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E5. ORDERING OPTIONS FOR ACCESS SERVICES¹

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E5. ORDERING OPTIONS FOR ACCESS SERVICES

E5.1 General

E5.1.1 Scope

- A. This section sets forth the regulations and order related charges for Access Orders for BellSouth SWA and Dedicated Access Services. These charges are in addition to other applicable charges as set forth in other sections of this Tariff.
- B. An Access Order is the Customer's request for the Telephone Company to provide the IC with BellSouth SWA service, Expanded Interconnection Service (EIS), an End User with BellSouth SWA FGB service, an End User with Dedicated Access Service and Fast Packet Access Services or, to provide modifications to existing service. An Access Order may be submitted by Access Service Request (ASR) or by such other ordering processes as the Telephone Company may provide. Depending upon the services, facilities or services intervals dates requested, one or more Access Orders may be required to provide the customer with access service. (C)
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- C. The End User is ultimately responsible for the placing of and payment for all Dedicated Access orders and Dedicated Access charges as set forth in Sections E7. and E13. with the following exception. Payment for Dedicated Access Service nonrecurring charges required as a result of an IC generated activity is the responsibility of the IC. IC generated activity is defined as the relocation of an IC POP. (D)
- D. The End User is responsible for the placing of and payment for BellSouth SWA FGB and BellSouth SWA TSBSA 1 orders and charges as set forth in Sections E3. and E4 and Section 6 of Tariff FCC No. 1. (D)
- E. Any entity intending to resell private line services must be certificated by the Florida Public Service Commission as an Alternative Access Vendor (AAV) for intraexchange services, and as an AAV or Interexchange Carrier (IC) for interexchange services. Those entities certificated as an AAV or IC may resell private line services only by purchasing the like service from Section E7., Dedicated Access Services, of the Company's intrastate Access Service Tariff. Any entity certificated as an AAV or IC may purchase and resell a Local Exchange Company's (LEC's) private line service only between affiliated entities.
- F. Alternative Access Vendors (AAVs) can resell a Dedicated Access Service which is part of a dedicated interexchange private line between affiliates, and a dedicated access service to an ICs switched network without affiliate restriction. In addition, an IC can resell an interexchange private line service under its existing IC certificate with no affiliate restriction, provided the LEC provides the local channel (LC) on each end of the private line service. However, if an IC utilizes an AAV to provide the LCs, the affiliate restrictions will apply.

E5.1.2 Ordering Conditions

- A. An IC or End User may order any number of services of the same type and between the same locations on a single Access Order. All details for services for a particular order must be identical except for multipoint service.
- B. The IC or End User shall provide all information necessary for **BellSouth** to provide and bill for the requested service. In addition to the order information required in Section E5.2, the IC or End User must also provide: (T)
 - Customer name and premises address(es).
 - Billing name and address (when different from customer name and address).
 - Customer contact name(s) and telephone number(s) for the following provisioning activities: order negotiation, order confirmation, interactive design, installation and billing.
- C. A customer that orders services from this Tariff as an Enhanced Service Provider (ESP), must provide a signed statement that it meets the ESP definition as provided in Section E2.6. (T)
- D. BellSouth SWA service orders for BellSouth SWA FGA and BellSouth SWA LSBSA shall be in lines.

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- E.** BellSouth SWA Service orders for BellSouth SWA FGB, BellSouth SWA FGD and BellSouth SWA TSBSA 1 and 3 shall be in trunks.
- F.** Dedicated Access Line service must be ordered in lines for use with a BellSouth SWA FGD and BellSouth SWA TSBSA 3 service which is in service or on order.
- G.** The day upon which the customer has provided to BellSouth a firm commitment for the service and complete and accurate information to allow for the processing of the Access Order *by three o'clock p.m. Eastern Standard Time (EST)*¹ is the Application Date. BellSouth will release an optional initial Pending Order Confirmation, which will include the BellSouth order number and circuit identification. At the customer's request, when BellSouth facility availability is verified, either a Firm Order Confirmation, which will include critical date information, or a Design and Ordering Confirmation, which will include design as well as critical date information, will be released. Critical date information will include the Service Date. The Service Date (also sometimes referred to as the due date) is the date service is to be made available to the customer and billing will commence.

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A Pending Order Confirmation is available for orders for BellSouth-provided switched access dedicated transport services, where ordered separately from other switched access services, and for BellSouth-provided special access services. A Design and Ordering Confirmation is not available for orders submitted by end users. A Pending Order Confirmation and a Design and Ordering Confirmation are not available on orders for services provided jointly with another exchange telephone company.

- H.** The time required to provision the service (i.e., the interval between the Application Date and the Service Date) is known as the service interval. Such intervals will be established in accordance with published service date interval guidelines which are available to ICs and End Users upon request, whether the IC's service is subject to standard or negotiated intervals. The IC or End User may request a service date other than that established pursuant to the service date interval guidelines, and the Company, where possible, will establish the service date in accordance with such request, subject, however, to other applicable provisions of this Tariff.
- I.** The following charges will apply for the installation, move or rearrangement of BellSouth SWA or Special Access (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA) service orders with an agreed upon service date interval of four business days or less following the Application Date of the order. These charges are in addition to other applicable BellSouth SWA or Special Access (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA) nonrecurring charges for installations, moves or rearrangements of service. These charges will not apply to services provided on a Special Services Arrangement or on an Individual Case Basis, or in the event the agreed upon Service Date, as set forth preceding, is not met, or at the request of the customer to convert from a lower to higher order of service as provided for in Section E2.4.9A.

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1. Per Service Order

Nonrecurring

	Charge	USOC
(a) Special Access (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA)	\$365.00	SOCSP
(b) BellSouth SWA	300.00	SOCSSW

- J.** An IC or End User who initiates a conversion (rollover) of a BellSouth SWA DS1 to a BellSouth SWA DS3 High Capacity service is also responsible for submitting Network Channel Interface (NCI) Code Update requests, either mechanically or manually, on all sub-DS1 level circuits that ride the channelized BellSouth SWA DS1 High Capacity service being rolled over. The Company and the IC or End User will work cooperatively to establish the number of circuits which may be submitted monthly for purposes of mechanical NCI Code updates associated with rollovers of BellSouth SWA FG DS1 High Capacity service to BellSouth SWA DS3 High Capacity service.
- K.** An IC who converts from an existing feature group service to an equivalent unbundled service (i.e., BellSouth SWA FGA to BellSouth SWA LSBSA, BellSouth SWA FGB to BellSouth SWA TSBSA 1 and BellSouth SWA FGD to BellSouth SWA TSBSA 3) shall do so on no lower than an end office level. The Company and the IC will work cooperatively to accomplish these conversions.

