but not limited to Busy Line Verification and Emergency Line Interrupt (ELI), Emergency Agency Call, Operator-assisted Directory Assistance, and Rate Quotes.

10.3.2 Requirements

10.3.2.1 When NEW EDGE NETWORKS requests BellSouth to provide Operator Services, the following requirements apply:

10.3.2.1.1 BellSouth shall complete 0+ and 0- dialed local calls.

10.3.2.1.2 BellSouth shall complete 0+ intraLATA toll calls.

10.3.2.1.3 BellSouth shall process calls that are billed to NEW EDGE NETWORKS end user's calling card that can be validated by BellSouth.

10.3.2.1.4 BellSouth shall complete person-to-person calls.

10.3.2.1.5 BellSouth shall complete collect calls.

10.3.2.1.6 BellSouth shall provide the capability for callers to bill to a third party and complete such calls.

10.3.2.1.7 BellSouth shall complete station-to-station calls.

10.3.2.1.8 BellSouth shall process emergency calls.

10.3.2.1.9 BellSouth shall process Busy Line Verify and Emergency Line Interrupt requests.

10.3.2.1.10 BellSouth shall process emergency call trace, as they do for their End users prior to the Effective Date. Call must originate from a 911 provider.

10.3.2.1.11 BellSouth shall process operator-assisted directory assistance calls.

10.3.2.1.12 BellSouth shall adhere to equal access requirements**,** providing NEW EDGE NETWORKS local end users the same IXC access as provided to BellSouth end users.

10.3.2.1.13 BellSouth shall exercise at least the same level of fraud control in providing Operator Service to NEW EDGE NETWORKS that BellSouth provides for its own operator service.

10.3.2.1.14 BellSouth shall perform Billed Number Screening when handling Collect, Person-to-Person, and Billed-to-Third-Party calls.

10.3.2.1.15 BellSouth shall direct customer account and other similar inquiries to the customer service center designated by NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

10.3.2.1.16 BellSouth shall provide a feed of customer call records in "EMI" format to NEW EDGE NETWORKS in accordance with CLEC ODUF standards specified in Attachment 7.

10.3.3 Interface Requirements

10.3.3.1 With respect to Operator Services for calls that originate on local switching capability provided by or on behalf of NEW EDGE NETWORKS, the interface requirements shall conform to the then current established system interface specifications for the platform used to provide Operator Service and the interface shall conform to industry standards.

10.4 **Directory Assistance Service**

10.4.1 Definition. Directory Assistance Service provides local end user telephone number listings with the option to complete the call at the callers direction separate and distinct from local switching.

10.4.2 Requirements

10.4.3 Directory Assistance Service shall provide up to two listing requests per call. If available and if requested by NEW EDGE NETWORKS's end user, BellSouth shall provide caller-optional directory assistance call completion service at rates contained in this Attachment to one of the provided listings, equal to that which BellSouth provides its end users. If not available, NEW EDGE NETWORKS may request such requirement pursuant to the Bona Fide Request/New Business Process as set forth in General Terms and Conditions.

10.4.4 Directory Assistance Service Updates

10.4.4.1 BellSouth shall update end user listings changes daily. These changes include:

10.4.4.1.1 New end user connections: BellSouth will provide service to NEW EDGE NETWORKS that is equal to the service it provides to itself and its end users;

10.4.4.1.2 End user disconnections: BellSouth will provide service to NEW EDGE NETWORKS that is equal to the service it provides to itself and its end users; and

10.4.4.1.3 End user address changes: BellSouth will provide service to NEW EDGE NETWORKS that is equal to the service it provides to itself and its end users;

10.4.4.1.4 These updates shall also be provided for non-listed and non-published numbers for use in emergencies.

10.4.5 Branding for Operator Call Processing and Directory Assistance

10.4.5.1 The BellSouth Operator Systems Branding Feature provides a definable announcement to NEW EDGE NETWORKS end users using Directory Assistance (DA)/Operator Call Processing (OCP) prior to placing them in queue or connecting them to an available operator or automated operator system. This feature allows NEW EDGE NETWORKS to have its calls custom branded with NEW EDGE NETWORKS's name on whose behalf BellSouth is providing Directory Assistance and/or Operator Call Processing. Rates for Custom Branding, Operator Call Process and Directory Assistance are set forth in this Attachment.

10.4.5.2 BellSouth offers four service levels of branding to NEW EDGE NETWORKS when ordering Directory Assistance and/or Operator Call Processing.

10.4.5.2.1 Service Level 1 - BellSouth Branding

10.4.5.2.2 Service Level 2 - Unbranded

10.4.5.2.3 Service Level 3 - Custom Branding

10.4.5.2.4 Service Level 4 - Self Branding (applicable only to NEW EDGE NETWORKS for Resale or use with an Unbundled Port when routing to an operator service provider other than BellSouth).

10.4.6 For Resellers and Use with an Unbundled Port

10.4.6.1 BellSouth Branding is the Default Service Level.

10.4.6.2 Unbranding, Custom Branding, and Self Branding require NEW EDGE NETWORKS to order selective routing for each originating BellSouth end office identified by NEW EDGE NETWORKS. Rates for Selective Routing are set forth in this Attachment.

10.4.6.3 Customer Branding and Self Branding require NEW EDGE NETWORKS to order dedicated trunking from each BellSouth end office identified by NEW EDGE NETWORKS, to either the BellSouth Traffic Operator Position System (TOPS) or NEW EDGE NETWORKS Operator Service Provider. Rates for trunks are set forth in applicable BellSouth tariffs.

10.4.6.4 Unbranding - Unbranded Directory Assistance and/or Operator Call Processing calls ride common trunk groups provisioned by BellSouth from those end offices identified by NEW EDGE NETWORKS to the BellSouth TOPS. These calls are routed to "No Announcement."

10.4.7 For Facilities Based Carriers

10.4.7.1 All Service Levels require NEW EDGE NETWORKS to order dedicated trunking from their end office(s) point of interface to the BellSouth TOPS Switches. Rates for trunks are set forth in applicable BellSouth tariffs.

10.4.7.2 Customized Branding includes charges for the recording of the branding announcement and the loading of the audio units in each TOPS Switch, IVS and NAV equipment for which NEW EDGE NETWORKS requires service.

10.4.8 Directory Assistance customized branding uses:

10.4.8.1 the recording of the name;

10.4.8.2 the front-end loading of the Digital Recorded Announcement Machine (DRAM) in each TOPS switch.

10.4.9 Operator Call Processing customized branding uses:

10.4.9.1 the recording of the name;

10.4.9.2 the front-end loading of the DRAM in the TOPS Switch;

10.4.9.3 the back-end loading in the audio units in the Automated Alternate Billing System (AABS) in the Interactive Voice Subsystem (IVS);

10.4.9.4 the 0- automation loading for the audio units in the Enhanced Billing and Access Service (EBAS) in the Network Applications Vehicle (NAV).

10.4.9.5 BellSouth will provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS purchasing local BellSouth switching and reselling BellSouth local exchange service, selective routing of calls to a requested directory assistance services platform or operator services platform. NEW EDGE NETWORKS end users may use the same dialing arrangements as BellSouth end users, but obtain a NEW EDGE NETWORKS branded service.

10.5 **Directory Assistance Database Service (DADS)**

10.5.1 BellSouth shall make its Directory Assistance Database Service (DADS) available solely for the expressed purpose of providing Directory Assistance type services to NEW EDGE NETWORKS end users. The term "end user" denotes any entity which obtains Directory Assistance type services for its own use from a DADS

customer. Directory Assistance type service is defined as Voice Directory Assistance (DA Operator assisted and Electronic Directory Assistance (Data System assisted)). NEW EDGE NETWORKS agrees that Directory Assistance Database Service (DADS) will not be used for any purpose which violates federal or state laws, statutes, regulatory orders or tariffs. Except for the permitted users, NEW EDGE NETWORKS agrees not to disclose DADS to others and shall provide due care in providing for the security and confidentiality of DADS. Further, NEW EDGE NETWORKS authorizes the inclusion of NEW EDGE NETWORKS Directory Assistance listings in the BellSouth Directory Assistance products.

10.5.2 BellSouth shall provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS initially with a base file of subscriber listings which reflect all listing change activity occurring since NEW EDGE NETWORKS's most recent update via magnetic tape, and subsequently using electronic connectivity such as Network Data Mover to be developed mutually by NEW EDGE NETWORKS and BellSouth. NEW EDGE NETWORKS agrees to assume the costs associated with CONNECT: Direct ™ connectivity, which will vary depending upon volume and mileage.

10.5.3 BellSouth will require approximately one month after receiving an order to prepare the Base File. BellSouth will provide daily updates which will reflect all listing change activity occurring since CLEC's most recent update. BellSouth shall provide updates to NEW EDGE NETWORKS on a Business, Residence, or combined Business and Residence basis. NEW EDGE NETWORKS agrees that the updates shall be used solely to keep the information current. Delivery of Daily Updates will commence the day after NEW EDGE NETWORKS receives the Base File.

10.5.4 BellSouth is authorized to include NEW EDGE NETWORKS Directory Assistance Listing Information in its Directory Assistance Database Service (DADS). Any other use by BellSouth of NEW EDGE NETWORKS Directory Assistance Listing Information is not authorized and with the exception of a request for DADS, BellSouth shall refer any request for such information to NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

10.5.5 Rates for DADS are as set forth in this Attachment.

10.6 **Direct Access to Directory Assistance Service**

10.6.1 Direct Access to Directory Assistance Service (DADAS) will provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS's directory assistance operators with the ability to search all available BellSouth's subscriber listings using the Directory Assistance search format. Subscription to DADAS will allow NEW EDGE NETWORKS to utilize its own switch, operator workstations and optional audio subsystems.

10.6.2 BellSouth will provide DADAS from its DA location. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will access the DADAS system via a telephone company provided point of availability. NEW EDGE NETWORKS has the responsibility of providing the physical links required to connect to the point of availability. These facilities may be purchased from the telephone company as rates and charges billed separately from the charges associated with this offering.

10.6.3 A specified interface to each NEW EDGE NETWORKS subsystem will be provided by BellSouth. Interconnection between NEW EDGE NETWORKS's system and a specified BellSouth location will be pursuant to the use of NEW EDGE NETWORKS owned or NEW EDGE NETWORKS leased facilities and shall be appropriate sized based upon the volume of queries being generated by NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

10.6.4 The specifications for the three interfaces necessary for interconnection are available in the following documents:

10.6.4.1 DADAS to Subscriber Operator Position System—Northern Telecom Document CSI-2300-07; Universal Gateway/ Position Message Interface Format Specification;

10.6.4.2 DADAS to Subscriber Switch—Northern Telecom Document Q210-1 Version A107; NTDMS/CCIDAS System Application Protocol; and AT&T Document 250-900-535 Operator Services Position System Listing Service and Application Call Processing Data Link Interface Specification;

10.6.4.3 DADAS to Audio Subsystem (Optional)—Directory One Call Control to Audio Response Unit system interface specifications are available through Northern Telecom as a licensed access protocol—Northern Telecom Document 355-004424 and Gateway/Interactive Voice subsystem Protocol Specification.

10.6.5 Rates for DADAS are as set forth in this Attachment.

10.7 **Automatic Location Identification/Data Management System (ALI/DMS)**

10.7.1 The ALI/DMS Database contains end user information (including name, address, telephone information, and sometimes special information from the local service provider or end user) used to determine to which Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) to route the call. The ALI/DMS database is used to provide more routing flexibility for E911 calls than Basic 911. BellSouth shall provide the Emergency Services Database in accordance with the following:

10.7.2 <u>Technical Requirements</u>

10.7.2.1 BellSouth shall offer NEW EDGE NETWORKS a data link to the ALI/DMS database or permit NEW EDGE NETWORKS to provide its own data link to the ALI/DMS database. BellSouth shall provide error reports from the ALI/DMS

database to NEW EDGE NETWORKS immediately after NEW EDGE NETWORKS inputs information into the ALI/DMS database. Alternately, NEW EDGE NETWORKS may utilize BellSouth, to enter end user information into the data base on a demand basis, and validate end user information on a demand basis.

10.7.2.2 The ALI/DMS database shall contain the following end user information:

10.7.2.2.1 Name;

10.7.2.2.2 Address;

10.7.2.2.3 Telephone number; and

10.7.2.2.4 Other information as appropriate (e.g., whether a end user is blind or deaf or has another disability).

10.7.2.3 When BellSouth is responsible for administering the ALI/DMS database in its entirety, ported number NXXs entries for the ported numbers should be maintained unless NEW EDGE NETWORKS requests otherwise and shall be updated if NEW EDGE NETWORKS requests, provided NEW EDGE NETWORKS supplies BellSouth with the updates.

10.7.2.4 When Remote Call Forwarding (RCF) is used to provide number portability to the local end user and a remark or other appropriate field information is available in the database, the shadow or "forwarded-to" number and an indication that the number is ported shall be added to the customer record.

10.7.2.5 If BellSouth is responsible for configuring PSAP features (for cases when the PSAP or BellSouth supports an ISDN interface) it shall ensure that CLASS Automatic Recall (Call Return) is not used to call back to the ported number. Although BellSouth currently does not have ISDN interface, BellSouth agrees to comply with this requirement once ISDN interfaces are in place.

10.7.3 Interface Requirements

The interface between the E911 Switch or Tandem and the ALI/DMS database for NEW EDGE NETWORKS end users shall meet industry standards.

10.8 **Rates**

The prices that NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay to BellSouth for Network Elements and Other Services are set forth in Exhibit D to this Attachment.

