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Re: *Performance Measurements for Telecommunications Interconnection,
Unbundling and Resale; Docket No. 7892-U*

Dear Mr. McAlister:

Consistent with the Commission's July 19, 2002 Order, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") is filing a Proposed Notification Report for the March 2005 data month and a Preliminary Notification Report for the data month of April 2005. These proposed changes will be discussed at the February 7, 2005 industry conference call.

Enclosed herein, please find an original and seventeen (17) copies, as well as an electronic version, of these Data Notification Reports. I would appreciate your filing same in the above-referenced docket and returning the two (2) extra copies stamped "filed" in the enclosed stamped, self-addressed envelopes.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Yours very truly,


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PROPOSED MARCH 2005 DATA NOTIFICATION

BellSouth proposes making the changes described in this document to generate results for the March 2005 data month. Results for the March 2005 data month will be posted as follows:

Preliminary results April 21, 2005
Final results May 2, 2005

BellSouth provides Data Notifications each month in compliance with the Georgia Public Service Commission's Order of July 19, 2002. This order specifies that when BellSouth proposes making any changes to the methods by which performance data is calculated, it must provide written notice. This notice must be provided on the first business day of the month before the data month in which the change will be made. BellSouth must also provide notification if it is considering making changes to the method of calculating data for the following month.

The "Affected Measures" described in this notice are those set forth in the Georgia Service Quality Measurement ("SQM") Plan, unless otherwise noted. All "Impact of Change" descriptions are stated at the measurement level, unless the sub-metric level is specified.

ENCORE Releases may affect monthly data flows from the source systems (e.g., LEO, LESOG, etc.) that PMAP uses to calculate measurements. Bellsouth will make changes to PMAP to ensure that data continues to be correctly captured as ENCORE Releases are implemented.

Provisioning Measurements

- (1) *Affected Measures:* P-3, P-4, P-4A, P-5, P-6, P-9 & P-10

Description of Change: Currently, orders disconnecting BellSouth.net service, from a line where the voice service is provided via Resale or UNE-P, are being counted as a voice order for the voice service. BellSouth proposes to exclude these disconnect records from the data, per the SQM. This proposed change was Item (1) on the Preliminary March Data Notification filed on January 4, 2005. (RQ5905)

Impact of Change: For July 2004, in Georgia, 22 Resale Business orders and 15 UNE Loop and Port orders would have been removed from data with no impact to the interval.

PRELIMINARY APRIL 2005 DATA NOTIFICATION

BellSouth is considering making the changes described in this document to generate results for the April 2005 data month. Results for the April 2005 data month will be posted as follows:

Preliminary results May 20, 2005
Final results May 31, 2005

BellSouth provides Data Notifications each month in compliance with the Georgia Public Service Commission's Order of July 19, 2002. This order specifies that when BellSouth proposes making any changes to the methods by which performance data is calculated, it must provide written notice. This notice must be provided on the first business day of the month before the data month in which the change will be made. BellSouth must also provide notification if it is considering making changes to the method of calculating data for the following month.

The "Affected Measures" described in this notice are those set forth in the Georgia Service Quality Measurement ("SQM") Plan, unless otherwise noted. All "Impact of Change" descriptions are stated at the measurement level, unless the sub-metric level is specified.

ENCORE Releases may affect monthly data flows from the source systems (e.g., LEO, LESOG, etc.) that PMAP uses to calculate measurements. Bellsouth will make changes to PMAP to ensure that data continues to be correctly captured as ENCORE Releases are implemented.

Ordering Measurements

(1) *Affected Measures:* O-3 & O-4

Description of Change: Currently, the Flow-Through code is incorrectly counting LSRs submitted via ELMS6 to cancel previous submissions as BST errors. BellSouth proposes to correct the code to correctly classify these LSRs as Flow-Through. (RQ6010)

Impact of Change: For December 2004 data, there were 1036 of these LSRs. Flow Through percentages would have increased less than 1%.

(2) *Affected Measures:* O-3 & O-4

Description of Change: Currently, Flow-Through LSRs submitted via XML or EDI, which have related PONs (RPONs) and are manually clarified, are being incorrectly counted as BellSouth errors. BellSouth proposes to correct the code to accurately report these LSRs as CLEC errors. (RQ6011)

Impact of Change: For November 2004, there would have been a .002% increase in the results.

Provisioning Measurements

(3) *Affected Measures:* P-2A

Description of Change: When CSOTS was established, it was updated once a day. To account for the possibility that a CLEC might not be notified of a Non-Mechanized Jeopardy status for up to one day after it occurred, the Non-Mechanized Jeopardy Notice Interval was reduced by 1 day. CSOTS is now updated real time and BellSouth proposes to modify the PMAP code to report the actual measured Jeopardy Notice Interval. (RQ5998)

Impact of Change: For November 2004, in Georgia, the Non-Mechanized Average Jeopardy Notice Interval (provided in advance of jeopardy) for DS1 Loops would increase by 8.87%.

(4) *Affected Measures:* P-4

Description of Change: Currently, the CLEC numerator on the 12 month report is reported in whole rounded numbers. BellSouth proposes to change the CLEC numerator to 2 decimal places which is already used to calculate the result. (RQ6029)

Impact of Change: None to measurement results.