E5.1.3 Provision of Other Services

- A.** Testing Service, Additional Labor and Special Facilities Routing shall be ordered with an Access Order as set forth in B. following. The rates and charges for these services, as set forth in other sections of this Tariff, will apply in addition to the ordering charges set forth in this section and the rates and charges for the Access Service with which they are associated.

Note 1: Access Orders received after three o'clock p.m. EST will be processed the next business day, which will be the Application Date.

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E5.1 General (Cont'd)

E5.1.3 Provision of Other Services (Cont'd)

- B. With the agreement of the Company, the items listed in A. preceding may subsequently be added to the order at any time, up to and including the service date for the Access Service. When added subsequently, charges for a design change as set forth in E5.2.3 following will apply when an engineering review is required.
- C. Additional Engineering is not an ordering option, but will be applied to an Access Order when the Company determines that Additional Engineering is necessary to accommodate an IC or End User request. Additional Engineering will only be required as set forth in E13.1 following. When it is required, the IC or End User will be so notified and will be furnished with a written statement setting forth the justification for the Additional Engineering as well as an estimate of the charges. If the IC or End User agrees to the Additional Engineering, a firm order will be established. If the IC or End User does not want the service or facilities after being notified that Additional Engineering of Company facilities is required, the order will be withdrawn and no charges will apply. Once a firm order has been established, the total charge to the IC or End User for the Additional Engineering may not exceed the estimated amount by more than 10 percent.
- D. The regulations, rates and charges for Additional Engineering are as set forth in E13.1 following and are in addition to the regulations, rates and charges specified in this section.

E5.1.4 Special Construction

- A. The regulations, rates and charges for Special Construction are set forth in Section E14. following and are in addition to the regulations, rates and charges specified in this Tariff.

E5.2 Access Order

E5.2.1 Provision of Service

A. General

An Access Order is used by the Company to provide to an IC or End User Access Service as follows:

1. **BellSouth SWA** services as set forth in Section 6 of Tariff FCC No. 1,
2. Dedicated Access Services as set forth in Section E7. following, and
3. Expanded Interconnection Service (EIS) Cross-Connect Elements as set forth in Section E20. following.
4. Other Services as set forth in E5.1.3 preceding.

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B. Information Required

When placing an order for Access Service, the IC, End User or End User's authorized agent shall provide, at a minimum, the following information:

1. For **BellSouth SWA FGA** or **BellSouth SWA** LSBSA service, the IC shall specify:
 - a. Number of lines
 - b. First point of switching (i.e., the dial tone office)
 - c. Directionality of the service

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E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

E5.2.1 Provision of Service (Cont'd)

B. Information Required (Cont'd)

1. For BellSouth SWA FGA or BellSouth SWA LSBSA service, the IC shall specify: (Cont'd)
 - d. BellSouth SWA Transport Options, if any
 - e. Local Switching Options, if any
 - f. Whether the off-hook supervisory signaling is to be provided by the IC's equipment or if it is to be forwarded by the IC's equipment when the called party answers
 - g. If the service is to be provided with an extension to a different exchange, (the IC's premises at which the extension is to be terminated)
 - h. Percent Interstate Usage (PIU) as specified in E2.3.14 *of this Tariff*
 - i. Provide Connecting Facility Assignment (CFA), if associated with a high capacity facility
 - j. For Switched Local Channel and Switched Dedicated Interoffice Channel, the capacity
2. For BellSouth SWA FGB or BellSouth SWA TSBSA 1 service, the IC shall specify:
 - a. The number of trunks
 - b. For trunks to an end office, the end office
 - c. For trunks to an Access Tandem
 - (1) The Access Tandem Switch
 - (2) An Estimate of the amount of traffic it will generate to and/or from each end office subtending the access tandem (to assist the Company in its own efforts to project further facility requirements.)
 - d. BellSouth SWA Transport Options, if any
 - e. Local Switching Options (including BSEs), if any
 - f. For terminating only access, whether the trunks are to be arranged in trunk group arrangements or provided as single trunks
 - g. The traffic type using the categories specified in Section 6.1.1 of Tariff FCC No. 1 following to enable efficient provisioning and billing functions. (C)
 - h. Percent Interstate Usage (PIU) as specified in E2.3.14 *of this Tariff*
 - i. Provide Connecting Facility Assignment (CFA), if associated with a high capacity facility
 - j. For *BellSouth SWA* Local Channel and Switched Dedicated Interoffice Channel, the capacity
 - k. (DELETED)

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E5. ORDERING OPTIONS FOR ACCESS SERVICES

E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

E5.2.1 Provision of Service (Cont'd)

B. Information Required (Cont'd)

3. For BellSouth SWA FGD or BellSouth SWA TSBSA 3 service, the IC shall specify:
 - a. The number of BellSouth SWA FGD or BellSouth SWA TSBSA 3 trunks
 - (1) for trunks ordered to an end office, the end office
 - (2) for trunks ordered to an Access Tandem, the Access Tandem Switch
 - (3) for trunks with coin sent-paid capability ordered to a TOPS tandem, the TOPS Tandem Switch
 - (4) an estimate of the amount of traffic it will generate to and/or from each end office subtending the access and/or TOPS tandem (to assist the Company in its own efforts to project further facility requirements).
 - b. BellSouth SWA Transport Options, if any
 - c. Local Switching Options (including BSEs), if any
 - d. The traffic type using the categories specified in Section 6.1.1 of Tariff FCC No. 1 to enable efficient provisions and billing functions.
 - e. Provide Connecting Facility Assignment (CFA), if associated with a high capacity facility
 - f. For BellSouth SWA Local Channel and Switched Dedicated Interoffice Channel, the capacity
The coin capable end offices and TOPS tandem switches are identified in the Wire Center Section of the NECA No. 4 Tariff.
4. For BellSouth SWA FGD and BellSouth SWA TSBSA 3 with BellSouth SWA CCSAC in addition to the information listed in 3. preceding, the IC shall provide: a reference to existing signaling connections or reference to a related BellSouth SWA CCSAC signaling connection order; BellSouth SWA CCSAC Local Switching options, if any; for BellSouth CCS7 Signaling Connections, STP point codes and location identifier codes, circuit identification codes and switch type; and, for BellSouth CCS7 Signaling Connections, specification of the level of diversity in its network, as defined in the BellSouth Guidelines to Technical Publication TR-TSV-000905.
Service Installation Guarantees, as set forth in E2.4.10 of this Tariff, are not applicable for the installations of CCSAC signaling.
For BellSouth SWA FGD and BellSouth SWA TSBSA 3 with 64 Clear Channel Capability (CCC), in addition to the information listed in 3. and 4. preceding, the IC shall specify 64 CCC Local Switching Options, if any.
5. When ordering Operator Transfer Service, the IC shall specify the number of new or additional BellSouth SWA FGD, BellSouth SWA TSBSA 3 Trunks desired, if any, to carry originating traffic from the Operator Services System location to the IC location in each LATA served by the Operator Services System where the IC requests Operator Transfer Service.
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7. For BellSouth *SWA Common Transport IP Option*, the IC shall specify:
 - a. An estimate of the amount of traffic it will generate to each access tandem stated in minutes of use.

