

**Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement
Between**

Sprint Long Distance, Inc.

And

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

Dated April 1, 2006

THIS AMENDMENT is entered into by and between Sprint Long Distance, Inc. (Sprint LD) and BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties," to amend that certain Interconnection Agreement between the Parties dated April 1, 2006 (Interconnection Agreement) to be effective as of the date of the last signature to the amendment.

WHEREAS, Sprint LD has changed the name of said business to Embarq Communications, Inc. (Embarq), a Delaware corporation.

WHEREAS, the Parties desire that the Interconnection Agreement be amended to reflect the correct corporate entity name.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises and covenants 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 name of Sprint Long Distance, Inc. (Sprint LD) in the Interconnection Agreement is hereby deleted throughout the Interconnection Agreement and replaced with Embarq Communications, Inc. (Embarq).
2. All of the other provisions of the Interconnection Agreement, dated April 1, 2006, shall remain in full force and effect.
3. Either or both of the Parties is authorized to submit this Amendment to each Public Service Commission for approval subject to Section 252(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this Agreement the day and year written below.

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.

By: 

Name: Kristen E. Shore

Title: Director

Date: 5/24/06

Embarq Communications, Inc.

By: 

Name: Emeric Kapka

Title: Director

Date: 5-24-06