

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION

BELLSOUTH ADSL SERVICE REVISIONS

TRANSMITTAL NO. 708

1.0 INTRODUCTION

With this filing BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., hereinafter referred to as “BellSouth,” is revising its F.C.C. Tariff No. 1 by reducing certain nonrecurring and recurring charges associated with BellSouth ADSL Service and BellSouth Enterprise DSL Service as well as correcting a typographical error concerning the application of termination liability charges for BellSouth Enterprise DSL Service.

2.0 RATES AND ECONOMIC INFORMATION

2.1 Nonrecurring Charges

Effective with this tariff filing, the nonrecurring charge for low speed BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of at least 768 Kbps, upstream data rate of at least 512 Kbps, specified in 7.2.21(A)(2) and 23.5.2.21(A)(2) is reduced to \$150, the nonrecurring charge for high speed BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of 1.5 Mbps to 1.8 Mbps, upstream data rate of 512 Kbps to 768Kbps, specified in 7.2.21(B)(1) and 23.5.2.21(B)(1) is reduced to \$150, the nonrecurring charge for high speed BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of 2.0 Mbps to 4.0 Mbps, upstream data rate of 640 Kbps to 896Kbps, specified in 7.2.21(B)(2) and 23.5.2.21(B)(2) is reduced to \$150, the nonrecurring charge for high speed BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of 4.0 Mbps to 6.0 Mbps, upstream data rate of 640 Kbps to 896Kbps, specified in 7.2.21(B)(3) and 23.5.2.21(B)(3) is reduced to \$150, the nonrecurring charge for symmetric BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of 384 Kbps, upstream data rate of 384 Kbps, specified in

7.2.21(C)(1) and 23.5.2.21(C)(1) is reduced to \$150, the nonrecurring charge for symmetric BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of 192 Kbps, upstream data rate of 192 Kbps, specified in 7.2.21(C)(2) and 23.5.2.21(C)(2) is reduced to \$100, the nonrecurring charge for BellSouth Enterprise DSL service, connection capacity of 512 Kbps, specified in 28.1.9(A)(1)(a) is reduced to \$210, the nonrecurring charge for BellSouth Enterprise DSL service, connection capacity of 768 Kbps, specified in 28.1.9(A)(1)(b) is reduced to \$210, the nonrecurring charge for BellSouth Enterprise DSL service, connection capacity of 1.024 Mbps, specified in 28.1.9(A)(1)(c) is reduced to \$210, and the nonrecurring charge for BellSouth Enterprise DSL service, connection capacity of 1.536 Mbps, specified in 28.1.9(A)(1)(d) is reduced to \$210.

2.2 Monthly Recurring Charges

Effective with this tariff filing, the monthly recurring charge for low speed BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of at least 768 Kbps, upstream data rate of at least 512 Kbps, specified in 7.2.21(A)(2) and 23.5.2.21(A)(2) is reduced to \$85, the monthly recurring charge for high speed BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of 1.5 Mbps to 1.8 Mbps, upstream data rate of 512 Kbps to 768Kbps, specified in 7.2.21(B)(1) and 23.5.2.21(B)(1) is reduced to \$115 for the month-to-month rate, \$95 for the 13-24 month commitment rate, and \$80 for the 25+ month commitment rate, the monthly recurring charge for high speed BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of 2.0 Mbps to 4.0 Mbps, upstream data rate of 640 Kbps to 896Kbps, specified in 7.2.21(B)(2) and 23.5.2.21(B)(2) is reduced to \$250 for the month-to-month rate, \$225 for the 13-24 month commitment rate, and \$200 for the 25+ month commitment rate, the monthly recurring charge for high speed BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of 4.0 Mbps to 6.0 Mbps, upstream data rate of 640 Kbps to 896Kbps, specified in 7.2.21(B)(3) and 23.5.2.21(B)(3) is reduced to \$325 for the month-to-month rate, \$290 for the 13-24 month commitment rate, and \$260 for the 25+ month commitment rate, the monthly recurring charge for symmetric BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of 384 Kbps, upstream data rate of 384 Kbps, specified in 7.2.21(C)(1) and 23.5.2.21(C)(1)

is reduced to \$95 for the month-to-month rate, \$80 for the 13-24 month commitment rate, and \$70 for the 25+ month commitment rate, the monthly recurring charge for symmetric BellSouth ADSL service, downstream data rate of 192 Kbps, upstream data rate of 192 Kbps, specified in 7.2.21(C)(2) and 23.5.2.21(C)(2) is reduced to \$60 for the month-to-month rate, \$50 for the 13-24 month commitment rate, and \$40 for the 25+ month commitment rate, the monthly recurring charge for BellSouth Enterprise DSL service, connection capacity of 512 Kbps, specified in 28.1.9(A)(1)(a) is reduced to \$120 for the month-to-month rate, \$110 for the 12-23 month commitment rate, and \$100 for the 24+ month commitment rate, the monthly recurring charge for BellSouth Enterprise DSL service, connection capacity of 768 Kbps, specified in 28.1.9(A)(1)(b) is reduced to \$150 for the month-to-month rate, \$135 for the 12-23 month commitment rate, and \$110 for the 24+ month commitment rate, the monthly recurring charge for BellSouth Enterprise DSL service, connection capacity of 1.024 Mbps, specified in 28.1.9(A)(1)(c) is reduced to \$180 for the month-to-month rate, \$150 for the 12-23 month commitment rate, and \$135 for the 24+ month commitment rate, and the monthly recurring charge for BellSouth Enterprise DSL service, connection capacity of 1.536 Mbps, specified in 28.1.9(A)(1)(d) is reduced to \$225 for the month-to-month rate, \$190 for the 12-23 month commitment rate, and \$165 for the 24+ month commitment rate.

2.3 Price Cap Indices

The tariff revisions proposed in this filing result in an API revenue decrease of \$44,304 in the Special Access Basket as shown in Appendix A, Workpaper SUM-A. Additionally, Workpaper SUM-A displays all existing and proposed price cap index values as well as revenue data for the Special Access Basket demonstrating that BellSouth remains within all allowable price cap limits with this filing. Rate detail for the ADSL rate reductions is displayed in Appendix A, Workpaper SP-1.