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E5. ORDERING OPTIONS FOR ACCESS SERVICES

E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

E5.2.1 Provision of Service (Cont'd)

C. Traffic Engineering Responsibilities

1. The IC is responsible to assure that sufficient access facilities have been ordered to handle its traffic.
2. When ordering BellSouth SWA service, the trunks may be determined by the IC in the following manner. For each day the IC shall determine the highest number of trunks in use for a single hour. The IC shall, for the same hour period (i.e., busy hour), pick the twenty consecutive business days in a calendar year which add up to the largest number of trunks in use. The IC shall then determine the average busy hour trunks by dividing the largest number of trunks in use figure, for the same hour period, for the twenty consecutive business day period by 20. This computation shall be performed for each end office and/or access tandem the IC wishes to serve.
3. If data to develop a twenty-consecutive day period is not available, the IC may use a twenty day period that contains as many consecutive days as is available.
4. When an IC desires BellSouth SWA service to an end office that is a remote switching office, the IC must order to the host office which controls the remote switching office since all traffic to and/or from a remote switching office must be routed through the host office.
5. When ordering Dedicated Access Services from this Tariff, the IC or End User must provide a Percent Interstate Usage (PIU) of 0 percent. The jurisdiction will be determined as set forth in E2.3.14.A.9 *of this Tariff*.
6. When ordering Dedicated Access Line Service from this Tariff, the IC must provide a Percent Interstate Usage (PIU) of 0 percent. The jurisdiction will be determined as set forth in E2.3.14.A.9 *of this Tariff*.
7. For all access services ordered by an IC, proof of certification by the Florida Public Service Commission must be provided by the IC to the Company in accordance with the provisions in E2.3 *of this Tariff*.

D. Determination of CCS7 Signaling Connections and Terminations

The customer shall work cooperatively with the Company to determine the number of CCS7 Signaling Connections and CCS7 Signaling Terminations required to handle its signaling traffic.

E. BellSouth SWA 500 Service

For BellSouth SWA 500 service, as described in Section 6.2 of Tariff FCC No. 1 the IC shall order in the same manner which is set forth preceding for ordering BellSouth SWA FGD, BellSouth SWA TSBSA and 3 except that ICs must order BellSouth SWA FGD, BellSouth SWA TSBSA or 3 to all end offices within the IC designated LATA(s), either through the tandem or by direct connections to the end office.

The IC is also responsible for reporting to the Company the percent interstate usage (PIU) for BellSouth SWA 500 service as set forth in E2.3.14 *of this Tariff*.

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E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

E5.2.1 Provision of Service (Cont'd)

F. BellSouth SWA 8XX Toll Free Dialing Ten Digit Screening Service

For BellSouth SWA 8XX Toll Free Dialing Ten Digit Screening Service as described in Section 6.2.5 of Tariff FCC No. 1, the IC shall order in the same manner which is set forth preceding for ordering BellSouth SWA FGD or BellSouth SWA TSBSA 3 except that the IC must order BellSouth SWA FGD or BellSouth SWA TSBSA 3 to all access tandems or direct connections to all end offices designated by the Company as Service Switching Points for BellSouth SWA 8XX Toll Free Dialing Ten Digit Screening Service within the LATA. Direct trunk routes cannot be provided unless the end office is equipped to provide the IC identification function. All traffic originating from end offices not equipped to provide the IC identification function require routing via the serving access tandem at which the function is available. Service must be ordered accordingly.

The IC is also responsible for reporting to the Company the percent interstate usage (PIU) for BellSouth SWA 8XX Toll Free Dialing Ten Digit Screening Service as set forth in E2.3.14 *of this Tariff*.

G. BellSouth 8XX Toll Free Dialing Number Administration Service

When ordering BellSouth 8XX Toll Free Dialing Number Administration service as described in E13.3.12 *of this Tariff*, the IC must, at a minimum, provide the following information to the Company:

- Area of service¹
- Name(s) of intraLATA and interLATA carrier(s), as applicable
- Access Carrier Name Abbreviation (ACNA) Code of the interLATA and intraLATA carrier, as applicable
- Activation date

When the POTS number is to be delivered to an IC, the IC must provide the full 10-digit POTS number to be associated with the 800 number and must indicate to whom the POTS number is to be delivered. In addition, the IC must also provide the POTS numbers associated with the intraLATA portion of BellSouth SWA 8XX Toll Free Dialing Ten Digit Screening Service for subscribers who will use the Company for intraLATA BellSouth SWA 8XX Toll Free Dialing Ten Digit Screening Service.

For the transport of any intraLATA 800 call by the Company, the IC must provide the end user billing information necessary for the Company to bill the appropriate intraLATA rates.

If the IC desires any of the options available with BellSouth 8XX Toll Free Dialing Number Administration Service as set forth in E13.3.12 *of this Tariff*, these must also be specified on the order for service.

H. BellSouth Directory Assistance Service

For BellSouth Directory Assistance service, the IC shall specify the number of trunks from the IC premises to the Directory Assistance location. Unless direct routing is specified by the IC, BellSouth Directory Assistance service will be provided with BellSouth SWA FGB, BellSouth SWA FGD or BellSouth SWA TSBSA service. The IC shall also specify which BellSouth SWA FGB, BellSouth SWA FGD or BellSouth SWA TSBSA service trunk group is to be associated with the BellSouth Directory Assistance service.

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Note 1 : The standard area of service is the entire state. Other levels of area of service may be provided with the Customized Area of Service feature.