11. Calling Name (CNAM) Database Service

11.1 All of the negotiated rates, terms and conditions set forth in this Section pertain to the provision of CNAM.

11.2 The Agreement for Calling Name (CNAM) with standard pricing is included as Exhibit B to this Attachment. NEW EDGE NETWORKS must provide to its account manager a written request with a requested activation date to activate this service. If NEW EDGE NETWORKS is interested in requesting CNAM with volume and term pricing, NEW EDGE NETWORKS must contact its account manager to request a separate CNAM volume and term Agreement.

11.3 SCPs/Databases shall be equal to or better than all of the requirements for SCPs/Databases set forth in the applicable industry standard technical references.

11.4 **Service Creation Environment and Service Management System (SCE/SMS) Advanced Intelligent Network (AIN) Access**

11.4.1 BellSouth's Service Creation Environment and Service Management System (SCE/SMS) Advanced Intelligent Network (AIN) Access shall provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS the capability that will allow NEW EDGE NETWORKS and other third parties to create service applications in a BellSouth Service Creation Environment and deploy those applications in a BellSouth SMS to a BellSouth SCP. The third party service applications interact with AIN triggers provisioned on a BellSouth SSP.

11.4.2 BellSouth's SCE/SMS AIN Access shall provide access to SCE hardware, software, testing and technical support (e.g., help desk, system administrator) resources available to NEW EDGE NETWORKS. Scheduling procedures shall provide NEW EDGE NETWORKS equivalent priority to these resources.

11.4.2 BellSouth SCP shall partition and protect NEW EDGE NETWORKS service logic and data from unauthorized access, execution or other types of compromise.

11.4.3 When NEW EDGE NETWORKS selects SCE/SMS AIN Access, BellSouth shall provide training, documentation, and technical support to enable NEW EDGE NETWORKS to use BellSouth's SCE/SMS AIN Access to create and administer applications. Training, documentation, and technical support will address use of SCE and SMS access and administrative functions, but will not include support for the creation of a specific service application.

11.4.4 When NEW EDGE NETWORKS selects SCE/SMS AIN Access, BellSouth shall provide for a secure, controlled access environment in association with its internal use of AIN components. NEW EDGE NETWORKS access will be provided via remote data connection (e.g., dial-in, ISDN).

11.4.5 When NEW EDGE NETWORKS selects SCE/SMS AIN Access, BellSouth shall allow NEW EDGE NETWORKS to download data forms and/or tables to

BellSouth SCP via BellSouth SMS without intervention from BellSouth (e.g., service customization and end user subscription).

11.5 **Rates**

The prices that NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall pay to BellSouth for Network Elements and Other Services are set forth in Exhibit D to this Attachment.

12. Basic 911 and E911

12.1 All of the negotiated terms and conditions set forth in this Section pertain to the provision of Basic 911 and E911.

12.2 If NEW EDGE NETWORKS orders network elements and other services, then NEW EDGE NETWORKS is also responsible for providing E911 to its end users. BellSouth agrees to offer access to the 911/E911 network pursuant to the following terms and conditions set forth in this Attachment.

12.3 Definition

12.4 Basic 911 and E911 is an additional requirement that provides a caller access to the applicable emergency service bureau by dialing a 3-digit universal telephone number (911).

12.5 Requirements

12.5.1 Basic 911 Service Provisioning. For Basic 911 service, BellSouth will provide to NEW EDGE NETWORKS a list consisting of each municipality that subscribes to Basic 911 service. The list will also provide, if known, the E911 conversion date for each municipality and, for network routing purposes, a ten-digit directory number representing the appropriate emergency answering position for each municipality subscribing to 911. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be required to arrange to accept 911 calls from its end users in municipalities that subscribe to Basic 911 service and translate the 911 call to the appropriate 10-digit directory number as stated on the list provided by BellSouth. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be required to route that call to BellSouth at the appropriate tandem or end office. When a municipality converts to E911 service, NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be required to discontinue the Basic 911 procedures and being using E911 procedures.

12.5.2 E911 Service Provisioning. For E911 service, NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be required to install a minimum of two dedicated trunks originating from the NEW EDGE NETWORKS serving wire center and terminating to the appropriate E911 tandem. The dedicated trunks shall be, at a minimum, DS-0 level trunks configured either as a 2-wire analog interface or as part of a digital (1.544 Mb/s)

interface. Either configuration shall use CAMA-type signaling with multifrequency ("MF") pulsing that will deliver automatic number identification ("ANI") with the voice portion of the call. If the user interface is digital, MF pulses, as well as other AC signals, shall be encoded per the u-255 Law convention. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be required to provide BellSouth daily updates to the E911 database. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be required to forward 911 calls to the appropriate E911 tandem, along with ANI, based upon the current E911 end office to tandem homing arrangement as provided by BellSouth. If the E911 tandem trunks are not available, NEW EDGE NETWORKS will be required to route the call to a designated 7-digit local number residing in the appropriate Public Service Answering Point ("PSAP"). This call will be transported over BellSouth's interoffice network and will not carry the ANI of the calling party. NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall be responsible for providing BellSouth with complete and accurate data for submission to the 911/E911 database for the purpose of providing 911/E911 to its end users.

12.5.3 Rates. Charges for 911/E911 service are borne by the municipality purchasing the service. BellSouth will impose no charge on NEW EDGE NETWORKS beyond applicable charges for BellSouth trunking arrangements.

12.5.4 Basic 911 and E911 functions provided to NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall be at least at parity with the support and services that BellSouth provides to its end users for such similar functionality.

12.5.5 Detailed Practices and Procedures. The detailed practices and procedures contained in the E911 Local Exchange Carrier Guide For Facility-Based Providers as amended from time to time during the term of this Agreement will determine the appropriate practices and procedures for BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS to follow in providing 911/E911 services.

13. True-Up

This section applies only to Tennessee and other rates that are interim or expressly subject to true-up under this attachment.

13.1 The interim prices for Network Elements and Other Services and Local Interconnection shall be subject to true-up according to the following procedures:

13.2 The interim prices shall be trued-up, either up or down, based on final prices determined either by further agreement between the Parties, or by a final order (including any appeals) of the Commission which final order meets the criteria of (3) below. The Parties shall implement the true-up by comparing the actual volumes and demand for each item, together with interim prices for each item, with the final prices determined for each item. Each Party shall keep its own

records upon which the true-up can be based, and any final payment from one Party to the other shall be in an amount agreed upon by the Parties based on such records. In the event of any disagreement as between the records or the Parties regarding the amount of such true-up, the Parties agree that the body having jurisdiction over the matter shall be called upon to resolve such differences, or the Parties may mutually agree to submit the matter to the Dispute Resolution process in accordance with the provisions of Section 12 of the General Terms and Conditions and Attachment 1 of the Agreement.

13.3 The Parties may continue to negotiate toward final prices, but in the event that no such Agreement is reached within nine (9) months, either Party may petition the Commission to resolve such disputes and to determine final prices for each item. Alternatively, upon mutual agreement, the Parties may submit the matter to the Dispute Resolution Process set forth in Section 12 of the General

Terms and Conditions and Attachment 1 of the Agreement, so long as they file the resulting Agreement with the Commission as a "negotiated Agreement" under Section 252(e) of the Act.

13.4 A final order of this Commission that forms the basis of a true-up shall be the final order as to prices based on appropriate cost studies, or potentially may be a final order in any other Commission proceeding which meets the following criteria:

(a) BellSouth and NEW EDGE NETWORKS are entitled to be a full Party to the proceeding;

(b) It shall apply the provisions of the federal Telecommunications Act of 1996, including but not limited to Section 252(d)(1) (which contains pricing standards) and all then-effective implementing rules and regulations; and,

(c) It shall include as an issue the geographic deaveraging of network element and other services prices, which deaveraged prices, if any are required by said final order, shall form the basis of any true-up.

EXHIBIT A

LINE INFORMATION DATA BASE (LIDB)

STORAGE AGREEMENT

I. SCOPE

A. This Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions pursuant to which BellSouth agrees to store in its LIDB certain information at the request of NEW EDGE NETWORKS and pursuant to which BellSouth, its LIDB customers and NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall have access to such information. NEW EDGE NETWORKS understands that BellSouth provides access to information in its LIDB to various telecommunications service providers pursuant to applicable tariffs and agrees that information stored at the request of NEW EDGE NETWORKS, pursuant to this Agreement, shall be available to those telecommunications service providers. The terms and conditions contained in the attached Addendum(s) are hereby made a part of this Agreement as if fully incorporated herein.

B. LIDB is accessed for the following purposes:

1.Billed Number Screening

2.Calling Card Validation

3.Fraud Control

C. BellSouth will provide seven days per week, 24-hours per day, fraud monitoring on Calling Cards, bill-to-third and collect calls made to numbers in BellSouth's LIDB, provided that such information is included in the LIDB query. BellSouth will establish fraud alert thresholds and will notify NEW EDGE NETWORKS of fraud alerts so that NEW EDGE NETWORKS may take action it deems appropriate. NEW EDGE NETWORKS understands and agrees BellSouth will administer all data stored in the LIDB, including the data provided by NEW EDGE NETWORKS pursuant to this Agreement, in the same manner as BellSouth's data for BellSouth's end user customers. BellSouth shall not be responsible to NEW EDGE NETWORKS for any lost revenue which may result from BellSouth's administration of the LIDB pursuant to its established practices and procedures as they exist and as they may be changed by BellSouth in its sole discretion from time to time.

NEW EDGE NETWORKS understands that BellSouth currently has in effect numerous billing and collection agreements with various interexchange carriers and

billing clearing houses. NEW EDGE NETWORKS further understands that these billing and collection customers of BellSouth query BellSouth's LIDB to determine whether to accept various billing options from end users. Additionally, NEW EDGE NETWORKS understands that presently BellSouth has no method to differentiate between BellSouth's own billing and line data in the LIDB and such data which it includes in the LIDB on NEW EDGE NETWORKS's behalf pursuant to this Agreement. Therefore, until such time as BellSouth can and does implement in its LIDB and its supporting systems the means to differentiate NEW EDGE NETWORKS's data from BellSouth's data and the Parties to this Agreement execute appropriate amendments hereto, the following terms and conditions shall apply:

(a) NEW EDGE NETWORKS agrees that it will accept responsibility for telecommunications services billed by BellSouth for its billing and collection customers for NEW EDGE NETWORKS's end user accounts which are resident in LIDB pursuant to this Agreement. NEW EDGE NETWORKS authorizes BellSouth to place such charges on NEW EDGE NETWORKS's bill from BellSouth and agrees that it shall pay all such charges. Charges for which NEW EDGE NETWORKS hereby takes responsibility include, but are not limited to, collect and third number calls.

(b) Charges for such services shall appear on a separate BellSouth bill page identified with the name of the entity for which BellSouth is billing the charge.

(c) NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall have the responsibility to render a billing statement to its end users for these charges, but NEW EDGE NETWORKS's obligation to pay BellSouth for the charges billed shall be independent of whether NEW EDGE NETWORKS is able or not to collect from NEW EDGE NETWORKS's end users.

(d) BellSouth shall not become involved in any disputes between NEW EDGE NETWORKS and the entities for which BellSouth performs billing and collection. BellSouth will not issue adjustments for charges billed on behalf of an entity to NEW EDGE NETWORKS. It shall be the responsibility of NEW EDGE NETWORKS and the other entity to negotiate and arrange for any appropriate adjustments.

II. TERM

This Agreement will be effective as of _____, and will continue in effect for one year, and thereafter may be continued until terminated by either Party upon thirty (30) days written notice to the other Party.

III. FEES FOR SERVICE AND TAXES

A. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will not be charged a fee for storage services provided by BellSouth to NEW EDGE NETWORKS, as described in Section I of this Agreement.

B. Sales, use and all other taxes (excluding taxes on BellSouth's income) determined by BellSouth or any taxing authority to be due to any federal, state or local taxing jurisdiction with respect to the provision of the service set forth herein will be paid by NEW EDGE NETWORKS. NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall have the right to have BellSouth contest with the imposing jurisdiction, at NEW EDGE NETWORKS's expense, any such taxes that NEW EDGE NETWORKS deems are improperly levied.

IV. INDEMNIFICATION

To the extent not prohibited by law, each Party will indemnify the other and hold the other harmless against any loss, cost, claim, injury, or liability relating to or arising out of negligence or willful misconduct by the indemnifying Party or its agents or contractors in connection with the indemnifying Party's provision of services, provided, however, that any indemnity for any loss, cost, claim, injury or liability arising out of or relating to errors or omissions in the provision of services under this Agreement shall be limited as otherwise specified in this Agreement. The indemnifying Party under this Section agrees to defend any suit brought against the other Party for any such loss, cost, claim, injury or liability. The indemnified Party agrees to notify the other Party promptly, in writing, of any written claims, lawsuits, or demands for which the other Party is responsible under this Section and to cooperate in every reasonable way to facilitate defense or settlement of claims. The indemnifying Party shall not be liable under this Section for settlement by the indemnified Party of any claim, lawsuit, or demand unless the defense of the claim, lawsuit, or demand has been tendered to it in writing and the indemnifying Party has unreasonably failed to assume such defense.

V. LIMITATION OF LIABILITY

Neither Party shall be liable to the other Party for any lost profits or revenues or for any indirect, incidental or consequential damages incurred by the other Party arising from this Agreement or the services performed or not performed hereunder, regardless of the cause of such loss or damage.

VI. MISCELLANEOUS

A. It is understood and agreed to by the Parties that BellSouth may provide similar services to other companies.

B. All terms, conditions and operations under this Agreement shall be performed in accordance with, and subject to, all applicable local, state or federal legal and regulatory tariffs, rulings, and other requirements of the federal courts, the U. S. Department of Justice and state and federal regulatory agencies. Nothing in this Agreement shall be construed to cause either Party to violate any such legal or regulatory requirement and either Party's obligation to perform shall be subject to all such requirements.

