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Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

This filing is being made on a streamlined basis on 15 days notice under Section 204(a) (3) of the Communications Act.

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

The accompanying tariff material, issued by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) and bearing Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, is sent to you for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

This filing, scheduled to become effective March 6, 2010, consists of the tariff pages as indicated on the following check sheets:

Tariff F.C.C No.  
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Check Sheet Revision No.  
962th Revised Page 1  
66th Revised Page 8.1

With this filing, BellSouth proposes to amend its PIC third party verification process between AT&T affiliates and, therefore, wishes to remove the tariff material pertaining to third party verification of PIC changes. AT&T has found that the third party verification process is confusing to its customers when they request PIC changes. Customers perceive AT&T as one company and, therefore, it is confusing when asked by a third party if they have agreed to switch their long distance provider to AT&T when their long distance service is already provided by an AT&T affiliate.

Additionally, removal of this tariff material will provide consistency with the other AT&T ILEC access tariffs which do not contain PIC third party verification verbiage. BellSouth will continue to verify PIC changes via a third party when customers request a PIC change to an unaffiliated Carrier.

In accordance with Section 61.14, this transmittal letter and associated attachments are being filed electronically today via the Federal Communications Commission's Electronic Tariff Filing System (ETFS) in compliance with the electronic filing procedures.

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Payment in the amount of \$815.00 has been electronically transmitted to the US Bank in St. Louis, Missouri, in accordance with the fee program procedures. The Form 159 is being transmitted electronically via ETFS as a proprietary document. These actions have been committed on the date established as the issued (filed) date as reflected above.

Personal or facsimile service petitions against this Transmittal, as required under Section 1.773(a)(4) of the Commission's Rules, should be sent to Scott Murray, Area Manager – Rates/Tariffs, 311 S. Akard St., Room 1940.04, Dallas, TX 75202, facsimile number (214) 858-0639. All other correspondence and inquiries concerning this Transmittal should be addressed to Debra L. Clemens, Director-Federal Regulatory, (202) 457-3066, 1120 20th Street, N.W., Suite 1000, Washington, D.C. 20036.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Patrick R. Doherty". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "P" and a long, sweeping underline.

Attachments:

Transmittal Letter

Tariff Pages