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E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

E5.2.1 Provision of Service (Cont'd)

- I. For all Dedicated Access Services, the End User or End User's authorized agent must specify the IC terminal location and end user premises or Hubs involved, the channel type (e.g., Voice Grade, High Capacity, etc.) the channel interface, technical specification package and options desired. For multipoint services, the channel interface at each end user premises may be different but all such interfaces shall be compatible.
- J. For BellSouth SWA Transport Services, the IC must specify the Facility Hubs involved, if applicable, the channel type (e.g. Switched Voice Grade, Switched DS1, etc.), the channel interface and any options desired.
- K. Where the Dedicated Access or WATS Access Line (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA WATS Line) service is exempt from the Dedicated Access Surcharge as set forth in Section E7. *of this Tariff*, the IC shall furnish with the order the certification as set forth in that section. (T)
- L. For WATS Access Line (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA WATS Line) service, the IC must also specify the type of calling (i.e., Originating Only, Terminating Only, or Two-Way) for which the service is to be provided. Additionally, when necessary screening functions are not provided at the wire center, which serves the IC's originating or terminating premises, the Company will provide the service to the nearest wire center where the capability exists. In these circumstances, the IC will be so notified and the order will be changed to designate the appropriate premises. No charge will apply for the change.
- M. To enable an IC to receive flat rate treatment on a WATS Access Line (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA WATS Line) used to provide terminating service (i.e., BellSouth SWA 8XX Toll Free Dialing Ten Digit Screening service), the IC must specify, by jurisdiction, the telephone number which is used to route the call.
- N. For BellSouth SWA 900 Service, the IC shall order in the same manner which is set forth preceding for ordering BellSouth SWA FGD or BellSouth SWA TSBSA 3 with the following exception. The IC must order BellSouth SWA FGD or BellSouth SWA TSBSA 3 to all access tandems or direct connections to all end offices designated by the Company as BellSouth SWA 900 service screening offices within a LATA. Direct trunk routes cannot be provided unless the end office is equipped to provide the IC identification function. All traffic originating from end offices not equipped to provide the IC identification function will require routing via the access tandem at which the function is available. Service must be ordered accordingly. In addition, the IC shall specify whether 900 NXX codes provided to the IC should be arranged for 1+ dialing only or for both 1+ and 0+ dialing. All 900 NXXs provided to an individual IC will be arranged for either 1+ dialing only or for both 1+ and 0+ dialing.
When the IC desires activation of a 900 NXX code for 900 NXX screening the IC shall submit an Access Service Request (ASR) whether or not additional capacity is required.
- O. For BellSouth Billing Name and Address for ANI service, in addition to the ordering conditions set forth in E5.1.2 *of this Tariff*, the IC shall also provide the following: (T)
 - 1. The IC's Carrier Identification Code (CIC) or pseudo CIC code and Access Carrier Name Abbreviation (ACNA). In the event the IC does not have such an assignment the IC must contact the Company for this assignment.
 - 2. A list of Carrier Identification Codes (CICs) or pseudo CIC codes and Access Carrier Name Abbreviation (ACNA) for whom billing services are being performed.
 - 3. The established Company Carrier Access Billing System (CABS) Account (CO7) number and if no account exists the Company will establish a CO7 account for billing purposes.

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E5. ORDERING OPTIONS FOR ACCESS SERVICES**E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)****E5.2.1 Provision of Service (Cont'd)**

- P.** The Service Installation Guarantee, as set forth in Section E2.4.10, is applicable to specified services offered in this Tariff. The Service Installation Guarantee is applied on a per service order basis for BellSouth SWA services. The Service Installation Guarantee is applied on a per circuit basis for Dedicated Access Services. (T)
- Service Installation Guarantee, as set forth in Section E2.4.10, is not applicable for the installation of CCS7 Access Arrangement. (T)
- Q.** For BellSouth SWA FGB, BellSouth SWA FGD and BellSouth SWA TSBSA 1 and service to a Mobile Telephone Switching Office (MTSO) directly interconnected to a Company Access Tandem Office, the IC shall provide information to the Company indicating the NXX codes(s) to be accessed.
- R.** Expanded Interconnection Service (EIS)
For EIS arrangements, the collocator must specify the type of cross-connect element to be utilized.
- S.** When ordering BellSouth Remote Access Service, in addition to subscribing to the service by meeting the conditions set forth in E5.1.2 and E5.2.1.B.1, of this Tariff, the customer shall:
 - 1. coordinate their access service request through a customer account team;
 - 2. populate the project field on the access service request with "BST-RAS"; and
 - 3. negotiate service intervals for BellSouth Remote Access Service.
- T.** BellSouth *SWA Common Transport IP Option*
For BellSouth *SWA Common Transport IP Option*, as described in Section 6.2 of Tariff FCC No. 1 the IC shall:
 - 1. coordinate their Access Order through a customer account team;
 - 2. populate fields on the Access Order with information provided by the customer account team.

(DELETED)**E5.2.2 Reserved for Future Use****E5.2.3 Access Order Modifications**

- A.** The IC or End User may request a modification of its Access Order at any time prior to notification by the Company that service is available for the IC or End User's use. The Company will make every effort to accommodate a requested modification when it is able to do so with the normal work force assigned to complete such an order within normal business hours. If the modification cannot be made with the normal work force during normal business hours, the Company will notify the IC or End User. If the IC or End User still desires the Access Order modification, the Company will schedule a new service date. All charges for Access Order modification will apply on a per occurrence basis. (D)
- B.** Any increase in the number of Dedicated Access Service channels, EIS cross-connect elements, or BellSouth SWA service lines, trunks or BellSouth SWA Transport facilities or BellSouth SWA CCS7 Signaling Connections and CCS7 Signaling Terminations will be treated as a new Access Order (for the increased amount only).
- C.** If order modifications are necessary to satisfy the transmission performance for a Dedicated Access Service ordered by an IC or End User, these changes will be made without order modification charges being incurred by the End user.
- D.** Service Date Change Charge
 - 1. Access Order service dates for installation of new services or rearrangements of existing services, may be changed, but the new service date may not exceed the original service date by more than 30 calendar days. When, for any reason, the IC or End User indicates that service cannot be accepted for a period not to exceed 30 calendar days, and the Company accordingly delays the start of service, a Service Date Change Charge will apply. If the IC or End User requested service date is more than 30 calendar days after the original service date, the order will be cancelled by the Company and re-issued with appropriate cancellation charges applied unless the IC or End User indicates that billing for the service is to commence as set forth in Section E5.2.8. (T)