C. NEW EDGE NETWORKS agrees to submit to BellSouth all advertising, sales promotion, press releases, and other publicity matters relating to this Agreement wherein BellSouth's corporate or trade names, logos, trademarks or service marks or those of BellSouth's affiliated companies are mentioned or language from which the connection of said names or trademarks therewith may be inferred or implied; and NEW EDGE NETWORKS further agrees not to publish or use advertising, sales promotions, press releases, or publicity matters without BellSouth's prior written approval.

D. This Agreement constitutes the entire Agreement between NEW EDGE NETWORKS and BellSouth which supersedes all prior Agreements or contracts, oral or written representations, statements, negotiations, understandings, proposals and undertakings with respect to the subject matter hereof.

E. Except as expressly provided in this Agreement, if any part of this Agreement is held or construed to be invalid or unenforceable, the validity of any other Section of this Agreement shall remain in full force and effect to the extent permissible or appropriate in furtherance of the intent of this Agreement.

F. Neither Party shall be held liable for any delay or failure in performance of any part of this Agreement for any cause beyond its control and without its fault or negligence, such as acts of God, acts of civil or military authority, government regulations, embargoes, epidemics, war, terrorist acts, riots, insurrections, fires, explosions, earthquakes, nuclear accidents, floods, strikes, power blackouts, volcanic action, other major environmental disturbances, unusually severe weather conditions, inability to secure products or services of other persons or transportation facilities, or acts or omissions of transportation common carriers.

G. This Agreement shall be deemed to be a contract made under the laws of the State of Georgia, and the construction, interpretation and performance of this Agreement and all transactions hereunder shall be governed by the domestic law of such State.

FACILITIES BASED ADDENDUM

TO LINE INFORMATION DATA BASE (LIDB)

STORAGE AGREEMENT

This is a Facilities Based Addendum to the Line Information Data Base Storage Agreement dated _____, between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), and _____("NEW EDGE NETWORKS"), effective the _____ day of _____, _____.

I. GENERAL

This Addendum sets forth the terms and conditions for NEW EDGE NETWORKS's provision of billing number information to BellSouth for inclusion in BellSouth's LIDB. BellSouth will store in its LIDB the billing number information provided by NEW EDGE NETWORKS, and BellSouth will provide responses to on-line, call-by-call queries to this information for purposes specified in Section I.B. of the Agreement.

II. DEFINITIONS

A. Billing number - a number that NEW EDGE NETWORKS creates for the purpose of identifying an account liable for charges. This number may be a line or a special billing number.

B. Line number - a ten digit number that identifies a telephone line administered by NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

C. Special billing number - a ten digit number that identifies a billing account established by NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

D. Calling Card number - a billing number plus PIN number.

E. PIN number - a four digit security code assigned by NEW EDGE NETWORKS which is added to a billing number to compose a fourteen digit calling card number.

F. Toll billing exception indicator - associated with a billing number to indicate that it is considered invalid for billing of collect calls or third number calls or both, by NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

G. Billed Number Screening - refers to the activity of determining whether a toll billing exception indicator is present for a particular billing number.

H. Calling Card Validation - refers to the activity of determining whether a particular calling card number exists as stated or otherwise provided by a caller.

I. Billing number information - information about billing number, Calling Card number and toll billing exception indicator provided to BellSouth by NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

III. RESPONSIBILITIES OF PARTIES

A. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will provide its billing number information to BellSouth's LIDB each business day by a method that has been mutually agreed upon by both Parties.

B. BellSouth will store in its LIDB the billing number information provided by NEW EDGE NETWORKS. Under normal operating conditions, BellSouth shall include NEW EDGE NETWORKS's billing number information in its LIDB no later than two business days following BellSouth's receipt of such billing number information, provided that BellSouth shall not be held responsible for any delay or failure in performance to the extent such delay or failure is caused by circumstances or conditions beyond BellSouth's reasonable control. BellSouth will store in its LIDB an unlimited volume of NEW EDGE NETWORKS's working telephone numbers.

C. BellSouth will provide responses to on-line, call-by-call queries to the stored information for the specific purposes listed in the next paragraph.

D. BellSouth is authorized to use the billing number information provided by NEW EDGE NETWORKS to perform the following functions for authorized users on an on-line basis:

1. Validate a 14 digit Calling Card number where the first 10 digits are a line number or special billing number assigned by NEW EDGE NETWORKS, and where the last four digits (PIN) are a security code assigned by NEW EDGE NETWORKS.

2. Determine whether NEW EDGE NETWORKS or the subscriber has identified the billing number as one which should not be billed for collect or third number calls, or both.

E. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will provide its own billing number information to BellSouth for storage and to be used for Billed Number Screening and Calling Card Validation. NEW EDGE NETWORKS will arrange and pay for transport of updates to BellSouth.

IV. COMPLIANCE

Unless expressly authorized in writing by NEW EDGE NETWORKS, all billing number information provided pursuant to this Addendum shall be used for no purposes other than those set forth in this Addendum.

EXHIBIT B

CALLING NAME DELIVERY (CNAM) DATABASE SERVICES

1. Definitions

For the purpose of this Attachment, the following terms shall be defined as:

CALLING NAME DELIVERY DATABASE SERVICE (CNAM) - The ability to associate a name with the calling party number, allowing the end user subscriber (to which a call is being terminated) to view the calling party's name before the call is answered. This service also provides NEW EDGE NETWORKS the opportunity to load and store its subscriber names in the BellSouth CNAM SCPs.

CALLING PARTY NUMBER (CPN) - The number of the calling party that is delivered to the terminating switch using common channel signaling system 7 (CCS7) technology, and that is contained in the Initial Address Message (IAM) portion of the CCS7 call setup.

COMMON CHANNEL SIGNALING SYSTEM 7 (CCS7) - A network signaling technology in which all signaling information between two or more nodes is transmitted over high-speed data links, rather than over voice circuits.

SERVICE CONTROL POINTs (SCPs) - The real-time data base systems that contain the names to be provided in response to queries received from CNAM SSPs.

SERVICE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (SMS) - The main operations support system of CNAM DATABASE SERVICE. CNAM records are loaded into the SMS, which in turn downloads into the CNAM SCP.

SERVICE SWITCHING POINTs (SSPs) - Features of computerized switches in the telephone network that determine that a terminating line has subscribed to CNAM service, and then communicate with CNAM SCPs in order to provide the name associated with the calling party number.

SUBSYSTEM NUMBER (SSN) - The address used in the Signaling Connection Control Part (SCCP) layer of the SS7 protocol to designate an application at an end signaling point. A SSN for CNAM at the end office designates the CNAM application within the end office. BellSouth uses the CNAM SSN of 232.

2. Attachment

2.1 This Attachment contains the terms and conditions where BellSouth will provide to the NEW EDGE NETWORKS access to the BellSouth CNAM SCP for query or record storage purposes.

2.2 NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall submit to BellSouth a notice of its intent to access and utilize BellSouth CNAM Database Services pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Attachment. Said notice shall be in writing, no less than 60 days prior to NEW EDGE NETWORKS's access to BellSouth's CNAM Database Services and shall be addressed to NEW EDGE NETWORKS's Account Manager.

3. Physical Connection and Compensation

3.1 BellSouth's provision of CNAM Database Services to NEW EDGE NETWORKS requires interconnection from NEW EDGE NETWORKS to BellSouth CNAM Service Control Points (SCPs). Such interconnections shall be established pursuant to Attachment 3 of this Agreement . The appropriate charge for access to and use of the BellSouth CNAM Database service shall be as set forth in this Attachment.

3.2 In order to formulate a CNAM query to be sent to the BellSouth CNAM SCP, NEW EDGE NETWORKS shall provide its own CNAM SSP. NEW EDGE NETWORKS's CNAM SSPs must be compliant with TR-NWT-001188, "CLASS Calling Name Delivery Generic Requirements".

3.3 If NEW EDGE NETWORKS elects to access the BellSouth CNAM SCP via a third party CCS7 transport provider, the third party CCS7 provider shall interconnect with the BellSouth CCS7 network according to BellSouth's Common Channel Signaling Interconnection Guidelines and Telcordia (formerly BellCore)'s CCS Network Interface Specification document, TR-TSV-000905. In addition, the third party provider shall establish CCS7 interconnection at the BellSouth Local Signal Transfer Points (LSTPs) serving the BellSouth CNAM SCPs that NEW EDGE NETWORKS desires to query.

3.4 Out-Of-Region Customers

If the customer queries the BellSouth CNAM SCP via a third party national SS7 transport provider, the third party SS7 provider shall interconnect with the BellSouth CCS7 network according to BellSouth's Common Channel Signaling Interconnection Guidelines and Telcordia's (formerly BellCore's) CCS Network Interface Specification document, TR-TSV-000905. In addition, the third party provider shall establish SS7 interconnection at one or more of the BellSouth Gateway Signal Transfer Points (STPs). The payment of all costs associated with the transport of SS7 signals via a third party will be established by mutual agreement of the Parties in writing and shall, by this reference become an integral part of this Agreement.

4. CNAM Record Initial Load and Updates

4.1 The mechanism to be used by NEW EDGE NETWORKS for initial CNAM record load and/or updates shall be determined by mutual agreement. The initial load and all updates shall be provided by NEW EDGE NETWORKS in the BellSouth specified format and shall contain records for every working telephone number that can originate phone calls. It is the responsibility of NEW EDGE NETWORKS to provide accurate information to BellSouth on a current basis.

4.2 Updates to the SMS shall occur no less than once a week, reflect service order activity affecting either name or telephone number, and involve only record additions, deletions or changes.

4.3 4.3 NEW EDGE NETWORKS CNAM records provided for storage in the BellSouth CNAM SCP shall be available, on a SCP query basis only, to all Parties querying the BellSouth CNAM SCP. Further, CNAM service shall be provided by each Party consistent with state and/or federal regulation

EXHIBIT C

CLEC/BellSouth Line Sharing Jointly Developed

Rules for Splitter Allocation

BellSouth is unable to obtain a sufficient number of splitters for placement in all central offices requested by competitive local exchange carriers ("CLECs") by June 6, 2000. As a result of the current shortage of splitters, CLECs and BellSouth developed the following rules for splitter allocation. These rules shall apply until such time as those CLECs participating in the creation of the rules agree that the regular splitter installation rules should apply.

1. There shall be a single CLEC priority list of central offices that shall consist of the Georgia CLEC priority list combined with the priority list from the other states in BellSouth's nine-state region (the "Priority List"). This priority list shall be used for filling orders; it shall determine the order in which splitters will be deployed in those central offices for which splitters have been ordered. Georgia central offices (CO) will have priority over other state's COs.

2. During the allocation period, a CLEC may order 24 ports or 96 ports. In either event, BellSouth shall install a 96 port splitter in accordance with the Priority List. However, during the allocation period, in the event a CLEC orders 96 ports, BellSouth will only allocate 24 ports of the 96 port splitter to the first CLEC that orders a splitter for that central office, thus creating a backlog of 72 ports that have already been ordered by that CLEC ("Backlog"). In the event of a Backlog, BellSouth will charge CLEC a monthly recurring charge appropriate for the number of ports allocated to CLEC. In addition, if CLEC requested a 96 port splitter, it shall pay a non-recurring charge for a 96 port splitter, but shall pay no non-recurring charges when additional ports are added to alleviate the Backlog.

3. BellSouth will allocate, on a first-come/first-served basis, the remaining 72 ports of the splitter (in blocks of 24 ports) to the other CLECs that place an order for a splitter at that same central office.

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4. A firm order for a splitter issued to the BellSouth Complex Resale Support Group (CRSG) on or by April 26, 2000, with due date of June 6, 2000, or sooner, will be given priority over orders received after April 26, 2000. Orders for the first 200 splitters received prior to April 26, 2000, will be installed on or before June 5, 2000,

and shall be installed in accordance with the priority list. The first 25 splitter orders shall be installed no later than May 22, 2000.

5. In the event CLECs submit to BellSouth more than 200 splitter orders on or before April 26, 2000, BellSouth shall install fifty (50) splitters a week each week after June 5, 2000.

6. In the event there are more than four (4) orders submitted on or before April 26, 2000, for a splitter at a particular central office, a second splitter will be installed at that central office in accordance with the Priority List.

7. Backlogs associated with orders submitted on or before April 26, 2000 will be fulfilled in their entirety before any orders received after April 26, 2000 are worked. In fulfilling a Backlog, the CLEC's additional ports may not be on the same shelf as the initial 24 ports.

Orders Received after April 26, 2000

8. Irrespective of the Priority List, no orders received after April 26, 2000, will be worked until after all orders received on or before April 26, 2000 have been completed.

9. Once all orders received on or before April 26, 2000, have been worked in their entirety, orders received after April 26, 2000, will have a minimum interval of forty-two (42) calendar days from date of receipt.

Orders Submitted with Due Dates After June 6, 2000

10. Any order submitted on or before April 26, 2000, with a due date of after June 6, 2000, will be completed according to the due date provided there is available inventory and all orders with a due date of June 6, 2000 or earlier have been completed.

