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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

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 publication in compliance with Sections 61.55, 61.58(c), and 69.727 of the Commission's Rules and the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. This filing is being submitted on one day's notice in compliance with Section 61.58(c) of the Commission's Rules and the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

This filing, scheduled to become effective August 21, 2010, consists of tariff pages as indicated on the following Check Sheets:

Tariff F.C.C. No.
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Check Sheet Revision No.
968th Revised Page 1
13th Revised Page 9.0.5.2.2
28th Revised Page 9.0.5.3
10th Revised Page 9.0.5.4

This Special Access Service Offer (Contract Offer No. 70) is an access discount pricing plan. This Contract Offer permits Customers that meet the Eligibility Criteria in Section 25.73.3 and the Terms and Conditions in Section 25.73.4 to purchase the Subject Services listed in Section 25.73.2 at the rates and charges provided in Section 25.73.5. Subject Services are available under this Contract Offer in the Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) listed in Section 25.73.3 (B).

Contract Offer No. 70 is available for subscription from August 21, 2010 through September 21, 2010. This Contract Offer is not renewable.

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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.

Payment in the amount of \$815.00 has been electronically transmitted to the U.S. 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 Rosemary Chambers, Area Manager – Rates/Tariffs/Costing, 311 S. Akard, Room 1940.01, Dallas, Texas 75202, facsimile number (214) 858-0639. All other correspondence and inquiries concerning this Transmittal should be addressed to Anisa A. Latif, Associate Director-Federal Regulatory, 1120 20th St., 10th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20036, facsimile number (202) 457-3071.

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