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2. Failure to notify the Company prior to the original service date to request a different service date may result in the application of a Service Date Change-Additional Dispatch Charge for installations, moves and rearrangement of services. If a Company technician is dispatched to the IC or End User's premises on the scheduled service date and the IC or End User has failed to notify the Company before three o'clock p.m. EST on the business day prior to the scheduled service date that it wishes to change the service date, the Company will delay the start of service pending negotiations with the IC or End User. If the IC or End User reschedules the service date, a Service Date Change-Additional Dispatch Charge will apply in addition to a Service Date Change Charge as specified in Section E5.2.3.D.4(a). If the IC or End User cancels the service date, cancellation charges will apply in accordance with terms and conditions for cancellation charges as set forth in Section E5.2.4. Cancellation of the order will not preclude the application of the Service Date Change Charge and Service Date Change-Additional Dispatch Charge assessed for prior occurrences on the same order. (T)
3. A new service date may be established that is prior to the original service date, if the Company determines it can accommodate the IC's or End User's request without delaying service dates for orders of other ICs, or End Users. (T)
4. A Service Date Change Charge will apply, on a per order per occurrence basis, for each service date changed. The Service Date Change-Additional Dispatch Charge will apply for each occurrence of a technician dispatch to the IC's or customer's premises when the customer is not ready for service as specified in Section E5.2.3.D.2. The applicable charges are: (T)

	Nonrecurring Charge	USOC OMC
(a) Service Date Change Charge, per Order	\$26.21	
(B) Service Date Change-Additional Dispatch Charge, per Occurrence	\$150.00	OMCAD
5. For multiple orders with the same service date for the same customer premises, only one Service Date Change-Additional Dispatch Charge will apply. However, a Service Date Change Charge will apply for each order.		
6. Service Installation Guarantee, as set forth in Section E2.4.10, is not applicable for Service Date Change charges.		(T)
7. An exception to the Service Date Change Charge provisions in Sections E5.2.3.D.1 and 2 applies for BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service and AT&T Switched Ethernet Service. The following provisions apply:		(N)

If a Customer is unable to accept Service on the original due date, the Customer may issue one or more supplements to an Access Order to change the original due date to a date no more than 120 calendar days after the original due date. When such requests are made, the Telephone Company will accordingly delay the start of service and the Customer will incur a Service Date Change Charge. The first supplement to the Access Order must be received by the Telephone Company on or before 30 calendar days after the original due date.

If a Customer has opted to issue a supplement to an Access Order to extend the original due date but is unable to accept Service within 121 calendar days after the original due date, one of the following will apply:

- If Service has not been fully provisioned, the Telephone Company will cancel the order on the 121st calendar day after the original due date and charges specified in Section E5.2.3.4(a) will apply, or
- If Service has been fully provisioned, the Telephone Company will begin billing for the Service on the 121st day after the original due date.

If a Customer is unable to accept Service within 31 calendar days after the original due date, and the Telephone Company has not received a supplement to the Access Order to extend the due date within 30 calendar days after the original due date, one of the following options will apply:

- If Service has not been fully provisioned, the Telephone Company will cancel the order on the 31st calendar day after the original due date and charges specified in Section E5.2.3.4(a) will apply, or
- If Service has been fully provisioned, the Telephone Company will begin billing for the Service on the 31st calendar day after the original due date.

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- Any decrease in the number of ordered Dedicated Access Service channels, EIS cross-connect elements, or BellSouth SWA Service Lines, Trunks or BellSouth SWA Transport facilities, CCS7 Signaling Connections and CCS7 Signaling Terminations or WATS Access Lines (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA WATS Lines) will be treated as a partial cancellation and the charges as set forth in Section E5.2.4.B.4. will apply.

F. Design Change Charges

- The IC or End User may request a design change to the service ordered. A design change is any change to an Access Order which requires engineering review. An engineering review is a review by Company personnel, of the service ordered and the requested changes to determine what changes in the design, if any, are necessary to meet the changes requested by the IC or End User. Design changes include such things as the addition or deletion of optional features or functions or a change in the type of BellSouth SWA Transport Termination type of channel interface, type of Interface Group or technical specification package. Design changes do not include a change of IC terminal location, End User premises, end office switch, BellSouth SWA FG type, BellSouth SWA Basic Serving Arrangement type, EIS cross-connect elements, or Dedicated Access Service channel type. Changes of this nature will require the issuance of a new order and the cancellation of the original order with appropriate cancellation charges applied.
- Should an IC or End User requested design change be received on a pending access order that results in the establishment of a new service date that exceeds the original service date by more than 30 days, the IC or End User shall not be required to cancel and reissue a new order, but shall be billed a Design Change Charge and a Service Date Change Charge.
- The Company will review the requested change, notify the IC or End User whether the change is a design change, if it can be accommodated and if a new service date is required. If the IC or End User authorizes the Company to proceed with the design change, a Design Change Charge will apply. The Design Change Charge will apply on a per order, per occurrence basis, for each order requiring a design change.

F. Design Change Charges (Cont'd)**3. (Cont'd)**

The applicable charge is:

(a) Design change charge, per order

Service Installation Guarantee, as set forth in Section E2.4.10, is not applicable for Design Change Charge.

- If a change of service date is required, the Service Date Change Charge as set forth in Section E5.2.3.D. will also apply.

G. (DELETED)

Nonrecurring	
Charge	USOC
\$26.21	H28

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E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)**E5.2.4 Cancellation of an Access Order**

- A. An IC or End User may cancel an Access Order for the installation of service on any day prior to the service date. The cancellation date is the date the Company receives written notice from the IC or End User that the order is to be cancelled.

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- B. When an IC or End User cancels an Access Order for the installation of service, a Cancellation Charge will apply as follows:

1. Costs incurred in conjunction with the provision of Switched Access Service, EIS Arrangements/EIS Cross-Connects, or Dedicated Access Service starts on the Application Date as defined in Section E5.2.4.B.4.b. Provisions addressing the application of charge for EIS elements are contained in Section E20. (T)
2. When the IC or End User cancels an Access Order prior to the Design Layout Report Date, as defined in Section E5.2.4.B.4.b. no charges shall apply. (T)
3. When the IC or End User cancels an Access Order on or after the Design Layout Report Date, a charge equal to the estimated costs incurred by the Company shall apply. Such charge is determined as specified in Section E5.2.4.B.4. (T)
4. Charges applicable as specified in Section E5.2.4.B.3. are based on the estimated costs incurred by the Company at the time the order is cancelled. The estimated costs incurred are determined based on the following: (T)
 - a. Certain Company critical dates are associated with an Access Order provisioning interval, whether standard or negotiated. These dates are used by the Company to monitor the progress of the provisioning process. At any point in the Access Order interval the Company is able to determine which critical date was last completed and can thus determine what percentage of the Company's provisioning costs have been incurred as of that critical date.
 - b. The critical dates tracked by the Company are as follows:

Application Date (APP):

The date the IC or End User provides to the Company a firm commitment for service and sufficient information as detailed in E5.1 preceding to enable the Company to begin service provisioning. This is also the order date.

Scheduled Issue Date (SID):

The date that the order is to enter the Company's order distribution system.

