

Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

PUBLIC NOTICE

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**BELLSOUTH INTRODUCES MODIFIED DENSITY ZONE
PRICING PLAN FOR EXPANDED INTERCONNECTION
CC Docket No. 91-141**

Pleading Cycle Established

Comments: December 5, 1995

Reply Comments: December 12, 1995

On October 20, 1995, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) filed a modified density zone pricing plan for special and switched access services pursuant to the Commission's Report and Order in CC Docket No. 91-141.¹ BellSouth states that it has modified its original zone plan in accordance with the standards established in that Order.

BellSouth asserts that while it has an approved zone density pricing plan, the plan, which is based on wire centers, presents a variety of administrative problems that reduce the pricing flexibility benefits the Commission intended to afford local exchange carriers. BellSouth states that it is submitting this modification to remedy the deficiencies of the existing plan, yet remain within the limits enunciated by the Commission for zone pricing.

Interested parties may file comments on BellSouth's modified density zone pricing plan no later than **December 5, 1995**. Replies should be filed by **December 12, 1995**.

An original and four copies of all comments and replies must be filed in accordance with Section 1.51(c) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.51(c). In addition, one copy of each pleading must be filed with International Transcription Services (ITS), the Commission's duplicating contractor, at its office at 2100 M Street, N.W., Suite 140, Washington, D.C. 20037 and one copy with the Chief, Tariff Division, Room 518, 1919 M Street, N. W., Washington, D.C. 20554.

For further information, contact Wendy Kirchick, Tariff Division, Common Carrier Bureau at (202) 418-1530.

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¹ Expanded Interconnection with Local Telephone Facilities, Report and Order and Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, CC

Docket No. 91-141, 7 FCC Rcd 7369.