EXHIBIT C

Georgia Rating/Ranking of Central Offices for Linesharing

March 9, 2000 **Covad, Rhythms, NorthPoint, New Edge**

CLLI	Combined Ranking
MRTTGAMA	1
RSWLGAMA	2
ATLNGABU	3
ATLNGAPP	4
DLTHGAHS	5
ATLNGASS	6
CHMBGAMA	7
AGSTGAAU	8
LRVLGAOS	9
MRTTGAEA	10
SMYRGAMA	11
LLBNGAMA	12
WDSTGACR	13
ATHNGAMA	14
AGSTGAFL	15
AGSTGATH	16
JNBOGAMA	17
NRCRGAMA	18
ATLNGATH	19
ALPRGAMA	20
DNWDGAMA	21
CMNGGAMA	22
AGSTGAMT	23
ALBYGAMA	24
GSVLGAMA	25
SNLVGAMA	26
ATLNGAIC	27
ATLNGAEP	28
TUKRGAMA	29
ROMEGATL	30
VLDSGAMA	31
MACNGAMT	32
ASTLGAMA	33
SMYRGAPF	34
DGVLGAMA	35
ATLNGAEL	36

SNMTGALR	37
CNYRGAMA	38
MACNGAVN	39
WRRBGAMA	40
NWNNGAMA	41
ATLNGAWD	42
GRFNGAMA	43
PANLGAMA	44
BUFRGABH	45
ATLNGACD	46
MACNGAGP	47
SVNHGABS	48
ATLNGACS	49
PTCYGAMA	50
RVDLGAMA	51
STBRGANH	52
MCDNGAGS	53
ATLNGAWE	54
SVNHGADE	55
SVNHGAWB	56
ATLNGAGR	57
ATLNGAAD	58
CRVLGAMA	59
ACWOGAMA	60
ATLNGABH	61
FYVLGASG	62
SVNHGAGC	63
SVNHGAWI	64
ATLNGAFP	65
ATLNGAHR	66
PWSPGAAS	67
CRTNGAMA	68
ATLNGALA	69
MRRWGAMA	70
CLMBGAMT	71
CLMBGAMW	72
LTHNGAJS	73
CVTNGAMT	74
DLLSGAES	75
FRBNGAEB	76
CLMBGABV	77
BRWKGAMA	78
ATLNGAQS	79

CNTNGAXB	80
LGVLGACS	81
SSISGAES	81

EXHIBIT C

BellSouth Central Offices (All states excluding GA)

Ref. #	CLLI	State	Combined CLEC Rank
312	PRRNFLMA	FL	1
1330	MMPHTNBA	TN	2
1362	NSVLTNMT	TN	3
202	GSVLFLNW	FL	4
1	ALBSALMA	AL	5
13	BRHMALCH	AL	6
268	MLBRFLMA	FL	7
1337	MMPHTNMA	TN	8
285	ORLDFLAP	FL	9
1335	MMPHTNGT	TN	10
208	HLWDFLPE	FL	11
289	ORLDFLPH	FL	12
1333	MMPHTNEL	TN	13
324	STRTFLMA	FL	14
14	BRHMALCP	AL	15
15	BRHMALEL	AL	16
1141	CLMASCSN	SC	17
1240	CHTGTNNS	TN	18
1339	MMPHTNOA	TN	19
1073	RLGHNCSI	NC	20
299	PMBHFLCS	FL	21
698	NWORLASW	LA	22
1354	NSVLTNBW	TN	23
1309	KNVLTNMA	TN	24
16	BRHMALEN	AL	25
17	BRHMALEW	AL	26
1345	MRBOTNMA	TN	27
1364	NSVLTNUN	TN	28
623	KNNRLABR	LA	29
984	CARYNCCE	NC	30
333	WPBHFLGA	FL	31
1356	NSVLTNCH	TN	32
1363	NSVLTNST	TN	33
429	LSVLKYAP	KY	34
20	BRHMALHW	AL	35
21	BRHMALMT	AL	36
638	LFYTLAMA	LA	37
1306	KNTNTNMA	TN	38
693	NWORLAMT	LA	39

149	BCRTFLMA	FL	40
150	BCRTFLSA	FL	41
1340	MMPHTNSL	TN	42
1338	MMPHTNMT	TN	43
307	PNSCFLFP	FL	44
22	BRHMALOM	AL	45
23	BRHMALOX	AL	46
176	DYBHFLMA	FL	47
1352	NSVLTNAP	TN	48
1332	MMPHTNCT	TN	49
334	WPBHFLGR	FL	50
249	MIAMFLCA	FL	51
732	SLIDLAMA	LA	52
1307	KNVLTNBE	TN	53
64	MTGMALDA	AL	54
24	BRHMALRC	AL	55
26	BRHMALVA	AL	56
196	FTPRFLMA	FL	57
1272	FKLNTNMA	TN	58
695	NWORLARV	LA	59
1019	GNBONCAS	NC	60
1068	RLGHNCGL	NC	61
692	NWORLAMR	LA	62
1310	KNVLTNWH	TN	63
179	DYBHFLPO	FL	64
34	BSMRALMA	AL	65
148	BCRTFLBT	FL	66
233	JPTRFLMA	FL	67
1357	NSVLTNDO	TN	68
697	NWORLASK	LA	69
189	FTLDFLJA	FL	70
262	MIAMFLRR	FL	71
288	ORLDFLPC	FL	72
1361	NSVLTNMC	TN	73
667	MONRLAMA	LA	74
664	MNFDLAMA	LA	75
157	BYBHFLMA	FL	76
170	DLBHFLKP	FL	77
554	BTRGLAGW	LA	78
1237	CHTGTNDT	TN	79
232	JCVLFLWC	FL	80
253	MIAMFLHL	FL	81
988	CHRLNCCE	NC	82

431	LSVLKYBR	KY	83
1353	NSVLTNBV	TN	84
1158	FLRNSCMA	SC	85
171	DLBHFLMA	FL	86
174	DRBHFLMA	FL	87
1323	MAVLTNMA	TN	88
1358	NSVLTNGH	TN	89
230	JCVLFLSJ	FL	90
301	PMBHFLMA	FL	91
265	MIAMFLWD	FL	92
287	ORLDFLMA	FL	93
1366	NSVLTNWM	TN	94
164	COCOFLMA	FL	95
187	FTLDFLCR	FL	96
188	FTLDFLCY	FL	97
330	VRBHFLMA	FL	98
1280	GDVLTNMA	TN	99
696	NWORLASC	LA	100
264	MIAMFLSO	FL	101
989	CHRLNCCR	NC	102
683	NWORLAAR	LA	103
1311	KNVLTNYH	TN	104
557	BTRGLAMA	LA	105
190	FTLDFLMR	FL	106
191	FTLDFLOA	FL	107
1250	CLVLTNMA	TN	108
987	CHRLNCCA	NC	109
430	LSVLKYBE	KY	110
338	WPBHFLRP	FL	111
271	MNDRFLLO	FL	112
229	JCVLFLRV	FL	113
1020	GNBONCEU	NC	114
306	PNSCFLBL	FL	115
192	FTLDFLPL	FL	116
194	FTLDFLSU	FL	117
1236	CHTGTNBR	TN	118
986	CHRLNCBO	NC	119
687	NWORLACM	LA	120
1004	CPHLNCRO	NC	121
209	HLWDFLWH	FL	122
1341	MMPHTNST	TN	123
996	CHRLNCSH	NC	124
848	JCSNMSCP	MS	125

195	FTLDFLWN	FL	126
206	HLWDFLHA	FL	127
969	AHVLNCOH	NC	128
995	CHRLNCRE	NC	129
227	JCVLFLNO	FL	130
442	LSVLKYWE	KY	131
1069	RLGHNCHO	NC	132
436	LSVLKYOA	KY	133
992	CHRLNCLP	NC	134
356	BWLGKYMA	KY	135
207	HLWDFLMA	FL	136
218	JCBHFLMA	FL	137
305	PNCYFLMA	FL	138
1022	GNBONCLA	NC	139
220	JCVLFLAR	FL	140
335	WPBHFLHH	FL	141
319	SNFRFLMA	FL	142
439	LSVLKYSM	KY	143
222	JCVLFLCL	FL	144
90	TSCLALMT	AL	145
221	JCVLFLBW	FL	146
223	JCVLFLFC	FL	147
1247	CLEVTNMA	TN	148
201	GSVLFLMA	FL	149
691	NWORLAMC	LA	150
300	PMBHFLFE	FL	151
293	OVIDFLCA	FL	152
594	FKTNLAMA	LA	153
231	JCVLFLSM	FL	154
66	MTGMALMT	AL	155
243	MIAMFLAE	FL	156
245	MIAMFLAP	FL	157
99	DCTRALMT	AL	158
217	JCBHFLAB	FL	159
286	ORLDFLCL	FL	160
1102	WNSLNCVI	NC	161
428	LSVLKYAN	KY	162
981	BURLNCDA	NC	163
59	MOBLALSH	AL	164
314	PTSLFLMA	FL	165
246	MIAMFLBA	FL	166
248	MIAMFLBR	FL	167
123	HNVIALMT	AL	168

19	BRHMALFS	AL	169
690	NWORLAMA	LA	170
1287	HDVLTNMA	TN	171
290	ORLDFLSA	FL	172
1028	GSTANCSO	NC	173
52	MOBLALAZ	AL	174
1211	SUVLSCMA	SC	175
251	MIAMFLFL	FL	176
252	MIAMFLGR	FL	177
1131	CHTNSCWA	SC	178
54	MOBLALOS	AL	179
75	PNSNALMA	AL	180
1058	MTOLNCCE	NC	181
1070	RLGHNCJO	NC	182
1099	WNSLNCFI	NC	183
124	HNVIALPW	AL	184
472	OWBOKYMA	KY	185
254	MIAMFLIC	FL	186
1125	CHTNSCDP	SC	187
255	MIAMFLKE	FL	188
1140	CLMASCSH	SC	189
441	LSVLKYVS	KY	190
311	PNVDFLMA	FL	191
277	NDADFLBR	FL	192
1312	LBNNTNMA	TN	193
1166	GNVLSCDT	SC	194
281	NSBHFLMA	FL	195
256	MIAMFLME	FL	196
257	MIAMFLNM	FL	197
558	BTRGLAOH	LA	198
1126	CHTNSCDT	SC	199
33	BSMRALHT	AL	200
337	WPBHFLRB	FL	201
291	ORPKFLMA	FL	202
997	CHRLNCTH	NC	203
1169	GNVLSCWR	SC	204
327	TTVLFLMA	FL	205
260	MIAMFLPB	FL	206
261	MIAMFLPL	FL	207
849	JCSNMSMB	MS	208
1188	MNPLSCES	SC	209
577	CVTNLAMA	LA	210
279	NDADFLOL	FL	211

998	CHRLNCUN	NC	212
1071	RLGHNCMO	NC	213
1130	CHTNSCNO	SC	214
310	PNSCFLWA	FL	215
276	NDADFLAC	FL	216
266	MIAMFLWM	FL	217
177	DYBHFLOB	FL	218
1138	CLMASCSA	SC	219
686	NWORLACA	LA	220
1067	RLGHNCGA	NC	221
336	WPBHFLLE	FL	222
624	KNNRLAHN	LA	223
1207	SPBGSCMA	SC	224
1080	SLBRNCMA	NC	225
278	NDADFLGG	FL	226
302	PMBHFLTA	FL	227
1143	CLMASCSW	SC	228
440	LSVLKYTS	KY	229
1257	CRTHTNMA	TN	230
28	BRHMALWL	AL	231
435	LSVLKYJT	KY	232
639	LFYTLAVM	LA	233
332	WPBHFLAN	FL	234
1369	OKRGTNMT	TN	235
126	HNVIALUN	AL	236
438	LSVLKYSL	KY	237
483	PMBRKYMA	KY	238
292	ORPKFLRW	FL	239
559	BTRGLASB	LA	240
729	SHPTLAMA	LA	241
433	LSVLKYFC	KY	242
432	LSVLKYCW	KY	243
1300	JCSNTNMA	TN	244
561	BTRGLAWN	LA	245
1101	WNSLNCLE	NC	246
1277	GALLTNMA	TN	247
556	BTRGLAIS	LA	248
726	SHPTLABS	LA	249
689	NWORLALK	LA	250
1254	CNVLTNMA	TN	251
642	LKCHLADT	LA	252
727	SHPTLACL	LA	253
1388	SMYRTNMA	TN	254

1262	DKSNTNMT	TN	255
728	SHPTLAHD	LA	256
1031	HNVLNCCH	NC	257
971	APEXNCCE	NC	258
990	CHRLNCDE	NC	259
1346	MRTWTNMA	TN	260
852	JCSNMSRW	MS	261
1394	SPFDTNMA	TN	262
665	MNVLLAMA	LA	263
1023	GNBONCMC	NC	264
1106	AIKNSCMA	SC	265
991	CHRLNCER	NC	266
1072	RLGHNCSB	NC	267
645	LKCHLAUN	LA	268
1045	LNTNNCMA	NC	269
263	MIAMFLSH	FL	270
1017	GLBONCMA	NC	271
1308	KNVLTNFC	TN	272
1135	CLMASCCH	SC	273
1100	WNSLNCGL	NC	274
824	GLPTMSTS	MS	275
258	MIAMFLNS	FL	276
67	MTGMALNO	AL	277
259	MIAMFLOL	FL	278
1398	SVVLTNMT	TN	279
993	CHRLNCMI	NC	280
1085	SSVLNCMA	NC	281
982	BURLNCEL	NC	282
731	SHPTLASG	LA	283
1024	GNBONCPG	NC	284
74	PHCYALMA	AL	285
244	MIAMFLAL	FL	286
296	PCBHFLNT	FL	287
1037	KNDLNCCE	NC	288
165	COCOFLME	FL	289
434	LSVLKYHA	KY	290
838	HTBGMSMA	MS	291
1078	SELMNCMA	NC	292
60	MOBLALSK	AL	293
1009	DVSNNCPO	NC	294
582	DNSPLAMA	LA	295
1098	WNSLNCCL	NC	296
10	AUBNALMA	AL	297