Loop Assignment and Make-up Date (LAM):

The date by which Local Loop Assignment and Make-up information must be available.

Design Layout Report Date (DLRD):

The date the Design Layout Report (DLR) is forwarded to the IC or End User.

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E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)**E5.2.4 Cancellation of an Access Order (Cont'd)**

- B.** When an IC or End User cancels an Access Order for the installation of service, a Cancellation Charge will apply as follows: (Cont'd)

4. Charges applicable as specified in 3. preceding are based on the estimated costs incurred by the Company at the time the order is cancelled. The estimated costs incurred are determined based on the following: (Cont'd)
- b. The critical dates tracked by the Company are as follows: (Cont'd)

Records Issue Date (RID):

The date that all design and assignment information is to be sent to the central office and installation forces.

Designed, Verified, and Assigned Date (DVA):

The date by which field implementation groups must report that all documents and materials have been received.

Wired and Office Tested Date (WOT):

The date by which all intraoffice wiring is to be completed, all plug-ins optioned, aligned, and frame continuity established, and the interoffice facilities, if applicable, tested. In addition, switching equipment, including translation loading, is to be installed and tested.

Frame Continuity Date (FCD):

Date on which frame-to-frame testing must be completed. This is sometimes referred to as the Facility Continuity Check Date.

Plant Test Date (PTD):

The date on which overall testing of the service is to be started.

Engineering Information Report Date (EIRD):

The date the engineering group in another ISS area provides information to the primary engineering group.

Service Date (DD):

The date on which service is to be made available to the IC or End User. This is sometimes referred to as the Due Date.

Confirming Design Layout Report Date (CDLRD):

The date the Design Layout Report (DLR) is to be confirmed by the IC or End User.

- c. The percentage of the total provisioning cost incurred by the Company at a particular critical date varies by the type of service as shown in d. following.
- d. When an IC or End User cancels an Access Order, or part of an Access Order, before the service date, the Company will apply cancellation charges to the order. Cancellation charges are calculated by multiplying all the nonrecurring charges associated with the order, or that part of the order being cancelled, by the percentage shown in e. following for the critical date last completed on the order.²

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Note 2: As set forth in E5.2.4.B.2., when an IC or End User cancels an order prior to the Design Layout Report Date, no cancellation charges shall apply.

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E5. ORDERING OPTIONS FOR ACCESS SERVICES**E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)****E5.2.4 Cancellation of an Access Order (Cont'd)**

- B.** When an IC or End User cancels an Access Order for the installation of service, a Cancellation Charge will apply as follows:
(Cont'd)

4. (Cont'd)

- e. The resulting cancellation charge is also shown as follows:

(1) Cancellation Charge Percentages Listing No. 1

Type Service/**Critical****Dates**

After:
Before:

APP
SID

SID
LAM

LAM
EIRD

EIRD
DLRD

DLRD
RID

RID
DVA

DEDICATED ACCESS

WATS (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA)

3.8% 9.6% 11.9% 16.2% 21.4% 29.6%

Voice Grade (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA DS0 VG)

3.8% 9.5% 11.9% 16.1% 21.3% 29.7%

Telegraph Grade (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA Telegraph)

3.8% 9.5% 11.9% 16.1% 21.3% 29.7%

Metallic Grade (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA Metallic)

3.8% 9.5% **11.9%** 16.1% 21.3% 29.7%

Program Audio (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA Program Audio)

3.6% 9.1% 11.3% 15.3% 20.3% 28.3%

Digital Data Access (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA DS0 Digital Data)

3.6% 9.1% 11.4% 16.1% 21.9% 28.5%

BellSouth Metro Ethernet service

11.6% 33.1% 42.9% 44.8% 47.3% 53.1%

EIS Cross-Connects

3.7% 9.3% 11.5% 15.6% 20.6% 28.8%

BELLSOUTH SWA

Trunks or Lines

8.6% 17.2% 17.2% 22.1% 28.0% 41.1%

High Capacity (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA High Capacity)

3.7% 9.3% 11.5% 15.6% 20.6% 28.8%

EIS Cross-Connects

3.7% 9.3% 11.5% 15.6% 20.6% 28.8%

(2) Cancellation Charge Percentages Listing No. 2

Type Service/**Critical****Dates**

After:
Before:

DVA
WOT

WOT
FCD

FCD
PTD

PTD
DD

DD

DEDICATED ACCESS

WATS (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA)

39.7% 47.5% 69.6% 93.3% 100.0%

Voice Grade (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA DS0 VG)

39.5% 47.2% 69.5% 93.4% 100.0%

Telegraph Grade (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA Telegraph)

39.5% 47.2% 69.5% 93.4% 100.0%

Metallic Grade (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA Metallic)

39.5% 47.2% 69.5% 93.4% 100.0%

Program Audio (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA Program Audio)

37.6% 45.0% 68.6% 93.7% 100.0%

Digital Data Access (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA DS0 Digital Data)

36.0% 45.2% 69.9% 93.9% 100.0%

BellSouth Metro Ethernet service

53.1% 69.9% 85.6% 94.9% 100.0%

EIS Cross-Connects

38.3% 45.8% 68.9% 93.6% 100.0%

BELLSOUTH SWA

Trunks or Lines

60.5% 67.8% 79.7% 95.8% 100.0%

BellSouth SWA High Capacity

38.3% 45.8% 68.9% 93.6% 100.0%

EIS Cross-Connects

38.3% 45.8% 68.9% 93.6% 100.0%

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E5. ORDERING OPTIONS FOR ACCESS SERVICES

E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

E5.2.4 Cancellation of an Access Order (Cont'd)

5. The provisions of Sections E5.2.4.D.1-4 above shall not apply to cancellations of Access Orders for AT&T Switched Ethernet Service. Cancellation charges for AT&T Switched Ethernet Service are applied based upon the tiered fee schedule outlined below. When an IC cancels an Access Order (or a part of an order) for AT&T Switched Ethernet Service, cancellation charges will apply, even when nonrecurring installation charges would otherwise be waived. Cancellation charges will be calculated based on the number of calendar days between the Company's receipt of the Access Order and the cancellation date. A cancellation charge will apply on a per port connection basis as shown in the table below:

USOC	Cancellation Date – Calendar Days After Receipt of Order	Cancellation Charge (Per Port Connection)
NRFSC	0-10	\$0.00
NRFSD	11-30	\$0.00
NRFSE	31-60	\$2,000.00
NRFSE	61+	\$3,000.00

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- C. When a customer cancels an order service for BellSouth Dedicated Ring or SMARTRing service (a.k.a. BellSouth Dedicated Ring) prior to the beginning of the selected service period, the customer will be liable for all capital expenses incurred by the Telephone Company in provisioning the BellSouth Dedicated Ring or SMARTRing service (a.k.a. BellSouth SPA Dedicated Ring), as of the date the order is canceled by the customer. The charges billed to the customer will not exceed an amount equal to the minimum period for the service as set forth in Section 6.1.3 of Tariff FCC No. 1 and Section E7.4 of this intrastate tariff at the month-to-month rates set forth in Sections E6.8 and E7.5 of this intrastate tariff. Such charges will be billed in addition to and subsequent to the cancellation charges set forth in Section E5.2.4.B.
- D. When an IC or End User cancels an order for the discontinuance of service, no charges apply for the cancellation.
- E. If the company misses a service date by more than 30 days due to circumstances over which it has direct control (excluding e.g., acts of God, government requirements, work stoppages and civil commotions), the IC or End User may cancel the Access Order without incurring cancellation charges.

