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The Honorable Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge
Missouri Public Service Commission
P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

Dear Judge Roberts:

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, L.P., d/b/a SBC Missouri proposes to revise the Local Exchange Tariff, P.S.C. Mo.-24.

The purpose of these revisions is to increase the rate for Line Status Verification and Busy Line Interrupt by 8 percent. Customers have been notified via bill messages.

The proposed revisions are reflected on the attached tariff sheets. The issued and requested effective dates are June 10, 2003 and July 10, 2003 respectively.

Questions concerning this filing may be referred to Sherry Myers on 314-235-6380.

Very truly yours,

Sherry Myers

Attachments

I certify that a copy of the foregoing, including attachments, is being forwarded postage prepaid or delivered to the Office of the Public Counsel, Post Office Box 7800, Jefferson City, Missouri, 65102 this 10th day of June 2003.
Tammy Morris

No Supplement to this tariff will be issued except for the purpose of canceling this tariff.

Local Exchange Tariff
7th Revised Sheet 5.10
Replacing 6th Revised Sheet 5.10

LOCAL EXCHANGE

1.2 RATES (cont'd)

12.5 Line Status Verification and Busy Line Interrupt (cont'd)

C. Rates

The rates set forth below apply to calls from customers who request local or intraLATA-intrastate assistance in determining lines status or attempted interruption of a conversation in progress.

	<u>Rate</u>
1. Line Status Verification, per request	\$1.62 (CR)
2. Busy Line Interrupt, per request	2.49 (CR)

If the line verified is not in use or as the result of interrupt the line is cleared, and at the calling party's request the operator completes the call, the applicable Operator Assistance Service Charges apply in addition to the Line Status Verification or Busy Line Interrupt Charge.

D. Exemptions

Charges for Line Status Verification and Busy Line Interrupt are not applicable to calls placed from authorized emergency agencies.

Police, Fire, Ambulance and 911/911-Like agencies are those agencies which qualify for this exemption.

12.6 Local Operator Assistance

A. Description

- (CT) The Company furnishes local assistance by a Company-provided operator or the automated Interactive Voice System (IVS) whereby customers may request assistance in: dialing a local number; requesting a local person-to-person call; billing a local call to a Company calling card, to a third number or collect.
- (CT)

Issued: June 10, 2003

Effective: July 10, 2003

By CINDY BRINKLEY, President-SBC Missouri
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