1083	SRFDNCCE	NC	298
399	FRFTKYMA	KY	299
247	MIAMFLBC	FL	300
1248	CLMATNMA	TN	301
1018	GNBONCAP	NC	302
1136	CLMASCDF	SC	303
1105	ZBLNNCCE	NC	304
321	STAGFLMA	FL	305
1096	WNDLNCPI	NC	306
846	JCSNMSBL	MS	307
11	BLFNALMA	AL	308
427	LSVLKY26	KY	309
193	FTLDFLSG	FL	310
1242	CHTGTNRO	TN	311
212	HMSTFLNA	FL	312
159	CCBHFLMA	FL	313
985	CARYNCWS	NC	314
560	BTRGLASW	LA	315
295	PAHKFLMA	FL	316
1133	CLMASCAR	SC	317
250	MIAMFLDB	FL	318
122	HNVIALLW	AL	319
1066	RLGHNCDU	NC	320
1142	CLMASCSU	SC	321
210	HMSTFLEA	FL	322
154	BLGLFLMA	FL	323
1258	CRVLTNMA	TN	324
851	JCSNMSPC	MS	325
1241	CHTGTNRB	TN	326
1053	MGTNNCGR	NC	327
89	TSCLALDH	AL	328
ADD	HNVIALRA	AL	329
730	SHPTLAQB	LA	330
978	BOONNCKI	NC	331
839	HTBGMSWE	MS	332
8	ATHNALMA	AL	333
610	HMNDLAMA	LA	334
874	MDSNMSES	MS	335
71	OPLKALMT	AL	336
769	BILXMSED	MS	337
269	MLTNFLRA	FL	338
1301	JCSNTNNS	TN	339
55	MOBLALPR	AL	340

552	BTRGLABK	LA	341
847	JCSNMSCB	MS	342
437	LSVLKYSH	KY	343
1129	CHTNSCLB	SC	344
492	RCMDKYMA	KY	345
411	HNSNKYMA	KY	346
1040	LENRNCHA	NC	347
1190	NAGSSCMA	SC	348
77	PRVLALMA	AL	349
213	HTISFLMA	FL	350
972	ARDNNCCE	NC	351
200	GLBRFLMC	FL	352
823	GLPTMSLY	MS	353
315	PTSLFLSO	FL	354
51	MOBLALAP	AL	355
1127	CHTNSCJM	SC	356
893	OCSPMSGO	MS	357
91	TSCLALNO	AL	358
317	SBSTFLMA	FL	359
527	WNCHKYMA	KY	360
58	MOBLALSF	AL	361
1239	CHTGTNMV	TN	362
1016	GLBONCAD	NC	363
770	BILXMSMA	MS	364
1400	TLLHTNMA	TN	365
109	FRHPALMA	AL	366
1368	NWPTTNMT	TN	367
56	MOBLALSA	AL	368
666	MONRLADS	LA	369
668	MONRLAWM	LA	370
57	MOBLALSE	AL	371
404	GRTWKYMA	KY	372
970	AHVLNCOT	NC	373
1385	SHVLTNMA	TN	374
780	BRNDMSES	MS	375
1414	WNCHTNMA	TN	376
1347	MSCTTNMT	TN	377
1315	LNCYTNMA	TN	378
240	LYHNFLOH	FL	379
1374	PLSKTNMA	TN	380
1317	LRBGTNMA	TN	381
555	BTRGLAHR	LA	382
294	PACEFLPV	FL	383

850	JCSNMSNR	MS	384
1243	CHTGTNSE	TN	385
204	HBSDFLMA	FL	386
1319	LXTNTNMA	TN	387
1343	MNCHTNMA	TN	388
1249	CLTNTNMA	TN	389
322	STAGFLSH	FL	390
1041	LENRNCHU	NC	391
308	PNSCFLHC	FL	392
1285	GTBGTNMT	TN	393
968	AHVLNCBI	NC	394
1238	CHTGTNHT	TN	395
304	PNCYFLCA	FL	396

BELLSOUTH/NEW EDGE RATES
NETWORK ELEMENTS
AND OTHER SERVICES

DESCRIPTION	USOC	AL	FL	GA	KY	LA	MS	NC	SC	TN
LOCAL EXCHANGE SWITCHING (PORTS)										
2-Wire Analog Line Port (Res., Bus.), per month										
2-Wire Voice Grade Line Port (Residence), per month										
2- wire voice unbundled port - residence	UEPRL	$2.07	$2.00 - Note 1	$1.85 - Note 1	$2.61 - Note 1	$2.20	$2.11	$2.19	$2.35	$1.90 - Note 1
2-wire voice unbundled port with caller ID - residence	UEPRC	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled port outgoing only - residence	UEPRO	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-wire voice grade unbundled Alabama extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPAR	$2.07	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice grade unbundled Kentucky extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPRM	NA	NA	NA	$2.61	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice grade unbundled Louisiana extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPAS	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.20	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice grade unbundled Mississippi extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPAT	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.11	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice grade unbundled South Carolina extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPAU	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.35	NA
2-wire voice grade unbundled Tennessee extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPAQ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled Florida area calling with caller ID - residence	UEPAF	NA	$2.00	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Louisiana Area Plus with caller ID - residence (RUL)	UEPAG	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.20	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Louisiana Area Plus with caller ID - residence (AC7)	UEPAH	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.20	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled South Carolina Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (LW8)	UEPAJ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.35	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (F2R)	UEPAK	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (TACER)	UEPAL	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (TACSR)	UEPAM	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (1MF2X)	UEPAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (2MR)	UEPAO	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled res, low usage line port with Caller ID (LUM)	UEPAP	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
LOCAL NUMBER PORTABILITY (REQUIRES ONE PER PORT)	LNPCX									
2-Wire Voice Grade Line Port(Business), per month										
2-wire voice unbundled port without Caller ID	UEPBL	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled port with unbundled port with Caller+E484 ID	UEPBC	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled outgoing only port	UEPBO	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-wire voice grade unbundled Alabama extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPAW	$2.07	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice grade unbundled Kentucky extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPBM	NA	NA	NA	$2.61	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice grade unbundled Louisiana extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPAX	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.20	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice grade unbundled Mississippi extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPAY	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.11	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice grade unbundled South Carolina extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPAZ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.35	NA
2-wire voice grade unbundled Tennessee extended local dialing parity port with caller ID	UEPAV	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled incoming only port with Caller ID	UEPB1	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90

BELLSOUTH/NEW EDGE RATES
NETWORK ELEMENTS
AND OTHER SERVICES

DESCRIPTION	USOC	AL	FL	GA	KY	LA	MS	NC	SC	TN
2-wire voice unbundled LA Bus Area Calling Port with Caller ID (BUC)	UEPAA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.20	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled SC Bus Area Calling Port with Caller ID (LMB)	UEPAB	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.35	NA
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-Way Area Calling Port Economy Option (TACC1)	UEPAC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-Way Area Calling Port Standard Option (TACC2)	UEPAD	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-WAY Collierville and Memphis Local Calling Port (B2F)	UEPAE	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
LOCAL NUMBER PORTABILITY (REQUIRES ONE PER PORT)	LNPCX									
Non-Recurring Charges (NRC) - 1st (Residence)										
2- wire voice unbundled port - residence	UEPRL	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$37.78	$16.43	$22.98	$21.60	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled port with caller ID - residence	UEPRC	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$37.78	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled port outgoing only - residence	UEPRO	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$37.78	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled area plus port with caller ID - residence	UEPRM	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$37.78	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Florida area calling with caller ID - residence	UEPAF	NA	$38.00	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Louisiana Area Plus with caller ID - residence (RUL)	UEPAG	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Louisiana Area Plus with caller ID - residence (AC7)	UEPAH	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled South Carolina Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (LW8)	UEPAJ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$24.98	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (F2R)	UEPAK	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (TACER)	UEPAL	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (TACSR)	UEPAM	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (1MF2X)	UEPAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (2MR)	UEPAO	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Res Low Usage Line Port with Caller+E563 ID (LUM)	UEPAP	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$37.78	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
NRC - Add'l (Residence)										
2- wire voice unbundled port - residence -	UEPRL	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$37.78	$16.43	$22.98	$21.60	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled port with caller ID - residence	UEPRC	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$37.78	$16.43	$22.98	$9.08	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled port outgoing only - residence	UEPRO	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$37.78	$16.43	$22.98	$9.08	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled area plus port with caller ID - residence	UEPRM	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$37.78	$16.43	$22.98	$9.08	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Florida area calling with caller ID - residence	UEPAF	NA	$15.00	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Louisiana Area Plus with caller ID - residence (RUL)	UEPAG	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Louisiana Area Plus with caller ID - residence (AC7)	UEPAH	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled South Carolina Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (LW8)	UEPAJ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$24.98	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (F2R)	UEPAK	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1

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2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (TACER)	UEPAL	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (TACSR)	UEPAM	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (1MF2X)	UEPAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (2MR)	UEPAO	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Res Low Usage Line Port with Caller ID (LUM)	UEPAP	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$37.78	$16.43	$22.98	$9.08	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
NRC - Subsequent Activity	USASC	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00
NRC - 1st (Business)										
2-wire Voice Unbundled Port without Caller ID	UEPBL	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$37.55	$16.43	$22.98	$21.60	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled port with Caller ID	UEPBC	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$37.55	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled outgoing only port	UEPBO	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$37.55	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Area Plus Port with Caller ID	UEPBM	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$37.55	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Incoming only Port with Caller ID	UEPB1	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$37.55	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled LA Bus Area Calling Port with Caller ID (BUC)	UEPAA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled SC Bus Area Calling Port with Caller ID+E587 (LMB)	UEPAB	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$24.98	NA
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-way Area Calling Port Economy Option (TACC1)	UEPAC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-way Area Calling Port Standard Option (TACC2)	UEPAD	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-way Collierville and Memphis Local Calling Port (B2F)	UEPAE	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
										BST GSST A4.3.1
NRC - Add'l (Business)	UEPBL	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$37.55	$16.43	$22.98	$9.08	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled port without Caller ID	UEPBL	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$37.55	$16.43	$22.98	$21.60	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled port with Caller ID	UEPBC	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$37.55	$16.43	$22.98	$9.08	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled outgoing only port	UEPBO	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$37.55	$16.43	$22.98	$9.08	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled Area Plus Port with Caller ID	UEPBM	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$37.55	$16.43	$22.98	$9.08	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled incoming only port with Caller ID	UEPB1	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$37.55	$16.43	$22.98	$9.08	$24.98	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled LA Bus Area Calling Port with Caller ID (BUC)	UEPAA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled SC Bus Area Calling Port with Caller ID (LMB)	UEPAB	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$24.98	NA
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-way Area Calling Port Economy Option (TACC1)	UEPAC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-way Area Calling Port Standard Option (TACC2)	UEPAD	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-way Collierville and Memphis Locall Calling Port (B2F)	UEPAE	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	BST GSST A4.3.1

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NRC - Subsequent Activity	USASC	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00
NRC - Disconnect Charge - 1st										
2- wire voice unbundled port - residence		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled port with caller ID - residence		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled port outgoing only - residence		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled area plus port with caller ID - residence		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Florida area calling with caller ID - residence		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Louisiana Area Plus with caller ID - residence (RUL)		NA	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Louisiana Area Plus with caller ID - residence (AC7)		NA	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled South Carolina Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (LW8)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (F2R)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (TACER)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (TACSR)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (1MF2X)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (2MR)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Res Low Usage Line Port with Caller ID (LUM)		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled port without Caller ID		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled port with Caller ID		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled outgoing only Port		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Area Plus Port with Caller ID		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Incoming only Port with Caller ID		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled LA Bus Area Calling Port with Caller ID (BUC)		NA	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundles SC Bus Area Calling Port with Caller ID (LMB)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-way Area Calling Port Economy Option (TACC1)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-way Area Calling Port Standard Option (TACC2)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-Way Collierville and Memphis Local Calling Port (B2F)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - Add'l										
2- wire voice unbundled port - residence		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled port with caller ID - residence		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled port outgoing only - residence		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled area plus port with caller ID - residence		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Florida area calling with caller ID - residence		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Louisiana Area Plus with caller ID - residence (RUL)		NA	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Louisiana Area Plus with caller ID - residence (AC7)		NA	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled South Carolina Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (LW8)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (F2R)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (TACER)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (TACSR)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

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2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (1MF2X)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Tennessee Area Calling port with Caller ID - residence (2MR)		NA	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Res Low Usage Line Port with Caller ID (LUM)		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled port without Caller ID		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled port with Caler ID		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled outgoing only port		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled Area Plus Port with Caller ID		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled incoming only port with Caller ID		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled LA Bus Area Calling Port with Caller ID (BUC)		NA	NA	NA	NA	$4.38	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled SC Bus Area Calling Port with Caller ID (LMB)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-way Area Calling Port Economy Option (TACC1)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-way Area Calling Port Standard Option (TACC2)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-wire voice unbundled TN Bus 2-way Collierville and Memphis Local Calling Port (B2F)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NRC - OSS LSR Charge, Electronic, per LSR received from the CLEC by one of the OSS interactive interfaces	SOMEC	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	$27.37	NA	$18.94	NA	$18.14	$25.52	$26.94	$44.42	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	$12.97	NA	$8.42	NA	$8.06	$11.34	$12.76	$14.63	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - 1st	SOMAN	$17.77	NA	NA	NA	$10.39	$16.06	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - Add'l	SOMAN	$1.44	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
All available features, per month	UEPVF	$5.55	NA	NA	NA	$8.28	$6.75	NA	$6.29	NA
NRC - 1st (all types)		$24.72	NA	NA	NA	NA	$21.42	NA	$36.24	NA
NRC - Add'l (all types)		$24.72	NA	NA	NA	NA	$21.42	NA	$36.24	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - 1st		$18.41	NA	NA	NA	NA	$19.68	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - Add'l		$18.41	NA	NA	NA	NA	$19.68	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	$27.37	NA	NA	NA	NA	$25.52	NA	$44.42	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	$12.97	NA	NA	NA	NA	$11.34	NA	$14.63	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - 1st	SOMAN	$17.77	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.06	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - Add'l	SOMAN	$1.44	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Three available feature, per month	UEPVF	NA	NA	NA	NA	$8.28	$3.31	NA	$3.03	NA
NRC - 1st (all types)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$3.06	NA	$4.53	NA
NRC - Add'l (all types)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$3.06	NA	$4.53	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - 1st		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$8.20	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - Add'l		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$8.20	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$25.52	NA	$44.42	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$11.34	NA	$14.63	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - 1st	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.06	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - Add'l	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4-Wire Analog VG Port, per month	UEP4A	NA	$9.14	$8.47	NA	$10.13	$9.60	$8.69	$2.28	NA
NRC - 1st	UEP4A	NA	$5.86	$17.16	NA	$16.43	$22.98	$21.69	$3.50	NA
NRC - Add'l	UEP4A	NA	$5.86	$17.16	NA	$16.43	$22.98	$21.69	$3.50	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - 1st	BFR	NA	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - Add'l	BFR	NA	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	NA	NA	$18.94	NA	$18.14	$25.52	$26.85	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	NA	NA	$8.42	NA	$8.06	$11.34	$12.67	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - 1st	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	$8.94	$16.06	NA	NA	NA