E5.2.5 Selection of Facilities For Access Orders

- A. When an IC or End User places an Access Order, it may choose to utilize facilities it previously purchased as a facility to a Hub. If the IC has a high capacity interface or has a purchased facility, or has a Dedicated Access Service facility purchased to a Hub, the IC or End User must request that specific channels be used to implement the Access Order. If a facility assignment is not provided by the IC or End User, the Company will provide the service from available inventory as discussed in E5.3 following.
- B. For all other Access Orders, the option to request a specific transmission path or channel is not provided, except as provided for under Special Facilities Routing as set forth in Section E11.

E5.2.6 Minimum Period

- A. Except as set forth in Section E2.4.2 B. *and* Section E5.2.6C. and Section E9.4.1, the minimum period for which charges are applicable for Access Service is one month.

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E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

E5.2.6 Minimum Period (Cont'd)

- B.** The minimum service period for BellSouth Remote Access Service is twelve months. The minimum service period for BellSouth Metro Ethernet service is four months.¹
 - C.** Service Rearrangements¹ and Transfer of Service as set forth in Section 6.7.1 of Tariff FCC No. 1 and Section E7.4.1 of this intrastate Tariff for BellSouth SWA and Dedicated Access Services respectively, may be made without a change in minimum period requirements. (C)
 - D.** Changes other than those identified in Section 6.7.1 of Tariff FCC No. 1 or Section E7.4.1¹ of this intrastate Tariff will be treated as a discontinuance of the existing service and an installation of a new service. All associated nonrecurring charges will apply for the new service. A new minimum period will be established for the new service. The IC or End User will also remain responsible for all outstanding minimum period obligations associated with the disconnected service. (C)
- The following changes are those which will be treated as a discontinuance and installation of service and for which a new minimum period will be established.
- 1. A move to a different building as set forth in Section 6.7.7 of Tariff FCC No. 1 or Section E7.4.4 of this intrastate Tariff. (C)
 - 2. A change in type of service (i.e., BellSouth SWA to Dedicated Access, one type of Dedicated Access to another, or one type of BellSouth SWA service to another except as set forth in Section 6.7.6 of Tariff FCC No. 1). (C)
 - 3. A change in the type of Dedicated Access Service Local Channel or Switched Local Channel.
 - 4. A change in the interface for BellSouth SWA service or BellSouth Directory Assistance service .
 - 5. Change in BellSouth SWA service traffic type.
 - 6. Change from two-point to multipoint Dedicated Access Service or from multipoint to two-point Dedicated Access Service.
 - E.** An IC or End User may request disconnect of an access service at any time after the service has been established. The IC or End User must give the Company at least one business day written or verbal notice prior to the desired disconnect date. The one business day notice period will begin on the date the Company first receives the disconnect notification, either written or verbal. The verbal notice must be followed by written confirmation within 10 days.
 - F.** When Access Service is disconnected prior to the expiration of the minimum period, the IC or End User is obligated for payment of the minimum period charge as set forth in E2.4.9 of this Tariff and E5.2.7 following. When Access Service is disconnected after the expiration of the minimum period, billing for the service will be performed in accordance with the provisions set forth in E2.4.1.C. of this Tariff.

E5.2.7 Minimum Period Charges

- A.** When Access Service is discontinued prior to the expiration of the minimum period, charges are applicable for the balance of the minimum period. The disconnect date is the final date the IC or End User has use of the service.
The Minimum Period Monthly Charge, for services provided with a one month minimum period will be determined as follows:
 - 1. For BellSouth SWA service, usage sensitive rate elements (i.e. Carrier Common Line, Local Switching, Access Tandem Switching, BellSouth SWA Common Transport, and Interconnection), the charge for a month or fraction thereof is equal to the applicable rates for the actual or assumed usage for the month or such fraction thereof.
 - 2. For BellSouth SWA Transport components which are not usage sensitive (i.e., Switched Local Channel and Switched Dedicated Interoffice Channel and Channelization Equipment), the charge for a month or fraction thereof is the applicable monthly rates for the service as set forth in Section 6.8 of Tariff FCC No. 1. (C)

Note 1: Specific regulations for BellSouth Metro Ethernet service minimum period, service rearrangements (reconfigurations) and changes are provided in E7.4.32 of this Tariff.

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E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

E5.2.7 Minimum Period Charges (Cont'd)

- A. When Access Service is discontinued prior to the expiration of the minimum period, charges are applicable for the balance of the minimum period. The disconnect date is the final date the IC or End User has use of the service. (Cont'd)
 - 3. For Dedicated Access Service, the charge for a month or fraction thereof is the applicable monthly rate for the service as set forth in E7.5 following.
 - 4. For **BellSouth SWA** service Dedicated Access Lines, the charge for each remaining month and/or fraction thereof is the applicable monthly rate for the service as set forth in E6.7.3 following. (T)
 - 5. For EIS arrangements, the charge for a month or fraction thereof is the applicable monthly rate for the service as set forth in Section E20. following.
 - 6. The Minimum Period Charges for **BellSouth SWA FGD** or **BellSouth SWA** TSBSA 3 service are set forth in E2.4 preceding. (T)
- B. Extraordinary circumstances may exist under which minimum period charges may be waived with Florida Public Service Commission approval.
- C. All applicable nonrecurring charges for the service will be billed in addition to the Minimum Period Charge.
- D. Should billing for a service which is disconnected prior to the expiration of the Minimum Period cover multiple billing cycles, the bill reflecting the disconnect of service will be adjusted to account for that portion of the Minimum Period Charge previously billed to the IC. In no event shall the total recurring charge billed to the IC for such service exceed the applicable Minimum Period Charge.

