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E9. BELLSOUTH DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE ACCESS SERVICE

The Company will provide Automated *BellSouth* Directory Assistance Access service as described in Section E9.1.

E9.1 BellSouth Directory Assistance Access Service

E9.1.1 General Description

- A. Provision of Service
 - 1. The Company will provide automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service to an IC from *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service locations.
 - BellSouth Directory Assistance Access service provides: (1) automated BellSouth Directory Assistance Access service to BellSouth Directory Assistance Access service locations; (2) the use of automated BellSouth Directory Assistance Access service equipment; and (3) BellSouth Directory Assistance Access, when required, to provide telephone numbers or a report that a number is non-published.

E9.1.2 Undertaking of the Company

- A. Number Provision
 - 1. Automated Directory Assistance Access service, when furnished a city, state and name, will provide or attempt to provide the telephone number listed in the Company automated *Directory Assistance* records associated with the name given at the rates and charges as set forth in Section E9.1.7. The Company's contact with the IC's end user shall be limited to that effort necessary to process an IC's end user's request for a telephone number; and the Company will not transfer, forward or redial an IC's end user call to any other location for any purpose other than provision of automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service.
 - A maximum of three (3) requests for telephone numbers will be accepted per automated BellSouth Directory Assistance
 Access call.
 - 3. A telephone number which is not listed in automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* records will not be available to the IC's end user.
- **B.** Access Locations and Call Transport
 - 1. The Company will specify the *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service location which provides the automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service for each Numbering Plan Area Code (NPA).
 - When it becomes necessary, as determined by the Company, to change a *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service location, the Company will notify the ICs involved six months prior to the change. For such changes, the regulations as set forth in Section E2.1.7 apply.
 - 2. When automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service is ordered, automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service will be provided between the IC terminal location and the *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service location by the Company as set forth in Section E9.1.6.
 - a. BellSouth Directory Assistance Access service

Each BellSouth Directory Assistance Access service will consist of the following:

(1) A *BellSouth SWA* service equipped with one of the following *BellSouth SWA* service *BellSouth SWA Transport* Premises Interface codes:

 4DS9-15
 6EA2-E
 4RV2-0

 4DS6-44
 6EA2-M
 2RV3-0

 4SF3

(2) Directory Transport between the IC terminal location serving wire center and the *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service location.

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E9. BELLSOUTH DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE ACCESS SERVICE

E9.1 BellSouth Directory Assistance Access Service (Cont'd)

E9.1.4 Payment Arrangements (Cont'd)

- **D.** Cancellation of a Special Order (Cont'd)
 - 2. When an IC cancels a Special Order for automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service after the order date but prior to the start of service, the appropriate charges as set forth in Section E5 for *BellSouth SWA* service ordered apply. In addition, a charge equal to any unrecoverable capital costs incurred by the Company will apply to the IC.
- E. Changes to Special Orders

When an IC requests changes to a pending order for automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service, such changes will be undertaken if they can be accommodated by the Company. The appropriate charges as set forth in Section E5 for *BellSouth SWA* service apply. In addition, a charge equal to any other costs incurred by the Company because of the change will apply.

F. Moves

A move involves a change in the physical location of the point of interface at the IC terminal location or the IC terminal location. Moves will be treated as set forth in Section 6 of Tariff FCC No. 1 and all associated nonrecurring charges will apply. Minimum period requirements will be established at the new location as set forth in Section 6 of Tariff FCC No. 1. The IC will also remain responsible for satisfying all outstanding minimum period charges for the discontinued service.

G. BellSouth Directory Assistance Access Service Rearrangements

Nonrecurring charges apply for service rearrangements are as set forth Section 6 of Tariff FCC No. 1. The service Rearrangement Charges are as set forth in Section 6 of Tariff FCC No. 1 for the type of change provided by the Company.

E9.1.5 Rate Regulations

- A. The *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service call charge, as set forth in Section E9.1.7, applies for each call to automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service. A call is a call which has been connected to automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service. No charge applies if the automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* System is unable to find the requested telephone number. The number of calls will be accumulated by Company measuring equipment. A credit for the provision of an incorrect telephone number will be applied as set forth in Section E9.1.4.
- **B.** The mileage for Directory Transport is measured from the serving wire center of the IC terminal location to the *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* location. Title Page notwithstanding, these two wire centers may be in different LATAs. In addition the IC's terminal location must be in the LATA where the *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service is requested or in the LATA where the automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* location is located. The measurement will be performed as set forth in Section 6 of Tariff FCC No. 1.
- C. The charge per call for Directory Transport, as set forth in Section E9.1.7, applies for each call to automated *BellSouth Directory Assistance Access* service. A call is as set forth in A. preceding. The number of calls will be accumulated as set forth in A. preceding.

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E9. BELLSOUTH DIRECTORY ASSISTANCE ACCESS SERVICE

E9.1 BellSouth Directory Assistance Access Service (Cont'd)

E9.1.6 Rate Categories

- A. There are three (3) rate categories which apply to BellSouth Directory Assistance Access service:
 - Directory Transport
 - BellSouth Directory Assistance Access Service Call
 - BellSouth Directory Assistance Access Interconnection

Additionally, nonrecurring charges may be applicable as specified in Section E9.1.7

- 1. Directory Transport
 - The Directory Transport rate category provides for the transport facilities and termination between the IC's premises and the automated BellSouth Directory Assistance Access location. These rate elements are defined in Section E9.1.2
- 2. BellSouth Directory Assistance Access Service Call
 - The automated BellSouth Directory Assistance Access service Call rate category provides for the use of the Company automated Directory Assistance service and BellSouth Directory Assistance Access equipment.
- 3. BellSouth Directory Assistance Access Interconnection
 - The BellSouth Directory Assistance Access Interconnection rate category provides for switching capability and network functions not assigned to other BellSouth Directory Assistance Access service rate categories. This charge is assessed to all ICs and is applied on a per BellSouth Directory Assistance Access call basis.
- B. Nonrecurring charges will apply for the installation of Directory Transport facilities, service rearrangements or features as defined in Section E9.1.2

E9.1.7 Rates and Charges

- A. Rates and charges
 - 1. BellSouth Directory Assistance Access Service Call

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(a)	Per call	\$.271744	NA
Directory Tran	asport		
(a)	Switched Local Channel ¹	-	NA
(b)	BellSouth SWA Dedicated Transport ¹	-	NA
(c)	BellSouth SWA Common Transport per BellSouth	.000059	NA
	Directory Assistance Access service Call ²		
(d)	BellSouth SWA Common Transport per BellSouth	.000008	NA
	Directory Assistance Access service Call Mile ²		
(e)	Access Tandem Switching per BellSouth Directory	.000392	NA
	Assistance Access service Call		
(f)	BellSouth Directory Assistance Access Interconnection	.00000	NA
	per BellSouth Directory Assistance Access service Call		
(g)	DS3 to DS1 Multiplexer per DA Access Service Call	.000129	NA
(h)	Installation ¹	-	NA

Note 1: Nonrecurring and monthly rates are as specified for BellSouth SWA Transport in E6.8.1 of this Tariff.

Note 2: These charges also apply to BellSouth SWA Common Transport IP Option.