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2-Wire DID Port, per month	UEPP2	$12.08	TBD	$11.35	NA	$13.12	$14.63	$12.36	$12.08	$12.68
NRC - 1st	UEPP2	$50.00	TBD	$61.91	NA	$59.28	$83.09	$81.84	$50.00	BST GSST A4.3.1
NRC - Add'l	UEPP2	$18.00	TBD	$61.91	NA	$59.28	$83.09	$81.84	$50.00	BST GSST A4.3.1
NRC - Disconnect Charge - 1st	UEPP2	NA	NA	NA	NA	$9.20	$13.48	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - Add'l	UEPP2	NA	NA	NA	NA	$9.20	$13.48	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	NA	NA	$18.94	NA	$18.14	$25.52	$26.94	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	NA	NA	$8.42	NA	$8.06	$11.34	$12.76	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - 1st	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	$10.39	$16.07	NA	NA	NA
4-Wire DS1 Port w/DID capability, per month	UEPDD	$130.23	$125.00	$120.80	NA	$149.27	$146.46	$123.65	$130.23	$120.00
NRC - 1st	UEPDD	$50.00	$112.00	$89.44	NA	$85.63	$117.81	$116.59	$60.00	To be negotiated
NRC - Add'l	UEPDD	$18.00	$91.00	$52.46	NA	$50.23	$71.18	$69.92	$60.00	To be negotiated
NRC - Disconnect Charge - 1st	UEPDD	NA	NA	NA	NA	$8.82	$12.94	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - Add'l	UEPDD	NA	NA	NA	NA	$8.82	$12.94	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	NA	NA	$18.94	NA	$18.14	$25.52	$26.94	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	NA	NA	$8.42	NA	$8.06	$11.34	$12.76	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - 1st	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	$10.39	$16.06	NA	NA	NA
2-Wire ISDN Port(2) (3), per month	U1PMA	$16.42	$13.00	$13.47	$12.33	$23.33	$51.91	$24.50	$33.74	$1.90
NRC - 1st	U1PMA	$63.24	$88.00	$47.37	$90.48	$45.35	$63.59	$62.29	$65.79	BST GSST A4.3.1
NRC - Add'l	U1PMA	$63.24	$66.00	$47.37	$84.53	$45.35	$63.59	$62.29	$65.79	BST GSST A4.3.1
NRC - Disconnect Charge - 1st	U1PMA	$5.69	NA	NA	NA	$4.31	$7.04	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - Add'l	U1PMA	$5.69	NA	NA	NA	$4.31	$7.04	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	$56.19	NA	$39.98	NA	$38.29	$53.87	$55.30	$67.52	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	$56.19	NA	$39.98	NA	$38.29	$53.87	$55.30	$67.52	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - 1st	SOMAN	$12.97	NA	NA	NA	$6.65	$11.34	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - Add'l	SOMAN	$12.97	NA	NA	NA	$6.65	$11.34	NA	NA	NA
NRC - User Profile per B Channel **(4)**	U1UMA	NA	NA	NA	$5.61	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-Wire ISDN Port(2) (3) including all available features, per month	U1PMA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$38.68	NA
NRC - 1st	U1PMA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$106.40	NA
NRC - Add'l	U1PMA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$106.40	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$67.52	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$67.52	NA
2-Wire ISDN Port(2) (3) including three available features, per month	U1PMA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$36.01	NA
NRC - 1st	U1PMA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$70.32	NA
NRC - Add'l	U1PMA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$70.32	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$67.52	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$67.52	NA
4-Wire ISDN DS1 Port, per month	UEPEX	$186.02	NA	$163.16	NA	$194.72	$213.21	$179.75	$214.79	$308.00
NRC - 1st	UEPEX	$244.85	NA	$186.80	NA	$181.89	$244.12	$241.63	$278.37	To be negotiated
NRC - Add'l	UEPEX	$244.85	NA	$186.80	NA	$181.89	$244.12	$241.63	$278.37	To be negotiated
NRC - Disconnect Charge - 1st	UEPEX	$51.19	NA	NA	NA	$27.11	$53.32	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - Add'l	UEPEX	$51.19	NA	NA	NA	$27.11	$53.32	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	$54.75	NA	$37.88	NA	$33.18	$51.03	$53.89	$65.48	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	$54.75	NA	$37.88	NA	$33.18	$51.03	$53.89	$65.48	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - 1st	SOMAN	$11.53	NA	NA	NA	$7.73	$8.51	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - Add'l	SOMAN	$11.53	NA	NA	NA	$7.73	$8.51	NA	NA	NA
4-Wire ISDN DS1 Port including all available features, per month	UEPEX	NA	NA	NA	$275.48	NA	NA	NA	$251.00	NA

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NRC - 1st	UEPEX	NA	NA	NA	$181.27	NA	NA	NA	$311.73	NA
NRC - Add'l	UEPEX	NA	NA	NA	$116.42	NA	NA	NA	$311.73	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$65.48	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$65.48	NA
2-Wire Analog Line Port (PBX), per month										
2 WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED COMBINATION 2-WAY PBX TRUNK - Residence	UEPRD	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.18	$2.35	$1.90
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED COMBINATION 2-WAY PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPPC	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED OUTWARD PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPPO	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED INCOMING PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPP1	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
LONG DISTANCE TERMINAL PBX TRUNK-BUSINESS	UEPLD	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
TN 2-WAY CALLING PLAN PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPT2	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
TN OUTWARD CALLING PLAN PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPTO	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX ALABAMA CALLING PORT	UEPA2	$2.07	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX LOUISIANA CALLING PORT	UEPL2	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.20	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL PORTS	UEPLD	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX TENNESSEE CALLING PORT	UEPT2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX TENNESSEE CALLING PORT	UEPTO	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX USAGE PORT	UEPXA	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX TOLL TERMINAL HOTEL PORTS	UEPXB	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD DDD TERMINALS PORT	UEPXC	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL SWITCHBOARD PORT	UEPXD	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL SWITCHBOARD IDD CAPABLE PORT	UEPXE	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX KENTUCKY ROOM AREA CALLING PORT WITHOUT LUD	UEPXF	NA	NA	NA	$2.61	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX KENTUCKY LUD AREA CALLING PORT	UEPXG	NA	NA	NA	$2.61	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX KENTUCKY PREMIUM CALLING PORT	UEPXH	NA	NA	NA	$2.61	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY KENTUCKY AREA CALLING PORT WITHOUT LUD	UEPXJ	NA	NA	NA	$2.61	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX LOUISIANA LOCAL OPTIONAL CALLING PORT	UEPXK	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.20	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ADMINISTRATIVE CALLING PORT	UEPXL	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ROOM CALLING PORT	UEPXM	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ADMINIATRATIVE CALLING PORTTENNESSEE CALLING PORT	UEPXN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL DIACOUNT ROOM CALLING PORT	UEPXO	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX LOUISIANA LOCAL DISCOUNT CALLING PORT	UEPXP	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.20	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX MISSISSIPPI LOCAL ECONOMY CALLING PORT	UEPXQ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.11	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX MISSISSIPPI LOCAL OPTIONAL CALLING PORT	UEPXR	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.11	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBXMEASURED PORT	UEPXS	$2.07	$2.00	$1.85	$2.61	$2.20	$2.11	$2.00	$2.35	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX SOUTH CAROLINA AREA PLUS CALLING PORT	UEPXT	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.35	NA

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2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX COLLIERVILLE & MEMPHIS CALLING PORT	UEPXU	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX TENNESSEE REGIONSERV CALLING PORT	UEPXV	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.90
UNBUNDLED LOOP BILLING USOC (REQUIRES ONE PER PORT)	UEPLX									
LOCAL NUMBER PORTABILITY (REQUIRES ONE PER PORT)	LNPCP									
NRC - 1st	UEPPC	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2 WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED COMBINATION 2-WAY PBX TRUNK - Residence	UEPRD	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$21.60	$24.36	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED COMBINATION 2-WAY PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPPC	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED OUTWARD PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPPO	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED INCOMING PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPP1	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
LONG DISTANCE TERMINAL PBX TRUNK-BUSINESS	UEPLD	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
TN 2-WAY CALLING PLAN PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPT2	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
TN OUTWARD CALLING PLAN PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPTO	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX ALABAMA CALLING PORT	UEPA2	$21.93	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX LOUISIANA CALLING PORT	UEPL2	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL PORTS	UEPLD	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX TENNESSEE CALLING PORT	UEPT2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX TENNESSEE CALLING PORT	UEPTO	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX USAGE PORT	UEPXA	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX TOLL TERMINAL HOTEL PORTS	UEPXB	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD DDD TERMINALS PORT	UEPXC	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL SWITCHBOARD PORT	UEPXD	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL SWITCHBOARD IDD CAPABLE PORT	UEPXE	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX KENTUCKY ROOM AREA CALLING PORT WITHOUT LUD	UEPXF	NA	NA	NA	$36.47	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX KENTUCKY LUD AREA CALLING PORT	UEPXG	NA	NA	NA	$36.47	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX KENTUCKY PREMIUM CALLING PORT	UEPXH	NA	NA	NA	$36.47	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY KENTUCKY AREA CALLING PORT WITHOUT LUD	UEPXJ	NA	NA	NA	$36.47	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX LOUISIANA LOCAL OPTIONAL CALLING PORT	UEPXK	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ADMINISTRATIVE CALLING PORT	UEPXL	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ROOM CALLING PORT	UEPXM	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ADMINIATRATIVE CALLING PORTTENNESSEE CALLING PORT	UEPXN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL DIACOUNT ROOM CALLING PORT	UEPXO	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX LOUISIANA LOCAL DISCOUNT CALLING PORT	UEPXP	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX MISSISSIPPI LOCAL ECONOMY CALLING PORT	UEPXQ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$22.98	NA	NA	NA

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2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX MISSISSIPPI LOCAL OPTIONAL CALLING PORT	UEPXR	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$22.98	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBXMEASURED PORT	UEPXS	$21.93	$38.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$24.04	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX SOUTH CAROLINA AREA PLUS CALLING PORT	UEPXT	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX COLLIERVILLE & MEMPHIS CALLING PORT	UEPXU	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX TENNESSEE REGIONSERV CALLING PORT	UEPXV	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Subsequent Activity	USASC	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00	$10.00
NRC - Add'l										
2 WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED COMBINATION 2-WAY PBX TRUNK - Residence	UEPRD	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$21.60	$24.36	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED COMBINATION 2-WAY PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPPC	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED OUTWARD PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPPO	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED INCOMING PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPP1	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
LONG DISTANCE TERMINAL PBX TRUNK-BUSINESS	UEPLD	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
TN 2-WAY CALLING PLAN PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPT2	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
TN OUTWARD CALLING PLAN PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS	UEPTO	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX ALABAMA CALLING PORT	UEPA2	$21.93	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX LOUISIANA CALLING PORT	UEPL2	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL PORTS	UEPLD	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX TENNESSEE CALLING PORT	UEPT2	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX TENNESSEE CALLING PORT	UEPTO	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX USAGE PORT	UEPXA	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX TOLL TERMINAL HOTEL PORTS	UEPXB	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD DDD TERMINALS PORT	UEPXC	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL SWITCHBOARD PORT	UEPXD	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL SWITCHBOARD IDD CAPABLE PORT	UEPXE	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX KENTUCKY ROOM AREA CALLING PORT WITHOUT LUD	UEPXF	NA	NA	NA	$36.47	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX KENTUCKY LUD AREA CALLING PORT	UEPXG	NA	NA	NA	$37.47	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX KENTUCKY PREMIUM CALLING PORT	UEPXH	NA	NA	NA	$38.47	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY KENTUCKY AREA CALLING PORT WITHOUT LUD	UEPXJ	NA	NA	NA	$39.47	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX LOUISIANA LOCAL OPTIONAL CALLING PORT	UEPXK	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ADMINISTRATIVE CALLING PORT	UEPXL	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ROOM CALLING PORT	UEPXM	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ADMINIATRATIVE CALLING PORTTENNESSEE CALLING PORT	UEPXN	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL DIACOUNT ROOM CALLING PORT	UEPXO	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX LOUISIANA LOCAL DISCOUNT CALLING PORT	UEPXP	NA	NA	NA	NA	$16.43	NA	NA	NA	NA

