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Electronic Interface Test Agreement



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With

(CLEC/Vendor Name)

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Change History

Date	Version	Description of Change
04/26/01	1.1	Changed Date table to identify applicable electronic interface(s)



About This Document

Audience

The BellSouth Electronic Interface Testing Agreement is intended for Competitive Local Exchange Carriers who order local exchange products and services from BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. via electronic interfaces Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) or Telecommunications Access Gateway (TAG). It is also for software vendors, who develop software products or platforms for ordering local exchange products and services from BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc

Purpose

The purpose of this document is to establish a testing agreement between the CLEC/Vendor and BellSouth.

Rules of Testing

1. Execution of this agreement assumes all terms, conditions, and guidelines set forth in the BellSouth Electronic Interface Testing Guidelines document.
2. Any changes or special arrangements must be noted in the "Special Arrangements" section of this document.
3. All parameters set forth in this document must be followed or the user may risk suspension from testing.
4. If a CLEC requests suspension of testing, then all new dates must be re-negotiated.
5. BellSouth and/or the CLEC/Vendor reserves the right to suspend testing with no less than three (3) days notice for failure to meet all entrance criteria defined in the Electronic Interface Testing Guidelines document, agreed time frames, major coding changes, requirements, connectivity failures, or in the best judgment of the business.
6. If additional time is needed to complete testing, an addendum with new dates must be negotiated.
7. If any dates are missed such that they impact the next phase of testing, then new dates must be negotiated.
8. In order for testing to begin, this document must be complete, with all signatures.
9. Should contact personnel or roles and responsibilities change, this document should be updated.

Testing Assistance

Throughout your implementation you may contact the CLEC Help Desk for technical assistance. For business related questions during your implementation contact your Implementation Manager. During testing you may contact the Test Desk for business rule questions.

Test Scenarios and Test Cases

- CLEC/Vendor provides a list of scenarios.
- BST uses test cases to verify the CLECs ability to place local service requests and send acknowledgments for products and services via the EDI and TAG electronic interfaces
- BellSouth's CLEC Help Desk and Test Desk will provide the actual test cases to the CLEC/Vendor prior to the beginning of the testing phase
- During phases other than CAVE, CLECs may be required to use their own accounts to test certain activities
- CLEC will provide live data and accounts for SRT



Contacts

BellSouth Contacts				
Title	Name	Phone	Fax	Email
Implementation Mgr.				
CLEC Help Desk				
Test Desk – non LNP				
Test Desk – LNP				
Account Representative				

CLEC/Vendor Contacts				
Title	Name	Phone	Fax	Email
Lead Project Negotiator				
Technical Support				
Testing Manager				
Business SME				

Testing Details

Interface Type	TAG	EDI	No. of Test Cases
Connectivity Type			
TCIF Issue			
TAG API Release			
Pre-Order			
Firm Order			
Resale			
UNE			
Stand Alone Loop			
Number Portability			
Number Portability w/ Loop			
Port Loop Combo			
Listings:			



Test Phases

Test Phases	Start Date:	End Date:
Connectivity (EDI, TAG)		
Application Connectivity (EDI, TAG)		
Syntax (EDI)		
API (TAG)		
Application (TAG)		
Application Connectivity (TAG)		
Validity (EDI, TAG)		
Application Connectivity (EDI, TAG)		
Functional (EDI, TAG)		
Application Connectivity (EDI, TAG)		
PVT (EDI, TAG)		
SRT (EDI, TAG)		
Conference Call Dates and Times		

Special Agreements:

Signatures

Signed:

_____ **Date** _____
CLEC Project Manager

_____ **Date** _____
CLEC Test Manager

_____ **Date** _____
BST Test Manager

_____ **Date** _____
BST LNP Test Manager

_____ **Date** _____
BST CLEC Help Desk

_____ **Date** _____
BST Implementation Rep

