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Secretary
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Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

The accompanying tariff material, issued by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (hereinafter BellSouth) and bearing Tariff F.C.C. No. 2, is sent to you for publication in compliance with Section 61.49 of the Commission's rules and the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

This publication is scheduled to become effective May 5, 2004 and consists of tariff pages as indicated on the following Check Sheets:

Tariff F.C.C. No.
2

Check Sheet No.
103rd Revised Page 1

With this filing, BellSouth is revising Tariff F.C.C. No. 2 to recover the cost associated with special construction necessary to provide DS1 Alternate Serving Wire Center Diversity service from the customer's location at 510 E. Stoner Avenue, Shreveport, Louisiana, to the Shreveport Bossier Central Office.


Payment in the amount of \$695.00 has been electronically transmitted to the Mellon Bank in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, in accordance with the fee program procedures. The Form 159 is being transmitted electronically via Fee Filer as a proprietary document under FRN: 0007-1713-58.

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All official pleadings and related material concerning this filing may be directed to Mr. Richard M. Sbaratta, General Attorney, BellSouth Corporation, Suite 4300, 675 West Peachtree Street, Atlanta, Georgia 30375 or faxed to Mr. Richard M. Sbaratta at (404) 614-4054.

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Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jennette C. Fields".

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Attachments

Tariff Pages

Supporting Documentation

BELLSOUTH TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

TARIFF FCC NO. 2

DESCRIPTION AND JUSTIFICATION

COST SUPPORT

VA Shreveport Medical Center

Shreveport, Louisiana

**TRANSMITTAL NO. 814
CASE NO. LA03-7078-01**

**SECTION 1
INTRODUCTION
SPECIAL CONSTRUCTION CASE
LA03-7078-01**

With this filing, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. proposes to recover the cost associated with special construction necessary to provide DS1 Alternate Serving Wire Center Diversity service from the customer's location at 510 E. Stoner Avenue, Shreveport, Louisiana, to the Shreveport Bossier Central Office. Special Construction is required because facilities are not available to meet the Customer's request. The Telephone Company must construct new facilities consisting of 2,000 feet of aerial cable, and 2,000 feet of underground cable, between the customer's location and the Shreveport Bossier Central Office. The Telephone Company has no other planned use for the facilities requested.

Because this special construction is provided in connection with a service available under an existing tariff, the customer will be charged the tariff rates for services as set forth in BellSouth's FCC Tariff in addition to the charges described herein. The charges set forth in this filing recover the costs caused by this customer's request. Workpaper I provide a summary of the charges for the service; Workpaper II provides cost details, Workpaper III provides monthly capital cost calculations, and Workpaper IV provides non-recoverables summary.

SECTION 2

RATE AND COST DEVELOPMENT

2.1 INTRODUCTION

This special construction case establishes charges necessary for facilities to provide service between the customer location at 510 E. Stoner Avenue, Shreveport, Louisiana, and the Shreveport Bossier Central Office. The facility portion requiring special construction consists of 2,000 feet of aerial cable, and 2,000 feet of underground cable, between the customer's location and the Shreveport Bossier Central Office.

The following is a summary of the charges associated with this filing. A description of each element is contained in Section 2.2.

Special Construction Charges for DS1 Alternate Serving Wire Center Service

Special Construction Charge	\$28,243.00
Case Preparation	\$ 2,009.00

2.2 DESCRIPTION OF CHARGES

2.2.1 Nonrecurring Charge

The Nonrecurring charge is applied to recover the present worth of the monthly capital costs, calculated over the account average life of the applicable field reporting code.

The capital costs are developed from the estimated non-recoverable investments associated with the special construction. The non-recoverable investments consist of estimated engineering and installation costs based on labor hours and labor rates,

outside contractor billing and associated material. Details of this component are shown on Workpaper IV, page 1. The present worth of the capital costs is developed using the authorized cost of capital. Details of the costs supporting this component are shown on Workpaper II, page 1.

The Case Preparation Charge is applied to recover the applicable costs of the case preparation. Case preparation consists of the cost of administrative expenses associated with preparing a special construction case and the associated tariff filing. Details of the costs supporting this component are shown on Workpaper II, page 1.

CHARGE SUMMARY

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT

CUSTOMER: VA Shreveport Medical Center

CASE NUMBER: LA03-7078-01

	<u>Nonrecurring</u>	<u>Monthly</u>
I. Case Preparation Charges (Workpaper II, Line I.)	\$2,009.00	
II. Special Construction of fiber facilities for DS1 Alternate Serving Wire Center Diversity Service (Workpaper II, Line II.B.)	\$28,243.00	

COST DETAILS

CUSTOMER: VA Shreveport Medical Center

CASE NUMBER: LA03-7078-01

		<u>Nonrecurring</u>	<u>Monthly</u>
I.	Case Preparation	\$2,009.00	
II.	Special Construction of fiber facilities for DS1 Alternate Serving Wire Center Diversity Service		
A.	Total Monthly Capital Costs	\$291.23	
B.	Present Worth of Capital Costs	\$28,243.00	

MONTHLY COST CALCULATIONS

CUSTOMER: VA Shreveport Medical Center

CASE NUMBER: LA03-7078-01

Special Construction of fiber facilities for DS1 Alternate Serving Wire Center Diversity Service

FIELD					INCOME	TOTAL
CODE	DESCRIPTION	INVESTMENT	DEPRECIATION	RETURN	TAXES	MONTHLY COST
845	Underground Cable	\$14,876.17	\$68.48	\$83.37	\$39.55	\$191.40
812	Aerial Cable	\$7,132.86	\$44.94	\$37.29	\$17.60	\$99.83
		\$22,009.04	\$113.42	\$120.66	\$57.15	\$291.23

NONRECOVERABLES

NONRECURRING SUMMARY

CUSTOMER: VA Shreveport Medical Center
CASE NUMBER: LA03-7078-01

FIELD CODE	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	MATERIAL	LABOR	ENGINEERING	TOTAL NONRECOVERABLE INVESTMENT
845	Underground Cable	1	\$1,910.01	\$10,411.50	\$2,554.66	\$14,876.17
812	Aerial Cable	1	\$3,466.74	\$3,536.40	\$129.73	\$7,132.87
			\$5,376.75	\$13,947.90	\$2,684.39	\$22,009.04