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2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX MISSISSIPPI LOCAL ECONOMY CALLING PORT	UEPXQ	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$22.98	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX MISSISSIPPI LOCAL OPTIONAL CALLING PORT	UEPXR	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$22.98	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBXMEASURED PORT	UEPXS	$21.93	$15.00	$17.16	$36.47	$16.43	$22.98	$9.05	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX SOUTH CAROLINA AREA PLUS CALLING PORT	UEPXT	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$24.36	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX COLLIERVILLE & MEMPHIS CALLING PORT	UEPXU	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX TENNESSEE REGIONSERV CALLING PORT	UEPXV	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - 1st										
2 WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED COMBINATION 2-WAY PBX TRUNK - Residence		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED COMBINATION 2-WAY PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED OUTWARD PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED INCOMING PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
LONG DISTANCE TERMINAL PBX TRUNK-BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
TN 2-WAY CALLING PLAN PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
TN OUTWARD CALLING PLAN PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX ALABAMA CALLING PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX LOUISIANA CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL PORTS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX TENNESSEE CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX TENNESSEE CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX USAGE PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX TOLL TERMINAL HOTEL PORTS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD DDD TERMINALS PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL SWITCHBOARD PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL SWITCHBOARD IDD CAPABLE PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX KENTUCKY ROOM AREA CALLING PORT WITHOUT LUD		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX KENTUCKY LUD AREA CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX KENTUCKY PREMIUM CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY KENTUCKY AREA CALLING PORT WITHOUT LUD		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX LOUISIANA LOCAL OPTIONAL CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ADMINISTRATIVE CALLING PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ROOM CALLING PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ADMINIATRATIVE CALLING PORTTENNESSEE CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL DIACOUNT ROOM CALLING PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX LOUISIANA LOCAL DISCOUNT CALLING PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA

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2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX MISSISSIPPI LOCAL ECONOMY CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX MISSISSIPPI LOCAL OPTIONAL CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBXMEASURED PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX SOUTH CAROLINA AREA PLUS CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX COLLIERVILLE & MEMPHIS CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX TENNESSEE REGIONSERV CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - Add'l										
2 WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED COMBINATION 2-WAY PBX TRUNK - Residence		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED COMBINATION 2-WAY PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED OUTWARD PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
LINE SIDE UNBUNDLED INCOMING PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
LONG DISTANCE TERMINAL PBX TRUNK-BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
TN 2-WAY CALLING PLAN PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
TN OUTWARD CALLING PLAN PBX TRUNK - BUSINESS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX ALABAMA CALLING PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX LOUISIANA CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL PORTS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX TENNESSEE CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX TENNESSEE CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY COMBINATION PBX USAGE PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX TOLL TERMINAL HOTEL PORTS		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD DDD TERMINALS PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL SWITCHBOARD PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX LD TERMINAL SWITCHBOARD IDD CAPABLE PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX KENTUCKY ROOM AREA CALLING PORT WITHOUT LUD		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX KENTUCKY LUD AREA CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX KENTUCKY PREMIUM CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY KENTUCKY AREA CALLING PORT WITHOUT LUD		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX LOUISIANA LOCAL OPTIONAL CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ADMINISTRATIVE CALLING PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ROOM CALLING PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL ECONOMY ADMINIATRATIVE CALLING PORTTENNESSEE CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX HOTEL/HOSPITAL DIACOUNT ROOM CALLING PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBX LOUISIANA LOCAL DISCOUNT CALLING PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA

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2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX MISSISSIPPI LOCAL OPTIONAL CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 1-WAY OUTGOING PBXMEASURED PORT		$6.21	NA	NA	NA	$3.77	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX SOUTH CAROLINA AREA PLUS CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED PBX COLLIERVILLE & MEMPHIS CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE VOICE UNBUNDLED 2-WAY PBX TENNESSEE REGIONSERV CALLING PORT		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NRC - OSS LSR Charge, Electronic, per LSR received from the CLEC by one of the OSS interactive interfaces	SOMEC	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50	$3.50
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	$27.37	NA	$18.94	NA	$18.14	$25.52	$26.94	$41.86	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	$12.97	NA	$8.42	NA	$8.06	$11.34	$12.76	$14.46	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - 1st	SOMAN	$17.77	NA	NA	NA	$8.94	$16.06	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - Add'l	SOMAN	$0.48	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
2-Wire Analog Hunting, per line per month	HTGUX	See features	NA	NA	$0.29	NA	See features	NA	See features	NA
NRC - 1st	HTGUX	See features	NA	NA	$2.14	NA	See features	NA	See features	NA
NRC - Add'l	HTGUX	See features	NA	NA	$2.14	NA	See features	NA	See features	NA
Coin Port, per month		$2.34	NA	$2.05	$3.04	$2.50	$2.32	NA	$2.77	$1.90
NRC - 1st		$21.93	NA	$17.16	$40.71	$16.43	$22.98	NA	$24.75	BST GSST A4.3.1
NRC - Add'l		$21.93	NA	$17.16	$40.71	$16.43	$22.98	NA	$24.75	BST GSST A4.3.1
NRC - Disconnect Charge - 1st		$5.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.15	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - Add'l		$5.21	NA	NA	NA	$4.15	$6.56	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st	SOMAN	$25.93	NA	$18.94	NA	$18.14	$25.52	NA	$43.48	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l	SOMAN	$12.97	NA	$8.42	NA	$8.06	$11.34	NA	$14.57	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - 1st	SOMAN	$16.33	NA	NA	NA	$9.86	$16.06	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - Add'l	SOMAN	$0.48	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
4- Wire Coin Port, per month		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.59	NA	NA
NRC - 1st		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$21.60	NA	NA
NRC - Add'l		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$21.60	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - 1st		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Disconnect Charge - Add'l		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - 1st		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$26.94	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Add'l		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	$12.76	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - 1st		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
NRC - Incremental Charge - Manual Service Order - Disconnect - Add'l		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VERTICAL FEATURES										
Local Switching Features offered with Port, Per month	N/A	NA	No add'l charge	NA	No add'l charge	$8.28	NA	NA	See above	NA
Three-Way Calling, per month		$1.12	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.32	$0.89	$1.10	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Customer Changeable Speed Calling, per month		$0.08	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0755	$0.17	$0.1247	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Call Waiting		$0.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.033	$0.09	$0.0665	NA

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NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Remote Activation of Call Fordwarding, per month		$0.18	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.4859	$0.85	$0.3743	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Cancel Call Waiting, per month		$0.01	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0082	$0.01	$0.0099	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Automatic Callback, per month		$0.29	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.9977	$0.66	$0.8015	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Automatic Recall, per month		$0.28	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.3164	$0.29	$0.3102	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Calling Number Delivery, per month		$0.22	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.1817	$0.33	$0.3272	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Calling Number Delivery Blocking, per month		$1.17	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.9913	$0.02	$0.3684	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Customer Originated Trace, per month		$0.14	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.1918	$0.14	$0.1402	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Selective Call Rejection, per month		$0.13	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.1721	$0.13	$0.1528	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Selective Call Forwarding, per month		$0.05	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.1050	$0.28	$0.1287	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Selective Call Acceptance, per month		$0.29	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.4010	$0.33	$0.3283	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Multiline Hunt Service (Rotary)										
Service per line, (in addition to port) , per month		$0.11	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.1271	$0.14	$0.1301	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Call Forwarding Variable, per month		$0.05	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0474	$0.10	$0.0768	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Call Forwarding Busy Line, per month		$0.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0279	$0.08	$0.0603	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Call Forwarding Don't Answer All Calls, per month		$0.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0308	$0.09	$0.0655	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Remote Call Forwarding, per month		$1.36	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.47	$0.95	$1.41	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Call Transfer, per month		$0.12	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.1404	$0.14	$0.1392	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Call Hold, per month		$0.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0190	$0.15	$0.0677	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC – Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA

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Toll Restricted Service, per month		$0.04	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0387	$0.10	$0.0743	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Message Waiting Indicator – Stutter Dial Tone, per month		$0.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0356	$0.03	$0.0318	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Anonymous Call Rejection, per month		$0.93	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.9519	$1.29	$1.13	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Shared Call Appearances of a DN, per month		$0.41	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5015	$0.29	$0.3513	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.47	$1.47	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Multiple Call Appearances, per month		$0.09	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0932	$0.07	$0.0891	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.47	$1.47	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
ISDN Bridged Call Exclusion, per month		$0.00	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0013	$0.0011	$0.0013	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.47	$1.47	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Call by Call Access, per month		$28.29	NA	NA	NA	NA	$50.89	$19.83	$0.3621	NA
NRC		$28.94	NA	NA	NA	NA	$28.61	$33.33	$33.36	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$5.22	NA	NA	NA	NA	$5.16	NA	NA	NA
Privacy Release, per month		$0.01	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0030	$0.0041	$0.0116	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Multi Appearance Directory Number Calls, per month		$0.10	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.1115	$0.13	$0.1048	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Make Set Busy, per month		$0.01	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0013	$0.0020	$0.0101	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Teen Service (Res. Dist. Alerting Service), per month		$0.15	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.1071	$0.26	$0.2149	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Code Restriction and Diversion, per month		$0.04	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0464	$0.09	$0.0708	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Call Park, per month		$0.04	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0443	$0.09	$0.0694	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Automatic Line, per month		$0.09	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.1111	$0.14	$0.1179	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
2-WIRE ISDN BRI FEATURES										
Shared Primary Number-First Appr On Each Add'l Terminal	DS1FJ	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Secondary Only Dn (Shared/Non-Shared) First Appearance	LLDSF	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Shared Secondary Only Dn-First Appr On Each Add'l Term	DS1F1	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Shared Non-ISDN DN	DOE	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Privacy Release	DS1FU	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Manual Exclusion	DS1FM	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Forwarding Variable-Voice Or Voice/Data	LLNCV	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Forwarding Variable – Data	LLOCD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Forwarding Variable – Feature Button – Voice	GJXCF	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Forwarding Variable – Feature Button – Data	LLPCD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD

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DESCRIPTION	USOC	AL	FL	GA	KY	LA	MS	NC	SC	TN
Call Forwarding Busy Line – Voice Or Voice/Data	LLQCV	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Forwarding Busy Line – Data	LLRCD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Frwdng Busy Line–Prgrmmbl–Voice Or Voice/Data	M6AVA	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Forwarding Busy Line – Programmable - Data	M6ADF	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Forwarding Don't Answer – Voice Or Voice/Data	LLSCV	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Forwarding Don't Answer – Data	LLUCD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Forwdng Don't Answer–Prgrmmble Voice Or Voice/Data	M6BVA	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Forwarding Don't Answer – Programmable - Data	M6BDF	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Frwdng Multiple Simultaneous – Voice Or Voice/Data	M6CV5	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Forwarding Multiple Simultaneous – Data	M6CD5	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Conference, Drop, Hold And Transfer	DS1FN	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Six-Way Conference, Drop, Hold And Transfer	LLY6P	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Multi-Line Hunt Group – Voice Or Voice/Data	HTG	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Multi-Line Hunt Group – Data	HTGSD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Speed Calling	LLZSU	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Visual Message Waiting Indicator	LLAVP	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Audible Message Waiting Indicator	MWW	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Additional Call Appearance, PDN Or DN	DS1FG	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Tracing	NST	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Return	NSS	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Preferred Call Forwarding	NCE	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Block	NSY	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Repeat Dialing	NSQ	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Per Line Blocking For Agencies/Law Enforcement	NOB	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Per Line Blocking For Non-Pub Customers	NOBNN	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Per Line Blocking For General Public	NOBPC	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Per Line Blocking For Non-Pub, And Non-Listed Customer	NOBPP	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Per Line Blocking For Non-Pub Customers	NOBNP	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Per Line Blocking For Non-Pub Customers	NOBNR	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Return Denial Of, Per Activation	BCR	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Repeat Dialing, Denial Of, Per Activation	BRD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Automatic Line/Direct Connect	M6GN9	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Make Set Busy	M6MPD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Selective Call Acceptance	M6K16	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Park/Call Retrieve	M6HP6	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Call Transfer System Exception	M6QTD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Make Set Busy – Intragroup	M6MGD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
All Customized Code Restrictions	CREX+	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Additional Listings	CLT	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Additional Listing No Rate	FLT	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Cross Reference Listing	LLT	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Non-Pub Listing No Rate	NP3	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Non-List Listing	NLT	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Non-List Listing No Rate	NLE	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Alternate Call Listing	FNA	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
Manual Service Order Charge	SOMAN	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
All Selective Class Of Call Screening	SRG++	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
ISDN Message Waiting Indication-Lamp, per month		$0.01	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.0105	$0.0107	$0.0138	NA
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.47	$1.47	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
ISDN Feature Function Buttons		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
NRC		$1.03	NA	NA	NA	NA	$1.02	$1.51	$1.51	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$0.55	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.5466	NA	NA	NA
Subsequent Ordering Charge – (per order, per line)		NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA		
NRC - Electronic - 1st		$2.88	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.84	$5.42	$1.36	NA

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DESCRIPTION	USOC	AL	FL	GA	KY	LA	MS	NC	SC	TN
NRC - Electronic - Add'l		$0.96	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.95	$0.95	$0.71	NA
NRC - Manual - 1st		$4.80	NA	NA	NA	NA	$4.73	$1.89	$7.35	NA
NRC - Manual - Add'l		$0.96	NA	NA	NA	NA	$0.95	NA	$0.95	NA
NRC - Disconnect		$2.88	NA	NA	NA	NA	$2.84	NA	NA	NA
Unbundled Port Usage Charges										
End Office Switching (Port Usage)										
End Office Switching Function, per mou	N/A	$0.0018	$0.0175	$0.0016333	$0.002562	$0.0021	$0.0023771	$0.0017000	$0.0019295	$0.0019
End Office Switching Function, add'l mou (5)	N/A	NA	$0.005	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
End Office Interoffice Trunk Port—Shared, per mou	N/A	$0.0002	NA	$0.0001564	NA	$0.0002	$0.0001927	NA	$0.0002581	NA
Tandem Switching (Port Usage) (Local or Access Tandem)										
Tandem Switching Function per mou	N/A	$0.00063	$0.00029	$0.0006757	$0.001096	$0.0008	$0.0007834	$0.0009	$0.0006843	$0.000676
Tandem Interoffice Trunk Port - Shared per mou			NA	$0.0002126	NA	$0.0003	$0.0002834	NA	$0.0004034	NA
Common (Shared) Transport										
Common (Shared) Transport per mile per mou	N/A	$0.00001	$0.000012	$0.000008	$0.0000049	$0.0000083	$0.0000091	$0.00001	$0.0000121	$0.00004
Common (Shared) Transport Facilities Termination per mou	N/A	$0.00045	$0.0005	$0.0004152	$0.000426	$0.00047	$0.0004281	$0.00034	$0.0004672	$0.00036
NOTES:										
1 Port rate includes all available features.										
2 Transmission/usage charges associated with POTS circuit switched usage will also apply to circuit switched voice and/or circuit switched data transmission by B-Channels associated with 2-wire ISDN ports.										
3 Access to B Channel or D Channel Packet capabilities will be avail- able only through BFR/New Business Request Process. Rates for the packet capabilities will be determined via the Bona Fide Request/New Business Request Process.										
4 This rate element is for those states which have a specific rate for User Profile per B Channel.										
5 This rate element is for use in those states with a different rate for additional minutes of use.										

