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**E7. SPECIAL ACCESS (A.K.A. BELLSOUTH SPA) SERVICE**

**E7.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**E7.5.20 Reserved For Future Use**

**E7.5.21 Reserved For Future Use**

**E7.5.22 BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service<sup>1</sup>**

**A. Rates and charges for month-to-month service**

**1. Basic BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service Arrangements**

**(a) 2 Mbps Basic Connection**

	<b>Nonrecurring Charge</b>	<b>Month to Month</b>	<b>USOC</b>
- Per Connection	\$ 950.00	\$ 668.25	MTEBO

**(b) 4 Mbps Basic Connection**

- Per Connection	950.00	695.25	MTEB1
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**(c) 8 Mbps Basic Connection**

- Per Connection	950.00	810.00	MTEB2
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**(d) 10 Mbps Basic Connection**

- Per Connection	900.00	918.00	MTEBA
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**(e) 100 Mbps Basic Connection**

- Per Connection	900.00	1,768.50	MTEBB
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**(f) 1 Gbps Basic Connection**

- Per Connection	1,000.00	3,847.50	MTEBC
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**2. Premium BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service Arrangements**

**(a) 2 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	950.00	739.80	MTEPO
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**(b) 4 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	950.00	777.60	MTEP1
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**(c) 8 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	950.00	896.40	MTEP2
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**(d) 10 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	900.00	1,220.40	MTEP3
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**(e) 20 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	900.00	1,522.80	MTEP4
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**(f) 50 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	900.00	2,008.80	MTEP5
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**(g) 100 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	900.00	2,085.75	MTEE5
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**(h) 250 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	1,000.00	2,430.00	MTEP6
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**(i) 500 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	1,000.00	2,724.30	MTEE6
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**(j) 900 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	1,000.00	3,034.80	MTEP7
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**(k) 900 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	1,000.00	3,260.25	MTEE7
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**(l) 900 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	1,000.00	4,039.20	MTEP8
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**(m) 900 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	1,000.00	4,182.30	MTEE8
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**(n) 900 Mbps Premium Connection**

- Per Connection, Fixed Mode	1,500.00	5,988.60	MTEP9
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**3.**

**Note 1:** See Page 22.5.1 for service availability information.

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**E7.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**E7.5.22 BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service (Cont'd)**

**A. Rates and charges for month-to-month service (Cont'd)**

**4. Virtual BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service Arrangements<sup>1, 2</sup>**

**(a) 2 Mbps Virtual Connection**

	<b>Nonrecurring Charge</b>	<b>Month to Month</b>	<b>USOC</b>
- Per Connection	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 523.80	MTEVO
<b>(b) 4 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,000.00	561.60	MTEV1
<b>(c) 8 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,000.00	680.40	MTEV2
<b>(d) 10 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,000.00	1,004.40	MTEV3
<b>(e) 20 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,000.00	1,306.80	MTEV4
<b>(f) 50 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,000.00	1,792.80	MTEV5
<b>(g) 80 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,000.00	2,003.40	MTEV6
<b>(h) 100 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,500.00	2,214.00	MTEV7
<b>(i) 200 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,500.00	2,818.80	MTEV8
<b>(j) 300 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,500.00	3,180.60	MTEV9
<b>(k) 450 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,500.00	3,823.20	MTEVA
<b>(l) 600 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,750.00	4,541.40	MTEVB
<b>(m) 750 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	1,750.00	5,292.00	MTEVC
<b>(n) 900 Mbps Virtual Connection</b>			
- Per Connection	2,000.00	5,772.60	MTEVD

**5. BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service Independent Company (ICO) Trunk Arrangements**

**(a) ICO Trunk Connection**

- Per VLAN Connection	1,300.00	1,046.25	MTEGC
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**Note 1:** Each Virtual Connection requires the establishment of a Class of Service (CoS) profile.

**Note 2:** See Page 22.5.1 for service availability information.

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**E7.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**E7.5.22 BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service<sup>1</sup> (Cont'd)**

**A. Rates and charges for month-to-month service (Cont'd)**

**6. BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service Additional Mileage**

- (a) BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service Additional Mileage:  
BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service arrangements greater than  
10 miles through 25 airline miles

	<b>Month to Month</b>	<b>USOC</b>	
- Per 2 – 9 Mbps Connection	\$ 432.00	MTEMO	(1)
- Per 10 – 99 Mbps Connection	449.55	MTEMA	
- Per 100 – 499 Mbps Connection	558.90	MTEMB	
- Per 500 Mbps – 1 Gbps Connection	680.40	MTEMC	

- (b) BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service Additional Mileage:  
BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service arrangements greater than  
25 miles through 35 airline miles

