

**Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of)
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BellSouth Plan for)
Comparably Efficient Interconnection for)
Voice Messaging Service)

INFORMATIONAL AMENDMENT

BellSouth Corporation, on behalf of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (“BellSouth”), hereby publishes this Informational Amendment to BellSouth’s previously posted plan for comparably efficient interconnection (“CEI”) for Voice Messaging Service.¹ This amendment describes BellSouth’s provision of voice messaging service on a region wide basis pursuant to Section 271(g)(4) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. As this is an incidental interLATA information service, a CEI plan is not required, nevertheless, BellSouth posts this amendment to its Voice Messaging CEI Plan to describe this offering.

Pursuant to 271(g)(4), a BellSouth Voice Messaging Service subscriber in one LATA will be able to store messages in, and retrieve messages from, voice mail platforms located in another LATA. Specifically, using store and forward functionality, subscribers will be able to send messages and reply to messages using storage facilities located in another LATA.

¹ See BellSouth Plan for Comparably Efficient Interconnection for Voice Messaging Service, 3 FCC Rcd 7284 (1988) Subsequent history omitted. BellSouth’s Comparably Efficient Interconnection Plan for Voice Messaging Service is available at http://www.interconnection.bellsouth.com/notifications/carrier/isp_psp_notific.html

BellSouth fully owns the storage facilities used to provide this 271(g)(4) interLATA information service. The storage facilities are interconnected on an incidental interLATA basis via use of internal BellSouth facilities.

In its provision of this 271(g)(4) interLATA information service, BellSouth will comply with Sections 201, 202, 222 and 272 of the Act and with the Commission's Customer Proprietary Network Information (CPNI), Part 64, and Part 32 Accounting requirements.