Attachment 11
BellSouth Disaster Recovery Plan

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DISASTER RECOVERY PLANNING

For

CLECS

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1.0 PURPOSE

In the unlikely event of a disaster occurring that affects BellSouth's long-term ability to deliver traffic to a Competitive Local Exchange Carrier (CLEC), general procedures have been developed to hasten the recovery process. Since each location is different and could be affected by an assortment of potential problems, a detailed recovery plan is impractical. However, in the process of reviewing recovery activities for specific locations, some basic procedures emerge that appear to be common in most cases.

These general procedures should apply to any disaster that affects the delivery of traffic for an extended time period. Each CLEC will be given the same consideration during an outage and service will be restored as quickly as possible.

This document will cover the basic recovery procedures that would apply to every CLEC.

2.0 SINGLE POINT OF CONTACT

When a problem is experienced, regardless of the severity, the BellSouth Network Management Center (NMC) will observe traffic anomalies and begin monitoring the situation. Controls will be appropriately applied to insure the sanity of BellSouth's network; and, in the event that a switch or facility node is lost, the NMC will attempt to circumvent the failure using available reroutes.

BellSouth's NMC will remain in control of the restoration efforts until the problem has been identified as being a long-term outage. At that time, the NMC will contact BellSouth's Emergency Control Center (ECC) and relinquish control of the recovery efforts. Even though the ECC may take charge of the situation, the NMC will continue to monitor the circumstances and restore traffic as soon as damaged network elements are revitalized.

The telephone number for the BellSouth Network Management Center in Atlanta, as published in Telcordia's National Network Management Directory, is 404-321-2516.

3.0 IDENTIFYING THE PROBLEM

During the early stages of problem detection, the NMC will be able to tell which CLECs are affected by the catastrophe. Further analysis and/or first hand observation will determine if the disaster has affected CLEC equipment only; BellSouth equipment only or a combination. The initial restoration activity will be largely determined by the equipment that is affected.

Once the nature of the disaster is determined and after verifying the cause of the problem, the NMC will initiate reroutes and/or transfers that are jointly agreed upon by the affected CLECs' Network Management Center and the BellSouth NMC. The type and percentage of controls used will depend upon available network capacity. Controls necessary to stabilize the situation will be invoked and the NMC will attempt to re-establish as much traffic as possible.

For long term outages, recovery efforts will be coordinated by the Emergency Control Center (ECC). Traffic controls will continue to be applied by the NMC until facilities are re-established. As equipment is made available for service, the ECC will instruct the NMC to begin removing the controls and allow traffic to resume.

3.1 SITE CONTROL

In the total loss of building use scenario, what likely exists will be a smoking pile of rubble. This rubble will contain many components that could be dangerous. It could also contain any personnel on the premises at the time of the disaster. For these reasons, the local fire marshal with the assistance of the police will control the site until the building is no longer a threat to surrounding properties and the companies have secured the site from the general public.

During this time, the majority owner of the building should be arranging for a demolition contractor to mobilize to the site with the primary objective of reaching the cable entrance facility for a damage assessment. The results of this assessment would then dictate immediate plans for restoration, both short term and permanent.

In a less catastrophic event, i.e., the building is still standing and the cable entrance facility is usable, the situation is more complex. The site will initially be controlled by local authorities until the threat to adjacent property has diminished. Once the site is returned to the control of the companies, the following events should occur.

An initial assessment of the main building infrastructure systems (mechanical, electrical, fire & life safety, elevators, and others) will establish building needs. Once these needs are determined, the majority owner should lead the building restoration efforts. There may be situations where the site will not be totally restored within the confines of the building. The companies must individually determine their needs and jointly assess the cost of permanent restoration to determine the overall plan of action.

Multiple restoration trailers from each company will result in the need for designated space and installation order. This layout and control is required to maximize the amount of restoration equipment that can be placed at the site, and the priority of placements.

Care must be taken in this planning to insure other restoration efforts have logistical access to the building. Major components of telephone and building equipment will need to be removed and replaced. A priority for this equipment must also be jointly established to facilitate overall site restoration. (Example: If the AC switchgear has sustained damage, this would be of the highest priority in order to regain power, lighting, and HVAC throughout the building.)

If the site will not accommodate the required restoration equipment, the companies would then need to quickly arrange with local authorities for street closures, rights of way or other possible options available.

3.2 ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERNS

In the worse case scenario, many environmental concerns must be addressed. Along with the police and fire marshal, the state environmental protection department will be on site to monitor the situation.

Items to be concerned with in a large central office building could include:

1. Emergency engine fuel supply. Damage to the standby equipment and the fuel handling equipment could have created "spill" conditions that have to be handled within state and federal regulations.

2. Asbestos containing materials that may be spread throughout the wreckage. Asbestos could be in many components of building, electrical, mechanical, outside plant distribution, and telephone systems.

3. Lead and acid. These materials could be present in potentially large quantities depending upon the extent of damage to the power room.

4. Mercury and other regulated compounds resident in telephone equipment.

5. Other compounds produced by the fire or heat.

Once a total loss event occurs at a large site, local authorities will control immediate clean up (water placed on the wreckage by the fire department) and site access.

At some point, the companies will become involved with local authorities in the overall planning associated with site clean up and restoration. Depending on the clean up approach taken, delays in the restoration of several hours to several days may occur.

In a less severe disaster, items listed above are more defined and can be addressed individually depending on the damage.

In each case, the majority owner should coordinate building and environmental restoration as well as maintain proper planning and site control.

4.0 THE EMERGENCY CONTROL CENTER (ECC)

The ECC is located in the Colonnade Building in Birmingham, Alabama. During an emergency, the ECC staff will convene a group of pre-selected experts to inventory the damage and initiate corrective actions. These experts have regional access to BellSouth's personnel and equipment and will assume control of the restoration activity anywhere in the nine-state area.

In the past, the ECC has been involve with restoration activities resulting from hurricanes, ice storms and floods. They have demonstrated their capabilities during these calamities as well as

during outages caused by human error or equipment failures. This group has an excellent record of restoring service as quickly as possible.

During a major disaster, the ECC may move emergency equipment to the affected location, direct recovery efforts of local personnel and coordinate service restoration activities with the CLECs. The ECC will attempt to restore service as quickly as possible using whatever means is available; leaving permanent solutions, such as the replacement of damaged buildings or equipment, for local personnel to administer.

Part of the ECC's responsibility, after temporary equipment is in place, is to support the NMC efforts to return service to the CLECs. Once service has been restored, the ECC will return control of the network to normal operational organizations. Any long-term changes required after service is restored will be made in an orderly fashion and will be conducted as normal activity.

5.0 RECOVERY PROCEDURES

The nature and severity of any disaster will influence the recovery procedures. One crucial factor in determining how BellSouth will proceed with restoration is whether or not BellSouth's equipment is incapacitated. Regardless of who's equipment is out of service, BellSouth will move as quickly as possible to aid with service recovery; however, the approach that will be taken may differ depending upon the location of the problem.

5.1 CLEC OUTAGE

For a problem limited to one CLEC (or a building with multiple CLECs), BellSouth has several options available for restoring service quickly. For those CLECs that have agreements with other CLECs, BellSouth can immediately start directing traffic to a provisional CLEC for completion. This alternative is dependent upon BellSouth having concurrence from the affected CLECs.

Whether or not the affected CLECs have requested a traffic transfer to another CLEC will not impact BellSouth's resolve to re-establish traffic to the original destination as quickly as possible.

5.2 BELLSOUTH OUTAGE

Because BellSouth's equipment has varying degrees of impact on the service provided to the CLECs, restoring service from damaged BellSouth equipment is different. The outage will probably impact a number of Carriers simultaneously. However, the ECC will be able to initiate immediate actions to correct the problem.

A disaster involving any of BellSouth's equipment locations could impact the CLECs, some more than others. A disaster at a Central Office (CO) would only impact the delivery of traffic to and from that one location, but the incident could affect many Carriers. If the Central Office is a Serving Wire Center (SWC), then traffic from the entire area to those Carriers served from that switch would also be impacted. If the switch functions as an Access Tandem, or there is a tandem in the building, traffic from every CO to every CLEC could be interrupted. A disaster that destroys a facility hub could disrupt various traffic flows, even though the switching equipment may be unaffected.

The NMC would be the first group to observe a problem involving BellSouth's equipment. Shortly after a disaster, the NMC will begin applying controls and finding re-routes for the

completion of as much traffic as possible. These reroutes may involve delivering traffic to alternate Carriers upon receiving approval from the CLECs involved. In some cases, changes in translations will be required. If the outage is caused by the destruction of equipment, then the ECC will assume control of the restoration.

5.2.1 Loss of a Central Office

When BellSouth loses a Central Office, the ECC will

a) Place specialists and emergency equipment on notice;

b) Inventory the damage to determine what equipment and/or functions are lost;

c) Move containerized emergency equipment and facility equipment to the stricken area, if necessary;

d) Begin reconnecting service for Hospitals, Police and other emergency agencies; and

e) Begin restoring service to CLECs and other customers.

5.2.2 Loss of a Central Office with Serving Wire Center Functions

The loss of a Central Office that also serves as a Serving Wire Center (SWC) will be restored as described in section 5.2.1.

5.2.3 Loss of a Central Office with Tandem Functions

When BellSouth loses a Central Office building that serves as an Access Tandem and as a SWC, the ECC will

a) Place specialists and emergency equipment on notice;

b) Inventory the damage to determine what equipment and/or functions are lost;

c) Move containerized emergency equipment and facility equipment to the stricken area, if necessary;

d) Begin reconnecting service for Hospitals, Police and other emergency agencies;

e) Re-direct as much traffic as possible to the alternate access tandem (if available) for delivery to those CLECs utilizing a different location as a SWC;

f) Begin aggregating traffic to a location near the damaged building. From this location, begin re-establishing trunk groups to the CLECs for the delivery of traffic normally found on the direct trunk groups. (This aggregation point may be the alternate access tandem location or another CO on a primary facility route.)

g) Begin restoring service to CLECs and other customers.

5.2.4 Loss of a Facility Hub

In the event that BellSouth loses a facility hub, the recovery process is much the same as above. Once the NMC has observed the problem and administered the appropriate controls, the ECC will assume authority for the repairs. The recovery effort will include

a) Placing specialists and emergency equipment on notice;

b) Inventorying the damage to determine what equipment and/or functions are lost;

c) Moving containerized emergency equipment to the stricken area, if necessary;

d) Reconnecting service for Hospitals, Police and other emergency agencies; and

e) Restoring service to CLECs and other customers. If necessary, BellSouth will aggregate the traffic at another location and build temporary facilities. This alternative would be viable for a location that is destroyed and building repairs are required.

5.3 COMBINED OUTAGE (CLEC AND BELLSOUTH EQUIPMENT)

In some instances, a disaster may impact BellSouth's equipment as well as the CLECs'. This situation will be handled in much the same way as described in section 5.2.3. Since BellSouth and the CLECs will be utilizing temporary equipment, close coordination will be required.

6.0 T1 IDENTIFICATION PROCEDURES

During the restoration of service after a disaster, BellSouth may be forced to aggregate traffic for delivery to a CLEC. During this process, T1 traffic may be consolidated onto DS3s and may become unidentifiable to the Carrier. Because resources will be limited, BellSouth may be forced to "package" this traffic entirely differently then normally received by the CLECs. Therefore, a method for identifying the T1 traffic on the DS3s and providing the information to the Carriers is required.

7.0 ACRONYMS

CO	-	Central Office (BellSouth)
DS3	-	Facility that carries 28 T1s (672 circuits)
ECC	-	Emergency Control Center (BellSouth)
CLEC	-	Competitive Local Exchange Carrier
NMC	-	Network Management Center
SWC	-	Serving Wire Center (BellSouth switch)
T1	-	Facility that carries 24 circuits

Hurricane Information

During a hurricane, BellSouth will make every effort to keep CLECs updated on the status of our network. Information centers will be set up throughout BellSouth Telecommunications. These centers are not intended to be used for escalations, but rather to keep the CLEC informed of network related issues, area damages and dispatch conditions, etc.

Hurricane-related information can also be found on line at http://www.interconnection.bellsouth.com/network/disaster/dis_resp.htm. Information concerning Mechanized Disaster Reports can also be found at this website by clicking on CURRENT MDR REPORTS or by going directly to http://www.interconnection.bellsouth.com/network/disaster/mdrs.htm.

BST Disaster Management Plan

BellSouth maintenance centers have geographical and redundant communication capabilities. In the event of a disaster removing any maintenance center from service another geographical center would assume maintenance responsibilities. The contact numbers will not change and the transfer will be transparent to the CLEC.