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Ms. Beth Salak
Director, Regulatory Oversight
Florida Public Service Commission
Attention: Tariff Section
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Dear Ms. Salak:

Pursuant to Florida Statute 364.051, we are filing herewith revisions to our General Subscriber Service Tariff. Following are the affected pages:

General Subscriber Service Tariff

Section A3 - Thirteenth Revised Page 98
Section A13 - Third Revised Page 93

This filing modifies rates for local Directory Assistance and for the Business Voice Mail Companion Service Package.

Acknowledgment, date of receipt and authority number of this filing are requested.

Your consideration and approval will be appreciated.

Yours very truly,

Nancy H. Sims (slg)

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Attachments

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY
(FL2005-047)

Introduction

This filing proposes an increase in the local Directory Assistance rate and a reduction in the rate for the Business Voice Mail Companion Services Package.

Revenue Impact

The following rate change increases the Non-Basic Services – Directory Assistance basket by 19.68% and decreases the Business basket by less than 1 percent, which is within the limits of BellSouth's price regulation plan.

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GENERAL SUBSCRIBER SERVICE TARIFF

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Cancels ~~Eleventh~~^{Twelfth} Revised Page 98

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BY: Marshall M. Criser Joseph P. Lacher, President -FL
Miami, Florida

Legislative Format

A3. BASIC LOCAL EXCHANGE SERVICE

A3.9 Directory Assistance Service

A3.9.1 General

A. The Company furnishes a Directory Assistance Service for the purpose of aiding subscribers in obtaining telephone numbers.

A3.9.2 Rates and Charges

A. Directory Assistance - request of a telephone number - (maximum of two requests per call.)

1. Within the Company's local calling area for the originating line

(a) Per Call

Rate	USOC	
\$.76 <u>1.03</u>	NA	(1)

2. Outside the Company's local and LATA/NPA serving areas for the originating line

(b) Per Call

Rate	USOC
1.25	NA

B. Directory Assistance for Public Service Providers

1. All calls to Directory Assistance

(a) Per Call

Rate	USOC
.35	NA

C. Subscribers who have applied for and received Company certification as being unable to use a telephone directory due to a visual or physical disability which can be confirmed by a physician, appropriate group, or agency are exempt from charges for Directory Assistance calls when requesting telephone numbers of lines located within the Company's local calling area for the originating line. Written confirmation must be provided to the Company for this exemption to apply. Application procedures may be obtained by calling the local business office. This exemption is applicable exclusively to calls made by the individual from their line, or in the case of a business employing disabled person(s), from the line assigned to that individual(s). Usage will be monitored by the Company and is subject to review and investigation. Certification will be verified periodically. Confirmed, inappropriate use of the exemption could result in its removal.

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A13. MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE ARRANGEMENTS

A13.77 Voice Mail Companion Services Package

A13.77.1 Definition of Service

- A. The Voice Mail Companion Services Package provides a group of basic network services (generally used in conjunction with voice mail services) at one monthly rate. All services available as part of this package are optionally available on an individual basis. The Voice Mail Companion Services Package consists of the following services (where available):

Call Forwarding Don't Answer or Call Forwarding Don't Answer – Ring Control

Call Forwarding Busy Line and/or Star 98 Access

The following optional features are also available as part of the package:

Message Waiting Indication - Audible or Message Waiting Indication – Audible/Visual

A13.77.2 Regulations and Limitations of Service

- A. The following regulations and limitations apply:
 1. All regulations and restrictions which normally apply to the services when they are individually provided also apply when they are provided as part of this package.
 2. All services are furnished only from central offices which have been arranged to provide these services. The services are provided subject to availability of facilities.
 3. The Voice Mail Companion Services Package can be suspended as specified in Section A2. of this Tariff. The monthly rate for this service does not apply for the suspension period.
 4. The Voice Mail Companion Services Package is only available to individual line residence and business subscribers.
 5. Service Charges as provided in Section A4. of this Tariff apply for the Voice Mail Companion Services Package.

A13.77.3 Rates and Charges

- A. The Voice Mail Companion Services Package is offered at the following rate:

- 1. Per line equipped

(a) Residence	Monthly Rate \$ 2.00	USOC S98PK
(b) Business	11.25 <u>9.75</u>	S98CP Ⓡ

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