All applicable nonrecurring charges associated with the provision of service will be billed in addition to the Minimum Period Charge. Such nonrecurring charges include the nonrecurring charge for the installation of service and/or optional features, Service Order Modification Charges, Additional Engineering and Labor Charges, if any, etc.

E5.2.8 Shared Use Facilities

Shared Use occurs when **BellSouth SWA** and Dedicated Access services are provided over the same high capacity facility through a common interface. The facility may be ordered either as digital high capacity **BellSouth SWA** or Dedicated Access. (T)

Billing will commence for the high capacity facility as soon as the facility is turned over to the IC for use (i.e., on the service date). Such billing will include charges for the Local Channel or Switched Local Channel, the Channelization Equipment (i.e., the multiplexer) and the interoffice transport mileage, if any. Nonrecurring installation charges will also apply at this time. (T)

Such billing will continue until such time as the IC requests, by placing an order for service, that one or more of the derived channels be used in the provisioning of an end to end **BellSouth SWA** or Dedicated Access service. When the end to end service is turned over to the IC for use, the existing billing may be modified and billing for the end to end service will commence.

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E5. ORDERING OPTIONS FOR ACCESS SERVICES

E5.2 Access Order (Cont'd)

E5.2.8 Shared Use Facilities (Cont'd)

When the original facility is ordered as Dedicated Access, the billing change to the existing facility, if any, will depend on whether the end to end service provisioned over the derived channel(s) is Dedicated or BellSouth SWA. If Dedicated Access service, the billing for the facility will not change but additional billing will commence for the end to end service provisioned over the facility. This billing will include an additional local channel(s) and interoffice mileage, if applicable, of a lower capacity level (e.g., voice grade).

When the original facility is ordered as Dedicated Access and BellSouth SWA service is provisioned over a derived channel(s), the Dedicated Access billing for the original facility will be reduced in direct proportion to the number of channels being utilized for BellSouth SWA service. For example, if six channels of BellSouth SWA DS1 are to be used for BellSouth SWA, the Dedicated Access rate will be reduced by one fourth. The IC will be billed one fourth of the BellSouth SWA DS1 rate, plus all other applicable BellSouth SWA charges for the BellSouth SWA service provided.

When the original facility is ordered a BellSouth SWA, the billing charge to the existing facility, if any, will depend on whether the end to end service provisioned over the derived channel(s) is BellSouth SWA or Dedicated Access service. If BellSouth SWA service, the billing for the facility will not change but additional billing will commence for the end to end service provisioned over the facility. This billing will include local switching, line terminations, carrier common line and additional interoffice transport at a lower capacity, if applicable.

When the original facility is ordered as BellSouth SWA and Dedicated Access service is provisioned over a derived channel(s), the BellSouth SWA billing for the original facility will be reduced in direct proportion to the number of channels being utilized for Dedicated Access service. For example, if six channels of a BellSouth SWA DS1 are to be used for Dedicated Access, the BellSouth SWA rate will be reduced by one fourth. The IC will be billed three fourths of the BellSouth SWA DS1 rate, plus all other applicable BellSouth SWA charges. The IC will be billed one fourth of the Dedicated Access DS1 rate, plus all other applicable charges for the Dedicated Access service provided.

BellSouth Dedicated Ring is only available for Shared Use with SMARTRing® service (a.k.a. BellSouth Dedicated Ring) and vice versa. When these services are ordered for Shared Use arrangements, all ring level components must be ordered as either BellSouth SWA or Dedicated Access service.

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E5.3 Available Inventory

Available inventory is limited and does not include facilities previously ordered. The Company will make every reasonable effort to maintain sufficient available inventory to provide Access Service in accordance with the IC's or End User's requested service date intervals. To the extent that service can be provided, Access Orders will be satisfied from available inventory.

E5.4 Shared Network Arrangement

E5.4.1 General

- A. Shared Network Arrangement (SNA) is a service offering whereby multiple interexchange carriers (ICs) may share capacity on high capacity channelized services. SNA service configurations will be limited to ICs utilizing BellSouth SWA DS3 service sharing capacity with other ICs utilizing sub-BellSouth SWA DS3 services and/or ICs utilizing BellSouth SWA DS1 service sharing capacity with other ICs utilizing sub-BellSouth SWA DS1 services. Each rate element, associated with the SNA, will be billed to a single subscriber and the Company will maintain separate records (including billing and network configuration) for each IC's portion of the SNA.

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E5.4.1 General (Cont'd)

- B. The *BellSouth SWA* DS3 and *BellSouth SWA* DS1 Service ICs who are sharing capacity on their services with others are considered to be the host subscribers under these arrangements. The host subscriber is considered the IC for the higher level service and is solely responsible for payment of the rate elements for such level of service, from the subscribers terminal location through channelization. Each service user of the lower level service is responsible for payment of the charges associated with lower level service. Under the SNA, the Company may share with the host subscriber record information pertaining to the services of other users of the shared network. Such disclosure will be under the sole discretion of the Company as is necessary to perform billing reconciliations and/or other functions required in connection with maintaining account records.
- C. Each subscriber entering into the SNA is solely responsible to the Company for charges associated with that subscriber's portion of the shared network.
 - 1. For example, for *BellSouth SWA* Dedicated Transport Shared Network Arrangements, the host IC would be responsible for a *BellSouth SWA* DS3 Service Switched Local Channel and the DS3 to DS1 Channelization Equipment. The service user will be responsible for payment of the Switched Dedicated Interoffice Channel charges as well as any end office based *BellSouth SWA* charges associated with the service.
- D. Disconnection of the service by the host subscriber does not relieve another user of the shared network of any obligation to pay access charges associated with the portion of the shared network to which that user subscribes. Billing for services and facilities will continue until a disconnect request from the service user has been received by the Company. The host subscriber is solely responsible for notifying the connecting service user in the event of disconnection of the host's service which affects that portion of the shared network service to which the user has subscribed.
- E. SNAs can be utilized on any of the following rate elements which comprise a service arrangement within a shared network:
 - Switched Local Channels
 - Switched Access Channelization Elements
 - Switched Access Dedicated Interoffice Channels
- F. A one-time coordination charge will be assessed with the establishment of a Shared Network Arrangement. The host subscriber and the service user may, by mutual agreement, designate which party will be responsible for payment of the coordination charge. In the event no such agreement is reached, the charge will be applied to the host subscriber's account and the host subscriber will be responsible for payment of said charge.
- G. Shared Network Arrangement coordination charges for *BellSouth SWA* services are shown in Section 6.8.7 of Tariff FCC No. (C)
 - 1. Additionally, a separate nonrecurring charge will apply to process each service order on a shared network account. (C)

E5.5 Reserved for Future Use