- Per 2 – 9 Mbps Connection	708.75	MTEMD	
- Per 10 – 99 Mbps Connection	753.30	MTEME	
- Per 100 – 499 Mbps Connection	947.70	MTEMF	
- Per 500 Mbps – 1 Gbps Connection	1,129.95	MTEMG	

- (c) BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service Additional Mileage:  
BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service arrangements greater than  
35 miles through 50 airline miles

- Per 2 – 9 Mbps Connection	1,080.00	MTEMH	
- Per 10 – 99 Mbps Connection	1,178.55	MTEMJ	
- Per 100 – 499 Mbps Connection	1,470.15	MTEMK	
- Per 500 Mbps – 1 Gbps Connection	1,773.90	MTEML	(1)

**7. BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service Independent Company (ICO) Trunk Additional Mileage Charges**

- (a) BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service ICO Trunk Additional Mileage:  
BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service ICO Trunk arrangements greater than  
10 miles through 25 airline miles  
- per VLAN Connection

229.50	MTEM1	(1)
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- (b) BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service ICO Trunk Additional Mileage:  
BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service ICO Trunk arrangements greater than  
25 miles through 35 airline miles  
- per VLAN Connection

567.00	MTEM2	(1)
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- (c) BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service ICO Trunk Additional Mileage:  
BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service ICO Trunk arrangements greater than  
35 miles through 50 airline miles  
- per VLAN Connection

911.25	MTEM3	(1)
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**E7.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**E7.5.22 BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service<sup>4</sup> (Cont'd)**

**A. Rates and charges for month-to-month service (Cont'd)**

**8. Priority Plus Feature<sup>1</sup>**

	<b>Nonrecurring Charge</b>	<b>Month to Month</b>	<b>USOC</b>	
- Per Connection	\$ -	\$ 162.00	MTEP	(1)
<b>9. Q-Forwarding Feature<sup>1</sup></b>				
(a) Q-Forwarding Service Establishment Charge - Per Connection	400.00	-	MTEQF	
(b) Q-Forwarding Network Assignment Charge - Per Network, Per Connection	-	108.00	MTEQN	(1)
<b>10. VLAN Aggregation Feature<sup>2</sup></b>				
(a) VLAN Aggregation Service Establishment Charge - Per Connection	400.00	-	MTEQE	
(b) VLAN Aggregation Network Assignment Charge - Per VLAN, Per Connection	-	108.00	MTEQV	(1)
<b>11. CNM - Metro Ethernet Reporting Feature<sup>3</sup></b>				
(a) CNM - Metro Ethernet Reporting, Service Establishment Charge - Per Customer Account	225.00	-	MTERE	
(b) CNM - Metro Ethernet Reporting Charge - Per Connection	-	13.50	MTERC	(1)
(c) CNM - Metro Ethernet Reporting, Web Interface Charge - First	-	-	MTER1	
- Each Additional	65.00	27.00	MTERW	(1)
(d) CNM - Metro Ethernet Reporting, Security Card - Each	200.00	-	MTERS	

**Note 1:** Optional feature only available with a Premium Connection.

**Note 2:** Optional feature only available with a Virtual Connection.

**Note 3:** Optional feature only available with a Premium or Virtual Connection.

**Note 4:** See Page 22.5.1 for service availability information.

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**E7.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**E7.5.22 BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service<sup>3</sup> (Cont'd)**

**A. Rates and charges for month-to-month service (Cont'd)**

**12. Class of Service (CoS) Profile<sup>1</sup>**

**(a) Real-Time CoS<sup>2</sup>**

	<b>Month to Month</b>	<b>USOC</b>
- 10%	\$ 72.90	MTETF
- 20%	145.80	MTETG
- 25%	182.25	MTETH
- 30%	218.70	MTETJ
- 35%	255.15	MTETK
- 40%	291.60	MTETL
- 50%	364.50	MTETM
- 70%	510.30	MTETO

**(b) Interactive CoS<sup>2</sup>**

- 10%	60.75	MTEVF
- 20%	121.50	MTEVG
- 25%	151.20	MTEVH
- 30%	182.25	MTEVJ
- 35%	211.95	MTEVK
- 40%	243.00	MTEVL
- 50%	303.75	MTEVM

**Note 1:** Each Virtual Connection requires the designation of a CoS profile with desired percentages of each CoS selected. The sum of the percentages for all CoS selected for a Virtual Connection must sum to 100%.

**Note 2:** The combined CoS bandwidth percentages selected in a customer's Virtual Connection CoS profile for Real-Time CoS plus Interactive CoS may not exceed 50%, except where the customer selects the 70% Real-Time CoS bandwidth percentage and has no Interactive traffic.

**Note 3:** See Page 22.5.1 for service availability information.

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**E7.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**E7.5.22 BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service (Cont'd)<sup>2</sup>**

**A. Rates and charges for month-to-month service (Cont'd)**

**12. Class of Service (CoS) Profile<sup>1</sup> (Cont'd)**

(c) Business Critical CoS

	<b>Month to Month</b>	<b>USOC</b>
- 10%	\$ 36.45	MTEPF
- 20%	72.90	MTEPG
- 25%	90.45	MTEPH
- 30%	109.35	MTEPJ
- 35%	126.90	MTEPK
- 40%	145.80	MTEPL
- 50%	182.25	MTEPM
- 60%	218.70	MTEPN
- 75%	272.70	MTEPP
- 90%	328.05	MTEPQ
- 100%	364.50	MTEPR

(d) Best Effort CoS

- 10%	12.15	MTEBF
- 20%	24.30	MTEBG
- 25%	29.70	MTEBH
- 30%	36.45	MTEBJ
- 35%	41.85	MTEBK
- 40%	48.60	MTEBL
- 50%	60.75	MTEBM
- 60%	72.90	MTEBN
- 75%	90.45	MTEBP
- 90%	109.35	MTEBQ

**Note 1:** Each Virtual Connection requires the designation of a CoS profile with desired percentages of each CoS selected. The sum of the percentages for all CoS selected for a Virtual Connection must sum to 100%.

**Note 2:** Effective on or after August 22, 2021, this Service will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers. In addition, requests to move, add, change, or renew existing service arrangements will not be accepted. Following the expiration of a customer's existing term agreement, service will be provided on a month-to-month basis at the applicable Monthly rates until the service is discontinued. The Company currently plans to discontinue this service on or after March 31, 2023.

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**E7.5 Rates and Charges (Cont'd)**

**E7.5.22 BellSouth Metro Ethernet Service (Cont'd)<sup>3</sup>**

**A. Rates and charges for month-to-month service (Cont'd)**

**13. Automatic Protection Switching (APS) Feature<sup>1</sup>:** Selected to provide automatic protection switching in conjunction with a Basic, Premium or Virtual BellSouth Metro Ethernet Connection of 10 Mbps or higher. Applicable APS rate element based upon type of APS selected and actual total route miles<sup>2</sup> (rounded up to next whole mile) based upon a customer-specific design as determined by the Telephone Company.

(a) Structural Protection

	<b>Nonrecurring Charge</b>	<b>Month to Month</b>	<b>USOC</b>
- Per APS Arrangement of less than 10 route miles	\$ 1000.00	\$ 2,565.00	MTEAO
- Per APS Arrangement of 10 through 25 route miles	1500.00	2,895.75	MTEA1
- Per APS Arrangement of greater than 25 through 35 route miles	2000.00	3,300.75	MTEA2
- Per APS Arrangement of greater than 35 through 50 route miles	2500.00	3,915.00	MTEA3

(b) Route Protection

- Per APS Arrangement of less than 10 route miles	1500.00	3,132.00	MTEA5
- Per APS Arrangement of 10 through 25 route miles	2000.00	3,523.50	MTEA6
- Per APS Arrangement of greater than 25 through 35 route miles	2500.00	4,002.75	MTEA7
- Per APS Arrangement of greater than 35 through 50 route miles	3000.00	4,637.25	MTEA8

**14. Optical Termination Charge:** An electrical termination on the customer premises is standard for 2, 4 and 8 Mbps Basic, Premium and Virtual Connections. Therefore, an Optical Termination Charge applies when an optional optical termination is requested and provided for a 2, 4 or 8 Mbps Connection.

(a) Per Optical Termination

- Per Connection	-	40.50	MTEO1
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**15. Service Reconfiguration Charge**

(a) Per Request

- Per Connection	200.00	-	MTESR
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**16. System Reconfiguration Charge**

(a) Per Request

- Per Connection	900.00	-	MTESY
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**Note 1:** Optional feature only available with a Basic, Premium or Virtual Connection of 10 Mbps or higher. (APS is not available for a 2 Mbps, 4 Mbps or 8 Mbps Basic, Premium or Virtual Connection).

**Note 2:** Per definition of route mileage provided in E7.2.18U preceding.

**Note 3:** Effective on or after August 22, 2021, this Service will no longer be available for purchase by new or existing customers. In addition, requests to move, add, change, or renew existing service arrangements will not be accepted. Following the expiration of a customer's existing term agreement, service will be provided on a month-to-month basis at the applicable Monthly rates until the service is discontinued. The Company currently plans to discontinue this service on or after March 31, 2023.